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MINISTER FOR INTERNATIONAL TRADE ANNOUNCES THE FORMATION OF THE SECTORAL ADVISORY GROUPS AND INTERNATIONAL TRADE (SAGIT)

The Minister for International Trade,

James Kelleher, announced today the formation of 14

Sectoral Advisory Groups on International Trade (SAGIT).

The SAGIT will complement the work of the International

Trade Advisory Committee (ITAC), chaired by Mr. Walter

Light, which Mr. Kelleher announced on January 9. The

first meeting of ITAC took place in Ottawa, on January 21.

In announcing the SAGIT, Mr. Kelleher said,
"These groups will be extremely important to the
government in providing a sectoral viewpoint on all trade
matters and in particular on upcoming trade

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