poses between the two countries, and as a useful example of international understanding in this field.

Terms of agreement

The new pact includes the following conditions:

Transferred items shall only be retransferred to third states with the consent of the supplying party.

Nuclear materials covered by the agreement shall only be enriched or reprocessed with the consent of both parties.

Materials covered by the agreement shall not be used for any nuclear explosive device.

If international safeguards pursuant to the Non-Proliferation Treaty should for any reason cease to be applied in either country, standby safeguards mechanisms shall be implemented.

Both parties will take such measures as are necessary and which satisfy the recommendations and requirements of the International Atomic Energy Agency, to ensure the physical protection of nuclear material covered by the agreement.

Both parties shall consult annually or at any time at the request of either party, with the possible participation of the International Atomic Energy Agency and shall institute the necessary administrative arrangements to ensure effective implementation of the agreement.

The agreement shall remain in force for 30 years but the provisions related to safeguards shall remain in force while any material or equipment subject to the agreement remains in existence and until these are no longer usable for the manufacture or acquisition of a nuclear weapon or other nuclear explosive device.

Canada/Spain

Canada and Spain have exchanged instruments of ratification for an agreement for co-operation in the peaceful uses of nuclear energy, which upgrades the safeguards conditions provided for under the existing nuclear co-operation agreement between the two countries dating from 1965.

Spain, which has a major nuclear power generating program is an important purchaser of Canadian uranium.

Conclusion of the revised agreement is in line with the Canadian Government's policy of upgrading existing nuclear co-operation agreements to meet current Canadian standards.

Anne Murray visits home university

The University of New Brunswick will have a special visitor at its tenth reunion this spring when singer Anne Murray joins festivities in celebration of the opening of the university's new Aitken Centre.

Miss Murray, who will perform in concert at the new multi-purpose centre on May 14, has waived her professional fee and all profits will be used for university projects supported by the UNB Associated Alumni.

The internationally-acclaimed singer of popular songs, who graduated from UNB in 1966, has supported the Alumni Association's fund-raising campaigns since then and has been a member of the President's Club since its inception.

Total costs for the new building are expected to be in excess of \$3,200,000. The Beaverbrook Canadian Foundation has contributed nearly \$2.5 million. The Alumni Association has, to date, given \$400,000 and their campaign will



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Canada/Belize investment insurance agreement

The Government of Canada, through its agent, the Export Development Corporation (EDC), and the Central American Government of Belize (formerly British Honduras) have signed an investment insurance agreement to further protect Canadian investments against possible losses incurred by political actions of the host country.

In announcing the agreement, Secretary of State for External Affairs Allan J. MacEachen said such accords were basically designed to strengthen economic relations between the two countries by facilitating the flow of Canadian capital and technology to Belize. Only clients having EDC's foreign investment insurance are covered under the plan which provides for the orderly settlement of claims while avoiding government-to-government confrontation.

EDC's foreign investment guarantees division provides insurance for Canadians investing abroad against the political risks of war, insurrection expropriation and inconvertibility.

Canada has signed, through the EDC, agreements of this type with the following 13 countries: Barbados, Ghana, Jamaica, Indonesia, Israel, Liberia, Malaysia, Morocco, Pakistan, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Singapore, and Trinidad and Tobago. Negotiations are currently taking place with other countries involving similar agreements.

The Export Development Corporation is a financially self-sustaining Crown corporation providing insurance, guarantees, loans and other financial facilities to Canadian exporters.

continue for another year.

Aitken Centre was built to accommodate conventions, concerts, exhibitions, amateur athletic championships and professional sporting events. It has a seating capacity of 4,000 for arena functions but can accommodate up to 6,000 for concerts or conferences. The centre will contain a Rinktex ice cover, said to be the first of its kind in North America, which will allow the conversion from ice to a floor surface to be made in less than two hours.