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VISIT OF THE  
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS  
TO EGYPT, ISRAEL AND SPAIN  
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The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Don Jamieson, announced today that he will be travelling to Egypt, Israel and Spain from October 22 to November 1st. Mr. Jamieson will visit Egypt at the invitation of the Foreign Minister of Egypt, Mr. Isma'il Fahmi; Israel at the invitation of the Foreign Minister of Israel, Mr. Moshe Dayan; and Spain at the invitation of the Foreign Minister, Mr. Marcellino Oreja.

Mr. Jamieson will hold talks with the Foreign Minister and other leaders of each country that he will be visiting. Discussions will centre on bilateral questions and other international matters of mutual interest. In his talks with leaders in the Middle East Mr. Jamieson is expected to obtain an up-to-date assessment of prospects for peace in the Middle East in the wake of recent developments. The Minister also plans to visit Canadian personnel serving with United Nations' Peacekeeping Forces in the region.

Mr. Jamieson's visit to Spain will mark an important step in Canada's growing relations with Spain.