PUBLICATIONS

U.S. Agents

Selecting and Using Manufacturers' Agents in the United States provides guidelines for the Canadian business manager who is considering entering the United States market by appointing a manufacturers' agent.

The chapters in the publication are organized to help prospective Canadian exporters answer three questions: What are your company's goals in the United States market? How can you locate a U.S. sales agent or agency appropriate for the needs of your manufacturing firm? How can you support the activities of your sales agent or agency after the contract is signed?

The publication (coded 1100UA in English) can be ordered from Info Export. See box at the bottom of this page.

Lobster Markets

Global Market Opportunities Review -Lobster is one of a series of publications produced by the International Marketing Bureau of External Affairs and International Trade Canada. These publications cover a wide range of product sectors and are part of an on-going programme to assist Canadian exporters to expand in new markets.

This particular study reviews the global market for lobster. It also offers an assessment of the Canadian lobster industry, examines its strengths and suggests a coordinated course of action for governments. The review includes, as well,

an assessment by Trade Commissioners in 49 offices abroad of market conditions and trends in their respective countries. So far, the publication has been widely distributed to companies; but if you have been missed, you may order your copy from InfoExport (see box at the bottom of this page), using the coding 145TA.

Business Newsletter

International Business Newsletter (IBM), a new 10-issues-peryear publication that focuses on Asia, the European Economic Community (EEC) and North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) markets is available through a Montreal-based company.

The publication is designed to provide Canadian entrepreneurs with up-to-date information and business leads/opportunities in these markets. The leads include specific contacts, sources, agents and distributors.

Further information is available from Berba & Associates Inc., 2300 Sherbrooke Street East, Suite 400, Montreal H2K 1E5. Tel.: (514) 528-8210. Fax: (514)528-8211.

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has been awarded to Proctor & Redfern International Limited. The Toronto-based company will conduct — in 10 major industrial buildings — plant safety studies and waste disposal audits for St. Lucia's National Development Corporation. The studies include atmospheric emissions and air quality audits, solid and hazardous waste management, liquid waste discharges, water quality, and occupational health and safety standards.

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