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HIGH LEVEL CANADA/EC CONSULTATIONS

The 18th round of high level semi-annual consultations between Canada and the European Community took place in Brussels on April 22 and 23, 1982. The Community delegation was led by Mr. U. Toffano, Deputy Director-General for External Relations in the Commission, and the Canadian delegation by Mr. R. Latimer, Assistant Deputy-Minister of the Department of External Affairs. Messrs Toffano and Latimer began by recording their satisfaction at the recent settlement of several bilateral issues, and at the signature last December of a nuclear cooperation agreement.

The two delegations exchanged views on the EC and Canadian economic situations and prospects, and on a range of multilateral issues including trade relations among industrial countries, preparations for the November GATT Ministerial Meeting, the OECD export credits consensus, prospects for global negotiations on North-South issues, and proposals for tackling the problem of hunger in the world. The participants agreed that the build-up