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The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Paul Martin, announced today that Canada will send the following delegates to the Eighth General Assembly of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History, to be held in the cities of Guatemala and Antigua, Guatemala, from June 25 to July 10, 1965.

Dr. W. E. van Steenburgh, (Chairman), Deputy Minister, Department of Mines & Technical Surveys.

Mr. S. G. Gamble, Director, Surveys and Mapping Branch, Department of Mines & Technical Surveys.

Mr. D. W. Fulford, First Secretary, The Canadian Embassy, Guatemala City.

Lt. Col. L. M. Sebert, Head, Survey Section, Directorate of Operational Services & Surveys, Department of National Defence.

Mr. Frederick John Thorpe, Chief Historian, National Museum of Canada.

Mr. T. J. Blachut, Photogrammetric Research, National Research Council.

Mr. N. G. Gray, Dominion Hydrographer.

Dr. C. H. Smith, Geological Survey of Canada.

The Pan American Institute of Geography and History is a specialized body of the Organization of American States. Its purpose is the encouragement of research and the exchange of information on the cartography, geography, geophysical sciences, and history of the New World. Canada became a full member of the Institute at its Seventh General Assembly held in Buenos Aircs in 1961.