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## APPOINTMENTS TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CANADIAN INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY

The Right Honourable Joe Clark, Secretary of State for External Affairs, announced today the appointment of three Directors to the seventeen-member Board of Directors of the Canadian Institute for International Peace and Security (CIIPS). These appointments are for a three-year term.

The three Directors are:

Dr. Edward Green, Director of the Institute of Social and Economic Research (ISER), University of the West Indies, Kingston, Jamaica.

Dr. Orest Kochkanoff, Consulting Engineer and former Dean, Faculty of Engineering, Technical University of Nova Scotia, Halifax, Nova Scotia.

Ms Mary Simon, President, Inuit Circumpolar Conference, Kuujjuag, Quebec

These appointments have been made following consultations with the Leader of the Official Opposition and the Leader of the New Democratic Party in accordance with the CIIPS Act (Bill C-32).

The Institute was formally established on August 15, 1984 with the support of all parties, and reports annually to Parliament. The purpose of the Institute is to increase knowledge and understanding of the issues relating to international peace and security from a Canadian perspective, with particular emphasis on arms control, disarmament, defence and conflict resolution.

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