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EXTERNAL AFFAIRS GRANT SUPPORTS SUCCESSFUL TOUR

BY EDMONTON THEATRE COMPANY

The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Right Honourable Joe Clark, announced in Edmonton yesterday that the "Small Change Theatre", a young people's theatre company from Edmonton, is currently completing a successful tour of Singapore and Australia, with the help of a grant of \$19,000 from the Department of External Affairs. In line with the Department's policy of working with the Provinces, this tour is being funded in partnership with Alberta Culture, and the company is also generating a proportion of its revenue from box-office receipts.

This tour reflects the importance attached to Asian and Pacific Countries by the Department of External Affairs. The Australian portion of the tour is a part of Canada's contribution to the celebration of Australia's Bicentennial.

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