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JUSTICE OFFICIAL VISITS WASHINGTON
IN CONNECTION WITH
CANADIAN PLAINTIFFS CASE AGAINST THE CIA

The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Right Honourable Joe Clark, announced today that in response to an invitation extended to him by the U.S. Secretary of State, Mr. Mark Jewett, Acting Assistant Deputy Minister (Public Law) of the Canadian Department of Justice, is visiting Washington on this date. Mr. Jewett will meet with U.S. Justice officials to be briefed on the facts of the Canadian plaintiffs case against the CIA as the U.S. sees them.

Prior to that meeting, Mr. Jewett will meet with Mr. Joe Rauh, the U.S. lawyer for the Canadian plaintiffs in the suit against the U.S. Government in the Washington District Court.

Mr. Jewett will report to Ministers on his return.