

The distribution of the Diplomatic Corps is roughly as follows:

- (a) By Production Services: (i) to the 550 addressees in the publication; (ii) to all divisions in the Department - 458 copies.
- (b) By the Queen's Printer: (i) the "free list" - to heads of each mission and to universities, libraries, newspapers, M.P.s, senators, some Government departments, some Canadian missions abroad, and to some others; (ii) on behalf of External Affairs to some V.I.P.s, I.C.A.O., I.L.O., missions in Ottawa, various civic and provincial authorities. Total 650 copies.
- (c) By Protocol Division - 150 copies but as there is presently a surplus of 200 copies some discrepancies in these figures is apparent.

The distribution of Representatives of Other Countries in Canada is similar to the above except that additional copies go to Canadian missions abroad. There were 2675 copies printed for the last issue but it is understood that the requirements have been reduced to approximately 2000 copies.

COMMENT: It is clear that the above decentralized means of distribution contributes to a certain degree of confusion. A recent Organization and Methods survey has proposed that a "distribution centre" be created within Materiel Management Division. However, since the Queen's Printer has adequate distribution facilities, it is proposed that the Queen's Printer make the distribution now carried out by Production Services.