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The Department of External Affairs announced today that the Government would shortly seek the approval of Parliament for a Canadian contribution to the work of the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund. The proposed contribution would be in the amount of \$500,000 of which a maximum of \$210,000 is to be set aside for the purchase of Labrador salted codfish which is under Government price guarantee.

The continuation of the Children's Emergency Fund for a further three-year period was approved by the General Assembly of the United Nations at its current session.