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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

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PLANNING:

ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

ALL SUB-SECTORS

POST FOLLOWING UP WITH VISITORS FROM TELECOMS SECTOR WHO VISITED EXPO'86 UNDER CIDA SPONSORSHIP.

ONGOING FOLLOW-UP IN AREAS OF OPPORTUNITY AS IDENTIFIED IN 1986 CONSULTANT'S REPORT ON THAI TELECOMMUNICATIONS SECTOR.

OFFICIALS OF COMMUNICATIONS AUTHORITY OF THAILAND TO ATTEND ITU CONFERENCE IN VANCOUVER, JULY 1988. TOUR OF CANADIAN TELECOM INDUSTRY TO FOLLOW.

MONITOR PROGRESS OF 5TH AND 6TH PROJECTS OF TELEPHONE ORGANIZATION OF THAILAND. IDENTIFY OPPORTUNITIES ANS ASSESS LEVEL OF COMPETITION.

ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

INTRODUCTION OF NEW CANADIAN FIRMS AND TECHNOLOGIES TO THAI MARKET.

INTRODUCTION OF NEW CDN TECHNOLOGIES, PARTICULARLY TO STATE RAILWAY, ELECTRICITY GENERATING AUTHORITY, & MINISTRIES.

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COMPETITIVE BIDS SUBMITTED BY ESTABLISHED FIRMS.

TRACKING:

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

QUARTER: 1 ARRANGE RECEPTION FOR VISIT OF SINCLAI VOLK, MANAGER SPECTRUM MANAGEMENT, DOC OTTAWA.

QUARTER: 2 FULL DAY SEMINAR ON COMPUTER SOFTWARE TO THAI DATA PROCESSING COMMUNITY (AUGUST 15, 1987).

QUARTER: 3 ----

QUARTER: 4 ----

QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

NINE ATTENDED EVENT. INTELLIGENCE OBTAINED LED TO LNS'S PARTICIPATION IN TENDER FOR FREQUENCY MONITORING VAN.

ON SITE SALES MODEST BUT POSSIBILITIES OF AGENCY REPRESENTATION AND FURTHER MARKET PENETRATION VERY PROMISING.