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VISIT TO CANADA OF THE
SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE,
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The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Don Jamieson, announced today that the Secretary General of the Council of Europe, Mr. Georg Kahn-Ackermann, will make an official visit to Canada on June 6 and 7, 1978.

During his visit to Canada, Mr. Kahn-Ackermann will discuss with Mr. Jamieson the relations between Canada and the Council of Europe, in particular Canadian participation in the activities of the Parliamentary Assembly and in certain committees of experts of the Council of Europe.

Mr. Kahn-Ackermann will also meet with the President of the Canadian Human Rights Commission, Mr. Gordon Fairweather; with the Speakers of the Senate and of the House of Commons, the Honourable Renaude Lapointe and the Honourable James Jerome, and with a number of parliamentarians and senior officials.

This is the first visit to Canada of a Secretary General of the Council of Europe.

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