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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1962.

His Excellency Nouredin Kia today presented his Letter of Credence as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Iran to Canada.

The ceremony took place at Government House at 11.00 a.m. The Chief of Protocol, Mr. Henry F. Davis, presented the Ambassador to His Excellency the Governor-General.

Mr. G.P. de T. Glazebrook, Assistant Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs, and Mr. Esmond Butler, Secretary to the Governor-General, were in attendance on the Governor-General on this occasion.

The Ambassador was accompanied by Mr. Hassan Handjani, First Secretary.

Mr. Nouredin Kia, a career Foreign Service Officer since 1940, has served in Palestine, Istanbul and at the United Nations in New York. Since 1958 he has been the Administrative Director-General of the Iranian Ministry of External Affairs.

He is married and has two children.