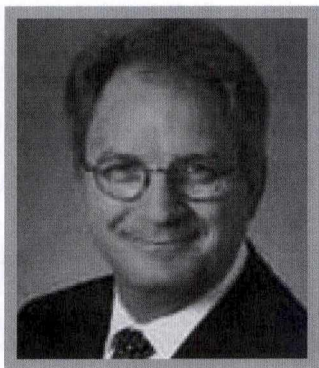




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Thanks to Canada's International Platform, we are well positioned to meet the Department's major priorities for the fiscal year 2010-2011. The strengthening of the International Platform for Canada's missions abroad will continue to play an essential role in the transformation program.

The Department has high quality staff made up of Canadians abroad and locally engaged staff. Our team allowed us once again to meet several major challenges throughout the world. We are proud of our Department's achievements which, over time, continue to evolve and adapt to the ever-changing realities of Canada and the international context.



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