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VISIT TO OTTAWA OF POLISH FOREIGN MINISTER

TADEUSZ OLECHOWSKI

The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Right Honourable Joe Clark today announced that His Excellency Tadeusz Olechowski, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Polish People's Republic, will make an official visit to Canada on May 6-9, 1989.

Mr. Olechowski's visit to Canada comes only weeks after Poland's government authorities and solidarity, among various groups, have reached an historical agreement on social and political reforms. The Secretary of State for External Affairs is looking forward to his discussions with Mr. Olechowski on those unprecedented developments.

Mr. Olechowski's consultations with Mr. Clark will also cover a wide range of bilateral and multilateral issues of mutual interest, including the debt situation, and the possibility of expanding our relations in the trade, economic and cultural fields.

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