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QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF EXPORT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FISCAL YEAR 87 FORECAST OF KEY ACTIVITIES AND ANTICIPATED RESULTS STATED IN MISSION'S ANNUAL PLAN

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002-FISHERIES, SEA PRODUCTS & SERV.

PLANNING:

ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

FISH & SHELLFISH & OTHER PROD

OBTAIN ITALIAN MINISTRY OF HEALTH AUTHORIZATION FOR EASTERN CDN COASTAL WATERS TO PERMIT IMPORT OF CLAMS.

OBTAIN DOCUMENTATION FM FANDO CANADA REQUIRED TO OBTAIN AUTHORI-ZATION OF ITALIAN MINISTRY OF HEALTH TO PERMIT IMPORT OF QUICK-FROZEN FOODS.

ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN AGENCIES FOR CANADIAN EXPORTERS OF LIVE LOBSTERS.

DEVELOP AGENCIES FOR CDN SALMON SMOKERS

SPONSOR AND ORGANIZE RECEPTION FEATURING CANADIAN SALMON AND CRAB PRODUCTS. INVITES ITLN IMPORTERS, DISTRIBUTORS AND END USERS

PURCHASE SMALL PERSONAL COMPUTER AND ESTABLISH DATA BASE OF ITLN FISH IMPORTERS. REGULAR MAILINGS TO THESE CONTACTS

ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

OBTAIN AUTHORIZATION

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ONE AGENCY AGREEMENT.

2 -3 NEW AGENCY AGREEMENTS

INCREASED SALES OF THESE LINES TO ITALY.

PERMIT OFFICE TO ASSUME MORE ACTIVE TRADE PROMOTION AND SELECT LOCAL FIRMS WE WISH TO DEAL WITH.

TRACKING:

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

QUARTER: 1 CREATION OF FISHERIES SECTOR DATA BASE,

INITIATION OF REGULAR MILLINGS, DEVELOPMENT OF NEW EXPORT CONTACTS FOR CLAMS, LOBSTER

AND SALMON.

QUARTER: 2 - ESTABLISHMENT OF AGENCIES FOR LIVE LOBSTERS

AND CLAMS.

- PURCHASE OF MICRO-COMPUTER FOR USE IN FISH

PRODUCTS PROMOTION.

QUARTER: 3 -----

QUARTER: 4 ----

QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

SEVERAL BUYING CONNECTIONS, BUT NO SIGNIFICANT BUSINESS.

- ESTABLISHMENT OF ONE NEW AGENCY FOR LIVE LOBS-TER AND OTHER SHELLFISH.

- LACK OF FIANCIAL RESOURCES PEVETED PURCHASE PROMOTIONAL PLAN POSTPONED UNTIL BUDGET PERMITS.