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OF THE AGENCY FOR CULTURAL AND TECHNICAL COOPERATION

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The Honourable Monique Landry, Minister for External Relations, will head the Canadian delegation to the 11th General Conference of the Agency for Cultural and Technical Cooperation (ACCT), which will meet in Paris, December 7 and 8. The Provinces of Quebec and New Brunswick will be present as participating governments in the ACCT. Representatives from the Ontario and Manitoba Governments will also be part of the Canadian delegation.

The Conference will examine its budgets and programmes for the 1988-1989 period, particularly in the light of the decisions taken at the Second Conference of Heads of State and government using French as a common language, which was held in Quebec City last September.

Thirty member States, seven associate States and the two participating governments of Quebec and New Brunswick are expected to take part in the Conference.