REPORT #5 89/02/08 QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF INVESTMENT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FY 88 TRADE TRACKING PROGRESS REPORT OF INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES AND RESULTS

601 - BOSTON

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

TRACKING: ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER

RESULTS REPORTED

QUARTER : 1

DEVELOP CONTACTS IN BIOTECHNOLOGY INDUSTRY/ ACADEMIC COMMUNITY IN NEW ENGLAND AND CANADA. THIS WORK IS TO PREPARE FOR INVESTMENT OPPOR-TUNITIES SEMINAR IN BIOTECHNOLOGY SECTOR TO BE ORGANIZED BY BOSTON IN LATE 88 OR EARLY 89.

RECENTLY HIRED TECHNOLOGY OFFICER HAS ESTABLI-SHED SEVERAL CONTACTS AT MIT, RESEARCH LABS IN MASSACHUSETTS BIOTECH COUNCIL. THE LATTER ORGA-NIZATION HAS AGREED TO CO-SPONSOR MONTREAL URBAN COMMUNITY PRESENTATION ON BIO-TECHNOLOGY ACTIVI-TIES IN MONTREAL IN LATE SEPT.88. THESE CONTACTS WILL BE IMPORTANT FOR OUR SEMINAR.

QUARTER : 2

Bio-technology seminar on bio-technology opportunities in Montreal Urban Community.

Seminar had two purposes: describe activities going on in bio-tech sector and also make presentation on programs/incentives available to New England companies interested in jointventures or investment opportunities in Montreal Urban Community area. Will need to follow-up with 27 companies which attended seminar.

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