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## IEA MINISTERIAL MEETING - PARIS, MAY 21-22

The Department of External Affairs and the Department of Energy, Mines and Resources announce that at the Ministerial Meeting of the International Energy Agency (IEA) held in Paris on May 21-22 Canada joined with the other members of the IEA in adopting Principles for IEA Action on Coal, and in deciding on Procedures for Review of IEA Countries' Coal Policies.

.. Attached are texts of the Principles for IEA Action on Coal as well as of a Canadian statement of interpretation, which was tabled at the Ministerial Meeting.