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CANADIAN MINISTER FOR INTERNATIONAL TRADE VISITS ASIA-PACIFIC

The Minister for International Trade, the Honourable James Kelleher, will visit Japan, Korea and China, May 27-June 6, 1986.

Minister Kelleher's visit will focus on Canada's trade and investment objectives in Asia-Pacific as outlined in Canada's National Trade Strategy, and will build upon the Prime Minister's recent highly successful visit to this region.

The Minister's visits to Japan and China will highlight the recent establishment of Canadian Consulates General in Osaka (Japan) and Shanghai (China) as major Canadian trade initiatives. While there, he will be promoting technology transfer and investment missions, Canadian participation in infrastructure projects, and improved market research on Japanese and Chinese market opportunities during his meetings with key Japanese and Chinese government and private sector representatives.

While in Japan, Minister Kelleher will pursue opportunities for increased public and private sector economic, development and commercial co-operation between Canada and the industrial sectors of Japan.

In China, he will lend support to Canadian private sector efforts in pursuit of specific projects and commercial opportunities there.

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