Mr. John P. Schioler (50) originally from Winnipeg, Manitoba to be Ambassador to Egypt with concurrent accreditation to the Sudan.

Mr. Schioler (B.A. (Hon.) University of Manitoba, 1956; M.A., University of Rochester, 1958; B.A. Oxford, 1959 (Rhodes Scholar) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1959 and has served abroad in Hanoi, Rome, Nicosia, London and Lagos. He was named Ambassador to Zaïre, Congo, Rwanda and Burundi in 1974. Since 1980 Mr. Schioler has been the Director of the Middle Eastern Division. He will replace Mr. Robert Elliott who will return to Canada.

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<u>Mr. Jacques Simard</u> (41) originally from Québec, Québec as Ambassador to Romania.

Mr. Simard (B.A., Université de Montréal, 1961; Law, Université de Montréal, 1965; M.A., History, University of Ottawa 1967; Doctoral Studies, University of Ottawa, 1968 Ecole nationale d'administration, Paris, 1971-72) entered the Department of External Affairs in 1967. He has served in Kuala Lumpur, Beirut and Geneva. Mr. Simard took up his present position as Director of the Intelligence Analysis Division at headquarters in 1980. He will succeed Mr. P.M. Roberts whose next assignment will be announced later.

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Mr. Donald Sutherland McPhail (52) originally from Halifax, Nova Scotia, as Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany with concurrent accreditation to Berlin.

Mr. McPhail (B.A., M.A., University of New Brunswick, 1952, 1953; University of the Netherlands, 1952; London School of Economics 1953-4) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1956. He has served abroad in Paris, and the Canadian Mission to GATT in Geneva. From 1970 to 1972 he was Ambassador to Venezuela with concurrent accreditation to the Dominican Republic and from 1973 to 1976 served with the Department of Regional Economic Expansion as Assistant Deputy Minister in Moncton, New Brunswick. In 1979 Mr. McPhail was named to his present post as Permanent Representative and Ambassador to the Office of the United Nations in Geneva. Mr. McPhail will replace Mr. Klaus Goldschlag who has returned to Canada.

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