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The Special Negotiators for Maritime Boundaries and related resource issues - Marcel Cadieux for Canada and Lloyd N. Cutler for the United States - and officials of the two governments met from July 4 to 6 in Brussels, where Ambassador Cadieux is Canadian Ambassador to the European Communities. Progress was achieved on elements of a long term agreement and on issues related to the resumption of reciprocal fishing.

The two negotiators are reporting to their respective governments, and consultations are being held with the regional and provincial authorities and interested groups in each country. Officials of the two governments will hold further meetings during July. The next meeting of the Special Negotiators will be held during the first week of August.

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