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Technology Inflow Program

Managed by DFAIT and delivered domestically by the National Research Council, this program is designed to help Canadian companies locate, acquire and adopt foreign technologies by promoting international collaboration. IC also helps in program promotion. The program officers respond to requests to identify technology sources and opportunities for cooperation between Canadian and foreign firms. The program will also help Canadian firms make exploratory visits abroad to identify and gain first-hand knowledge of relevant foreign technologies as well as to negotiate to acquire them.

For information call: (613) 993-3996

World Information Network for Exports

The World Information Networks for Exporters (WIN Exports) is a computer-based information system designed to help Canada's trade development officers abroad match foreign needs to Canadian capabilities, experience and interests of more than 30,000 Canadian exporters.

To register on WIN Exports, call: (613) 996-5701

Canadian Government Departments and Services in Canada

IC Regional Office

Industry Canada (IC) was created with a broad mandate to improve the competitiveness of Canadian industry. In the area of small business, it has been given specific responsibility to:

- develop, implement and promote national policies to foster the international competitiveness of Canadian industry; the enhancement of industrial, scientific and technological development and the improvement in the productivity and efficiency of industry;
- promote the mobility of goods, services and factors of production within Canada;
- develop and implement national policies to foster

entrepreneurship and the start-up, growth and expansion of small businesses;

- develop and implement national policies and programs respecting industrial benefits from procurement of goods and services by the government of Canada; and

- promote and provide support services for the marketing of Canadian goods, services and technology.

Construction Industries and Capital Projects

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The regional offices work directly with Canadian companies to promote industrial, scientific and technological development. They help clients recognize opportunities in a competitive international marketplace by providing services in the areas of business intelligence and information, technology and industrial development, and trade and market development. They also promote and manage a portfolio of programs and services.

The following are areas in which IC regional offices have special competence:

- access to trade and technology intelligence and expertise;
- entry points to national and international networks;
- industry sector knowledge base;
- co-location with International Trade Centres connected to DFAIT and Canadian posts abroad;
- client focus on emerging and threshold firms; and
- IC Business Intelligence