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QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF EXPORT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FISCAL YEAR 89 FORECAST OF KEY ACTIVITIES AND ANTICIPATED RESULTS STATED IN MISSION'S ANNUAL PLAN

POST :414-BRUSSELS

SECTOR :009-FOREST PRODUCTS, EQUIP, SERVICES RELGILIM

PLANNING:

ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

SUB-SECTOR: WOOD AND WOOD PRODUCTS

REVIEW POSS. INTRO OF FURTHER MEG'D PROD: SOLID WD PANELING TO DETREMINE POSSIBILITY TO CHANGE CUSTOMER TASTES

CONT'D PROM VIA VIDEO/TECHNICAL LITERATURE OF TEC CONSTRUCT INCREASE MARKET/CONSUMER AWARENESS OF TFC AND RELATED BUIL-

DING PRODUCTS

CONT'D PROMOTION OF LESS WELL KNOWN CANADIAN SPECIES INCREASED AWARENESS AND DEMAND FOR CANADIAN PRODUCTS

IF FUNDING AVAIL, PURSUE RECOMMENDED DEMO HOUSING PROJECT

TRACKING: ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

QUARTER: 1 Grading mission COFI, BC - Press release for IB in Echo des Bois + Houthandel en Nijverheid COMPD mission - Follow-up Batibouw 89 - Preparation Batibouw 90

QUARTER: 2 Etude de marché sur les bois de trituration (pulpwood) Préparation d'une mission de l'Est du Canada (BPIB) - bois durs et résineux

QUARTER: 3 a) BPIB mission (hard and softwood)

- b) Attendance BATIMAT, Paris
- c) Preparation of BATIBOUW 90
- d) Packaging board : world conference
- e) Visit of International Furniture Show

QUARTER: 4 1. Batibouw construction fair

- 2. Lumber mission from Quebec
- 3. Oriented Strandboard Mission

Tres bonne perspectives de ventes pour la firme belge INTHOS qui represente plusieurs firmes canadiennes (est. 1.000.000,-\$)

> Implantation et accroissement des ventes des bois de l'Est du Canada

- a) Increased sales on long term for Eastern Canadian lumber
- b) Introduction of Cdn cos. on Belgian market via Batibouw
- e) Seeking opportunities for Cdn companies
- 1. Expected sales (lumber, parket, construction material)
- 2. idem
- 3. Increase OSB/waferboard sales in Belgium.