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MAXWELL COHEN  
SWORN IN AS CANADIAN JUDGE AD HOC  
ON GULF OF MAINE CHAMBER

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The Minister of Justice, the Honourable Jean Chrétien, and the Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Mark MacGuigan, announced today that Maxwell Cohen, former Dean of the Faculty of Law, McGill University and former Canadian Chairman of the International Joint Commission, was sworn in today at a ceremony in The Hague as judge ad hoc on a Chamber of the International Court of Justice. The Chamber was constituted to hear the dispute between Canada and the United States concerning the single maritime boundary in the Gulf of Maine area.

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