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of which there are commercial counsellors or commercial secretaries, the consular officer will not ordinarily be required to perform duties concerning commercial matters.

16.05 Consular Officers should maintain close liaison with Trade Commissioners in their territories. They should ensure that no opportunity is lost to bring together Trade Commissioners and foreign businessmen seeking information on trade matters. Consular Officers should also inform appropriate Trade Commissioners when visas are granted to businessmen intending to visit Canada for trade purposes including officials or persons whose visits are being officially sponsored.