

APPENDIX II

THE EXPORT FINANCE AND CAPITAL PROJECTS DIVISION

DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

The Export Finance and Capital Projects Division has the responsibility in the Department for monitoring and analyzing developments which may affect international markets for capital projects. Specifically, the Division:

- ° follows major capital projects in key world markets including those financed by International Financial Institutions (IFI), such as the World Bank, Asian Development Bank and African Development Bank;
- ° works closely with the Department of Industry, Science and Technology (ISTC) and their Capital Projects Division to bring key projects to the attention of industry;
- ° provides information on countertrade practices and experience in international markets;
- ° follows developments in export financing and insurance;
- ° plays a role in processing of Canadian concessional financing under Section 31 of the Export Development Act.