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The Department of External Affairs announced today that His Excellency Dr. Manuel Pastoriza Valverde presented to the Honourable Mr. Justice J. H. G. Fauteux, Deputy Governor-General, his Letter of Credence as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Dominican Republic to Canada. The ceremony took place at the Supreme Court Building.

The Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs, Mr. Jules Léger, was in attendance on the Deputy Governor-General on this occasion. The Chief of Protocol, Mr. E. D'Arcy McGreer, presented the Ambassador to Mr. Fauteux. The Ambassador was accompanied by Dr. Alfonso Simpson Dubus, First Secretary of the Embassy. Mr. J. F. Delaute, Secretary to the Governor-General (Administrative) was also present.

Dr. Pastoriza was born in 1901. He is a doctor of medicine (Universities of Santo Domingo and Paris) and was director of a children's hospital from 1940 to 1945. Since that time he has served as Minister, then as Ambassador to France.

Dr. Pastoriza is married.

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