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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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009-FOREST PRODUCTS, EQUIP, SERVICES NETHERLANDS

PLANNING:

ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

PLACE STORIES & PHOTOS OF INNOVATIVE HOUSING PROJECTS WITH NETHS

ARCHITECTURE & BUILDERS MAGAZINES.

VISIT DO-IT-YOURSELF PRODUCTS IMPORTERS TO IDENTIFY POTENTIAL MARKET NICHES AND PROVIDE THEM WITH BROCHURES OF PRODUCTS FROM

CANADA.

ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

RAISE PROFILE OF TIMBER FRAME CONSTRUCTION. INCREASE NUMBER OF BUILDERS BELONGING TO

NETHS TEC ASSOCIATION.

INTRODUCE 3 OR 4 RELIABLE AGENTS OR IMPORTERS

TO CANADIAN FIRMS.

TRACKING:

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN GUARTER:

QUARTER: 1 -----

QUARTER: 2 -IN COOPERATION WITH BRUSSELS-BASED FOREST

PRODUCTS COUNSELLOR PROMOTE TIMBER FRAME HOUSING

QUARTER: 3 PLACE STORIES & PHOTOS OF INNOVATIVE HOUSING PROJECTS WITH NETHERLANDS ARCHITECTURE &

BUILDERS' MAGAZINES TO FOCUS ATTENTION ON TFC.

QUARTER: 4 ----

GUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

-PROPOSED TO DRIEDTT/IRPI THAT THEY FUND IN PART R-2000 HOME AT TFC DEMONSTRATION PROJECT

IN NETHERLANDS.

DECIDED TO FOCUS ON IMPORTANT TFC PROMOTION (MAY 88) & ENSURE CDN PRODUCTS WERE REPRESENTED. RESPONSE FROM CDA SO FAR IS ENCOURAGING.