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The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Howard Green, announced today the appointment of Mr. Frederick Bull as Canadian Ambassador to the Netherlands. Mr. Bull, at present Canadian Ambassador to Japan, replaces the late C. P. Hebert whose death occurred July 29 in The Hague.

Born in Weston, Ontario, on December 31, 1903, Mr. Bull graduated from the University of Toronto with a Bachelor of Commerce degree. In 1929 he was appointed to the Trade Commissioner Service of the Department of Trade and Commerce. After serving as Assistant Trade Commissioner in New York and Trade Commissioner in Trinidad, Mr. Bull was appointed Trade Commissioner to New Zealand. He later served in Washington as Commercial Attaché and in 1945 returned to Canada to become Director of the Export Division of the Department of Trade and Commerce. In 1949 he was appointed Director of the Commodities Branch and the following year became Assistant Deputy Minister. He became Deputy Minister of the Department of Trade and Commerce in 1951. Since 1957, Mr. Bull has served in Tokyo as Canadian Ambassador to Japan.

Mr. Bull is married and has four children.