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The Honourable Monique Vézina, Minister for External Relations, announced today that the Third Bilateral Consultations between Burkina Faso and Canada would take place in Ottawa on May 20, 21 and 22, 1986. She will chair the deliberations jointly with His Excellency Justin Damo Baro, the Finance Minister of Burkina Faso.

The main purpose of these consultations is to take stock of current cooperation and to set new guidelines. Views will also be exchanged on all of the major questions affecting the Sahel region and Africa as a whole. During his visit to Canada, Minister Damo Baro will hold discussions with Mrs. Catley-Carlson, the President of the Canadian International Development Agency. Mrs. Vézina and Mr. Baro will sign a new General Cooperation Agreement.

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