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QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF EXPORT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FISCAL YEAR 89 FORECAST OF KEY ACTIVITIES AND ANTICIPATED RESULTS STATED IN MISSION'S ANNUAL PLAN

POST :431-HELSINKI

SECTOR :005-ADVANCED TECH. PROD. & SERV

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PLANNING: ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

SUB-SECTOR: BROADCASTING, INC. CABLE TV

CONTINUE REP ON FINNISH TV & CATV IND. TO CON SUPPLIERS INCREASE CON FIRMS KNOWLEDGE ON FINNISH MARKET WHICH IS

MOVING VERY FAST. ni natingizizzan data 14 minung an minu

DEVELOP CONTACT NETWORK FIND FURTHER OPPORT FOR CON FIRMS WHOSE EXP TO FINLAND INCR BY +637% DURING JAN-SEPT 88.

ORGANIZE CATY INDUSTRIES MISSION TO CANADA MAINTAIN GROWTH MOMENTUM SETTING 89 INCREASE AT 10%.

SUB-SECTOR: COMPUTERS HARD/SOFTWARE & COMP

EXPAND POST DATA BASE & UPDATE MARKET REPORT. MORE PRECISE ASSISTANCE TO CANADIAN EXPORTERS. MORE FIRMS REPRESENTED IN FINLAND.

CONTINUE MAILINGS OF CON INFORMATICS PUBLIC TO FINNISH IMPOR INCREASED AWARENESS IN FINLAND OF CANADIAN EXPERTISE AND

PRODUCTS.

HARDWARE/SOFTWARE MISSION TO FINLAND. FOLLOW-UP ON LAST YEAR'S MISSIONS AND INCREASE MARKET GAIN.

TRACKING:

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

QUARTER: 1 Participation during April 18-21 in the Eltek 89 Electrical Technology and Professional Electronics Show.

QUARTER: 2 1. Planned program for Nordic Initiative mission software companies.

> 2. Prepared new 1989-90 report on electronic & electric equipment for Finland

QUARTER: 3 1. Nordic Initiative Mission

- 2. Visit to Systems 89 in Munich
- 3. Environmental Technology Mission

QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

52,000 visitors attended the Show; our stand was popular with visitors requesting information on Canadian companies, products, descriptions and listings from our demo pc.

- 1. Mission to take place first two days of next quarter. 66 meetings have been scheduled and 120 invitations sent out for a reception.
- 2. Concise/precise information on the Finnish market.
- 1. Mission generated sales and representation agreements for 3 mission members.
- 2. Increased awareness of Cdn products and established contacts for Cdn exhibitors.
- 3. To date progress on 2 projects confirmed.