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Ottawa, October 8, 1948.

The Secretary of State for External Affairs announced today the appointment of Charles Pierre Hebert, Canadian Minister in Cuba, as Special Ambassador at the inauguration of Dr. Carlos Prio Socarras as President of Cuba on October 10.

Mr. Hebert is the Head of the Special Canadian Mission to the inauguration. This Mission was appointed by Canada on the invitation of the Cuban Government.

The Mission includes Mr. T. B. B. Wainman-Wood, and Miss B. McGregor of the Staff of the Canadian Legation at Havana, and Brigadier H. E. Taber, C.B.E., Military Attaché at the Canadian Embassy in Washington, Air Commodore R. C. Gordon, C.B.E., Air Attaché at the Canadian Embassy in Washington.