

Mr. Wilgress has been re-elected Chairman of the CONTRACTING PARTIES; in that position he will preside over the tariff negotiations and the Fifth Session of the CONTRACTING PARTIES.

Mr. McKinnon will be Chairman of the two Canadian negotiating teams; for this purpose he will be seconded to the Department of External Affairs. Mr. Deutsch of the Department of Finance will be in charge of the negotiations with regard to Canadian tariffs and Mr. Isbister of the Department of Trade and Commerce will be in charge of the negotiations with regard to foreign tariffs.

The following countries are expected to participate in the Torquay Conference:

Australia	India
Austria	Indonesia
Benelux (i.e. Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxemburg)	Italy
Brazil	Liberia
Burma	New Zealand
Ceylon	Nicaragua
Chile	Norway
Cuba	Pakistan
Czechoslovakia	Peru
Denmark	The Philippines
Dominican Republic	Sweden
Finland	Syria-Lebanon Union
France	Turkey
Western Germany	United Kingdom
Greece	Union of South Africa
Guatemala	United States
Haiti	Uruguay

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