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VISIT TO LONDON OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS -- July 7-9

The Secretary of State for External Affairs, Mark MacGuigan is visiting London July 7-9 to observe the one hundredth anniversary of the Canadian High Commission in the United Kingdom. He will give a centenary reception at Canada House on July 7, which will be attended by Her Majesty the Queen. While in London, Mark MacGuigan will hold discussions with Lord Carrington, Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs, and with Shridhath S. Ramphal, Secretary-General of the Commonwealth. His programme also includes meetings with Peter Shore, shadow Foreign Secretary, David Steele, leader of the British Liberal Party and John Silkin, chairman of the British Parliamentary Group for World Government. The SSEA has also been invited to address the Royal Institute of International Affairs on July 7 on the subject of "Dimensions of North/South Relations: a Canadian Perspective".