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## QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF EXPORT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FISCAL YEAR 89 FORECAST OF KEY ACTIVITIES AND ANTICIPATED RESULTS STATED IN MISSION'S ANNUAL PLAN

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PLANNING:

ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

I.D. MOST SUITABLE LOCAL COMPANIES TO ACT AS AGENTS EXPAND SALES INCREASE NUMBER OF CON COMPANIES REPRESENTED AND THEREBY

CONTINUOUS MONITORING OF TELECOM MARKET TO ALERT CDN SUPPL. INCREASE CDN AWARENESS OF MARKET AS A LARGE AND POTENTIALLY

PROFITABLE ONE

UNDERTAKE STUDY OF FIBER OPTICS SECTOR TO ASSESS MARKET AREA DETERMINE APPROPRIATENESS OF FUTURE TRADE MISSION IN THIS

I.D. MOST APPROPRIATE LOCAL CO. CAPABLE OF ACTING AS AGENTS APPOINTMENT OF ADDITIONAL AGENTS AND THEREBY INCREASED SALES

MONITOR LOCAL MARKET TRENDS TO SOURCE ACTIVELY CDN SUPPLIERS CONNECTIONS INCREASE CDN AWARENESS OF MARKET AND ESTABLISH A FEW BUYING

I.D. SPECIALIZED TRADE MAGAZINES SUITABLE TO INTRO. NEW PROD INCREASE ITALIAN AWARENESS OF CDN SUPPLIERS AND EXPAND SALES

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TRACKING:

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

QUARTER: 1 a) Visit specialized trade fairs to evaluate and gather info for Cdn industry.

- b) Preparatory activities for Cdn participation
- c) Assist cdn coys locating agents/distributors.

QUARTER: 2 -----

QUARTER: 3 -----

QUARTER: 4 -----

QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

- a) Visited BIAS, INTEL & SCANITALIA sectoral fairs.Contacts established.
- b) Major elements re cdn booth established. Recruitment of Cdn coys continues.
- c) Three distribs. selected.Agreements underway.