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MR. KELLEHER VISITS MALAYSIA

KUALA LUMPUR, MALAYSIA--Mr. Kelleher, the Minister for International Trade, today ended a two-day visit to Malaysia. He announced the approval of a US \$10 million EDC supplier credit, the approval of CIDA funding for a palm oil mill feasibility study, the opening of a Bell Canada International office in Malaysia, a Conference on Malaysia to take place in Ottawa later this year, and the participation of a Canadian Company (CEGIR) in the development of small-scale enterprises in Malaysia.

Mr. Kelleher witnessed the signing of a US \$10 million supplier credit protocol between the Export Development Corporation and Malayan Banking Berhad of Malaysia. The protocol will support the sale of Canadian capital goods and services to Malaysia.

Walsh Inc. of Montreal will receive nearly \$300,000 from the Canadian Government as a contribution to costs it will incur in carrying out a feasibility study on the construction of an experimental palm oil mill for the Palm Oil Research Institute of Malaysia.