The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Hon. Mitchell Sharp, has announced the following appointments which will take effect during the course of the next few months.

Raymond Cecil Anderson, 42, of the Trade Commissioner Service, Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce, and recently on secondment as Director of Personnel Operations Division, Department of External Affairs, as Consul General in Seattle, Washington, replacing D.B. Laughton, who as earlier announced will be Canadian Executive Director, Inter-American Development Bank.

Pierre Asselin, 62, at present Consul General in New Orleans, to be Ambassador to Cameroon, with concurrent accreditation to Gabon. He succeeds C.O.R. Rousseau who, as announced earlier, will be on special assignment to the City of Montreal.

William Hickson Barton, 54, now Assistant Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs, to be Ambassador and Permanent Representative to the Office of the United Nations at Geneva and to the Conference of the Committee on Disarmament. He succeeds Mr. George Ignatieff, who in April was named Provost of Trinity College, Toronto.

Arthur Grant Campbell, 55, at present Minister at the Canadian Embassy in Bonn, as Ambassador to South Africa, replacing Mr. H.H. Carter, who is returning to Ottawa.