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HIS EXCELLENCY CADAMBI SESHACHAR VENKATACHAR TODAY PRESENTED TO THE DEPUTY GOVERNOR GENERAL, THE HONOURABLE ROBERT TASCHEREAU, HIS CREDENTIALS AS HIGH COMMISSIONER OF INDIA TO CANADA. THE CEREMONY TOOK PLACE AT THE SUPREME COURT OF CANADA.

MR. VENKATACHAR WAS BORN IN 1899 AND WAS EDUCATED AT PRESIDENCY COLLEGE, MADRAS, UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, LONDON AND AT TRINITY COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE. HE BECAME PRIME MINISTER OF THE FORMER PRINCELY STATE OF JODHPUR AND LATER OF BIKANER. IN APRIL 1951 HE BECAME SECRETARY TO THE MINISTRY OF STATES. PRIOR TO HIS APPOINTMENT IN OTTAWA, HE WAS SECRETARY TO THE PRESIDENT OF INDIA.