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## CULTURAL GRANT AWARDED TO TORONTO DANCE THEATRE

On behalf of the Right Honourable Joe Clark, Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable David MacDonald, Member of Parliament for Toronto-Rosedale, announced today that Toronto Dance Theatre has been awarded a grant of \$48,225 for their upcoming tour from April 22 to May 14, 1989 in France, Belgium, Spain and Portugal.

The grant is part of the Department of External Affairs International Cultural Relations Program which embraces the arts, academic relations, sports and the exchange of young workers. The program contributes to the overall achievement of Canada's foreign policy goals, by projecting Canadian cultural and intellectual excellence internationally.

Toronto Dance Theatre was founded in 1968 to produce and develop original Canadian dance work. Now celebrating its 20th Anniversary, the company is firmly established and enjoys an outstanding international reputation.

In keeping with the Department's policy of working with local, provincial and private organizations, this tour is funded in partnership with the Ministry of Culture and Communications, Province of Ontario.

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