REPORT 4 89/02/06

## 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

POST :527-OSAKA

001-AGRI & FOOD PRODUCTS & SERVICE JAPAN

PLANNING:

ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

SEMI & PROCESSED FOOD & DRINK

FOLLOW-UP WITH FOOD CHAINS/DEPARTMENT STORES TO ENCOURAGE CONTIN- AVAILABILITY OF CANADIAN FOOD PRODUCTS IN UED STOCKING OF CANADIAN PRODUCTS AFTER FOOD FAIRS AND TO DETER- STORES, SALES OF \$1.5 MILLION CANADIAN. MINED MARKET ACCEPTANCE AND ADVISE EXPORTERS ON WAYS TO IMPROVE PRODUCT PRESENTATION.

MARKET RESEARCH INTO AREAS OF OPPORTUNITIES.

IDENTIFICATION OF CDN PRODUCTS FOR THIS MARKET AND NEW IMPORTERS.

SUPPORT DEPARTMENT STORES/RESTAURANT TO SPONSOR CANADIAN FOOD FIVE NEW FOOD EXPOSITIONS WILL BE HELD IN FAIRS.

DIFFERENT FOOD CHAINS.

FOOD SHOW ON THE PREMISES OF THE CONSULATE GENERAL.

100 JAPANESE COMPANIES TO ATTEND AND \$500000 ON SITE SALES.

TRACKING: ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

QUARTER: 1 OSAKA MEAT PURVEYORS ASSOCIATION MISSION TO ALBERTA - IDENTIFIED PLAYERS, PERSUADED AND DEVELOPED PROGRAMME IN COORDINATION WITH ALBERTA GOVERNMENT.

FIVE MAN EXECUTIVE-LEVEL MISSION TO ALBERTA REPRESENTS 18 MONTHS OF PUBLIC RELATIONS EFFORTS BY CONGEN AND ALBERTA GOVERNMENT. MISSION RETURNED VERY IMPRESSED WITH ALBERTA BEEF AND RELATIONS ESTABLISHED.

QUARTER: 1 CANADA FOOD FESTIVAL - ROYAL HOTEL POST PLANNED AND INITIATED EVENT COINCIDING WITH CJBC.

NINE DAY EVENT RESULTED IN EXCELLENT PUBLICITY FOR PROMOTION OF CANADIAN FOOD PRODUCT EXPORTS AT CONSUMER LEVEL.

QUARTER: 2 Osaka Solo Food Show at Congen (fair) planning, logistics, set up and follow-up. 2. Nichiro Food Promo. planning, prov. of merchandising aids & display material, & participation by our staff incl. Cdn cooking demonstrations

Better than expected attendance (over 200) w/10 Canadian companies as participants. 2. 748 inst. clients of Nichiro attended, purchasing over \$1 mill. of seafood prod. of F.P.I. of Nfld. & range of prod. from Canada Packers

QUARTER: 3 -----

QUARTER: 4 -----