

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 :472-PRAGUE

SECTOR :010-MINE,METAL,MINERAL PROD & SRV
CZECHOSLOVAKIA

PLANNING: ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

TRACKING: ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

QUARTER: 1 Monitoring of Stelco Coilbox project (at NHKG Ostrava)

Stelco completed major part of computer model for simulation of Coilbox installation at NHKG.

QUARTER: 2 Maintained liaison with NHKG Ostrava re. their interest in Stelco "Coilbox" technology.

No movement on coilbox as Czechoslovaks ponder massive rationalization of their steel industry. Stelco has now provided all technical information requested by NHKG.

QUARTER: 3 Liaison with foreign trade corp. Keramika, sole importer of asbestos. Provided them with EMR materials supporting use of asbestos and countering US EPA proposed ban on use of asbestos

QUARTER: 4 Prepared program for Steltech team re. coilbox technology. However, visit was postponed.