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TECHNICAL BRIEFING ON AFGHANISTAN

On Wednesday, February 6, 2008, government officials will hold a technical briefing to provide an update on Canada's activities in Afghanistan.

In keeping with International Development Week, today's briefing will focus on Canada's development work in Afghanistan. The Honourable Beverley J. Oda, Minister of International Cooperation, will provide an on-the-record general overview of Canadian activities, make an announcement, and take media questions.

This will be followed by a presentation by a senior Canadian International Development Agency official (not for cameras; attribution to senior government official). Representatives from the Department of National Defence and Foreign Affairs and International Trade Canada will also be present during the briefing.

Event: Technical briefing (open to media only)
Date: February 6, 2008
Time: 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.
Location: Auditorium
Library and Archives Canada
395 Wellington Street (at Bay)
Ottawa, Ontario

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