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The Department of External Affairs announced today that Canada and France have concluded an agreement respecting compensation for Canadian citizens and corporations having interests in companies in France which produce gas and electricity and have been nationalized.

Canadian citizens and corporations are urged to notify the Department of External Affairs immediately, if they have not already done so, of interests in any of these French companies, since the final date for submission of claims in order to obtain preferential treatment is May 31, 1951.