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The Department of External Affairs announced today that Mr. Jean Morin, Canadian Ambassador to Colombia, has been appointed Special Ambassador of Canada to Ecuador, on the occasion of the inauguration of President José María Velasco Ibarra, for a fourth term of office.

Mr. Morin will attend the ceremonies, which will be held at Quito, Ecuador, from August 29 to September 5, 1960. He will transmit to President Velasco Ibarra a message from His Excellency the Governor General, extending his personal congratulations and greetings to the people of Ecuador, on behalf of the people of Canada.

Mr. Jean Morin will be accompanied by a Counsellor, Mr. A.D. Ross, of the Canadian Embassy in Venezuela.