REPORT 4B 87/10/28 QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF EXPORT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FISCAL YEAR 87

FORECAST OF KEY ACTIVITIES AND ANTICIPATED RESULTS STATED IN MISSION'S ANNUAL PLAN

TRACKING:

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

POST : 436-DUBLIN

IRELAND

QUARTER: 1

OO8-TRANSPORT SYS, EQUIP, COMP, SERV.

ONGOING FOLLOW-UP WITH GPA, AER LINGUS AND
RYANAIR RE THEIR INTEREST IN DASH 7 & 8. LIAISON
WITH GPA & AER LINGUS RE POSSIBLE PURCHASE B737/
300 AS WELL AS ONE FOKKER 100 FLIGHT SIMULATORS

(AND OTHER AEROSPACE PRODUCTS).

015-CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY
FOLLOW UP ON CANADIAN PROPOSAL TO CONSTRUCT
POUND 200 M TRANSPORTATION COMPLEX IN DUBLIN.
LIAISON WITH AER RIANTA RE RUNWAY EXPANSION AT
DUBLIN AIRPORT.

OO1-AGRI % FOOD PRODUCTS % SERVICE ENCOURAGE CANADIAN INDUSTRY TO CONSIDER TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER (DAIRY, MEAT AND FISH PRODUCTS) WITH IRISH INDUSTRY.

005-COMM. & INFORM. EQP. & SERV
USE OF CANADIAN TECHNOLOGY IN IRISH CABLE
TELEVISION AND REMOTE SENSING SECTORS. IRISH
CANADIAN CO-OPERATION FOR EUREKA PROJECTS.

GPA IS CLOSE TO DECISION TO PURCHASE 25 DASH 8
SUBJECT TO ACCEPTABLE FINANCIAL PACKAGE. GPA HAS
BOUGHT SECOND HAND CANADAIR CHALLENGER FOR
CHAIRMAN'S USE. GPA/FSI AND GPA/AER LINGUS
CONSORTIA SEEKING QUOTES FOR 2 CAE SIMULATORS.

AS A RESULT OF CHANGE OF GOVERNMENT IN IRELAND, PROJECT HAS NOW LOW PRIORITY. FOLLOW UP BY CANADIAN CONSORTIA MAY BE WARRANTED. CONTRACT AWARDED TO IRISH/BRITISH JOINT VENTURE.

DESPITE POST EFFORTS, THE LEVEL OF INTEREST ON PART OF CANADIAN FIRMS HAS BEEN DISAPPOINTING. IRISH FIRMS ARE SERIOUSLY INTERESTED. CANADIAN BEER AND WINE NOW BEING MARKETED IN IRELAND.

IRISH DOC PROVIDED INTR. TO MMDS TECHNOLOGY.
MACDONALD DETTWILER CONTINUE FOLLOW UP WITH
IRISH AUTHORITIES. CDN WESTINGHOUSE INTEREST IN
JOINTLY DEVELOPING CERAMIC COATING OF GAS TURBINE BLADES WITH SIFCO UNDER EUREKA 33.