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QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF INVESTMENT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FY 87 TRADE TRACKING PROGRESS REPORT OF INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES AND RESULTS

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TRACKING: ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER

QUARTER : 1

-COMMUNICATIONS/ROBOTICS 7 A. I. SEMINAR IN ANN ARBOR. -REGIONAL INVESTMENT SEMINARS FOR MAY/JUNE.

-MAIL CAMPAIGN-FURN. -MICH. /IND.

-SEMINAR HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED TO LAST QUARTER FY -THESE HAVE VEEN RESCHEDULED UNTIL LATE FALL DUE TO OTHER PRIORITIES THAT HAVE TAKEN PRECEDENCE DURING THIS QUARTER. -DNGOING MAILING TO FURN. MFRS. TO DETERMINE LEVEL OF INTEREST IN JV, LICENSING, TECH. TRANSF IS ALMOST COMPLETE. RATHER THAN A FOLLOW-UP SE-

RESULTS REPORTED

MINAR, RECOMMEND COORDINATED VISITS BY PERSONEL FROM POST, DRIEDTT, DRIETRNTO & PRIVATE SECTOR ACCOUNTING FIRMS.

QUARTER : 2

-AFTER CONSIDERABLE INTERNAL DISCUSSION HAS BEEN DECIDED TO UNDERTAKE A "MANUFACTURING IND." INVESTMENT SEMINAR IN METRO DETROIT AREA COM-BINING PREVIOUS SEPARATE PLANS TO DO SEMINARS FOR AUTO AND ELECTRONICS SECTORS. -MAIL CAMPAIGN TO FURNITURE SECTOR. -DEFENCE PROGRAMS SEMINAR.

QUARTER : 3

PARTICIPATED WITH INFOR BOOTH IN AUTOFACT '87 WHICH IS ONE OF THE MAJOR TRADE SHOWS IN N.A. AIMED AT COMPUTER INTEGRATED MANUFACTURING. (02) DRGANIZED A MAJOR INVEST. SEM. IN DETROIT HIGHLIGHTING TOPICS SUCH AS INVESTMENT CLIMATE IN CDA, TAX REFORM LEGISLATION & IMPLICATIONS OF US/CDA FTA; (03) TARGETED DIRECT MAIL CAMPAIGN PROMOTING JOINT VENTURES & TECH. TRANSFER (FURNITURE INDUSTRY).

QUARTER : 4

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-SEMINAR SPACE HAS BEEN BOOKED, PRIVATE CONSUL-TANTS HAS BEEN RECRUITED TO BE PRIMARY SPEAKER. -MAILING RESULTED IN APPROX 20 POSITIVE RES-PONSES PRIMARILY REQUESTING ADD'L INFO. POSSIBI-LITY OF ORGANIZING INC. MISS. BEING DISCUSSED WITH DRIEDTT/JFCP. -EXPLORATORY TALKS WITH MAJOR DEFENCE CONTRACTORS HAVE IDENTIFIED ONE (GENERAL DYNAMICS) AS BEING POTENTIALLY INTERESTED IN UNDERTAKING MISSION TO CDA WHICH THOUGH PROCURE-MENT ORIENTED CLD BE EXPANDED TO TECH. TRANSFER.

GENERATED OVER 30 QUALIFIED LEADS REQUESTING INVESTMENT INFORMATION; (12)SEMINAR ATTENDED BY 105 BUSINESS PEOPLE. POST IN PROCESS OF FOLLOW-ING UP ON INVESTMENT LEADS GENERATED; (13)POST IN.PROCESS OF SCREENING & REPORTING ON RESULTS OBTAINED.