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QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF EXPORT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FISCAL YEAR 88 FORECAST OF KEY ACTIVITIES AND ANTICIPATED RESULTS STATED IN MISSION'S ANNUAL PLAN

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ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN: PLANNING .

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THROUGH THE OPERATIONS OF THE CANADA TRADE CENTER PROMOTE APPLIANCES.

THROUGH A PROGRAM OF CALLS WITH AGENTS GENERATE MORE INTEREST IN FIND NEW WAYS AND OUTLETS TO MARKET PRODUCTS. THEIR PROMOTION OF CANADIAN PRODUCTS.

THROUGH WIN EXPORTS ENCOURAGE CANADIAN COMPANIES TO PARTICIPATE IN THE FURNITURE SHOW IN NOVEMBER.

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PURSUE HIGH TARIFFS ISSUE WITH MINISTRY OF FINANCE.

TO IDENTIFY POTENTIAL COMPETITIVENESS OF NEW ENTRIES INTO THE MARKET (USA, AUSTRALIA AND OTHERS).

TRACKING:

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

QUARTER: 1 MARKETING OF CANADIAN CONSUMER PRODUCTS.

QUARTER: 2 Marketing of Canadian consumer products.

QUARTER: 3 -Planning participation in Seiyu promotion - Regional shows in Nagoya & Aomori area & others. -Short term preparation for Gift Show.CSFA miss. sporting goods show, Yokohama Show, Yes Yokohama Health care prod. - Int. report on mail order cat.

QUARTER: 4 1.Develop new business in consumer products sector.

SALES WOULD INCREASE DRAMATICALLY IF DUTIES WERE LOWERED.

KEEP OUR SHARE OF THE MARKET.

- QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

8 NEW AGENCY AGREEMENTS AND SIGNIFICANT BUSINESS INFLUENCED IN TEXTILES AND SPORTING GOODS SECTORS.

Major fur workshops undertaken in Tokyo and Osaka. Participation in Tokyo Gift Show, DIY Show, World Jewellery Show and Tokyo Packaging Show.

> Successful participation - -Participated in 5 regional shows. - All events now will planned & ready for execution. - Report partially completed. Info from Cdn Co. late to come.

1.Participation: Tokyo Sporting Goods Trade Fair, CSGA Mission to Mtl, Tokyo Boat Show, Healthcare '89, YES Yokohama '89

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ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

INCREASE OUR SMALL MARKET SHARE.

INTRODUCE NEW EXPORTERS TO JAPANESE MARKET.