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MINISTER PETERSON TO MEET WITH MINISTER RACHID OF PARAGUAY

International Trade Minister Jim Peterson will meet with the Paraguayan Foreign Affairs Minister and current *Pro Tempore* Chair of Mercosur [Brazil, Argentina, Paraguay and Uruguay], Leila Rachid de Cowles, on February 7.

At their meeting, Minister Peterson and Minister Rachid will initiate a trade and investment dialogue between Canada and Mercosur in the context of the Free Trade Area of the Americas (FTAA).

Event: Photo opportunity (open coverage)
Date: Monday, February 7, 2005
Time: 1:00 p.m.
Location: Colonel By Room, 4th Floor
Government Conference Centre
2 Rideau Street
Ottawa, Ontario

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