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## 1988 ECONOMIC SUMMIT VENUE ANNOUNCED

Ambassador J.A. Doucet, Chairman of the International Summits Committee, announced today that the venue for the 1988 Economic Summit is the Metro Toronto Convention Centre in downtown Toronto.

"The facilities of the Metro Toronto Convention Centre are so inclusive that we are able to accommodate the meetings, delegation offices, and all of the media services under one roof," Dr. Doucet explained. "This consideration, combined with the convenience of a downtown Toronto location and the quality of the facilities, was a major factor in our decision," he stated.

He also indicated that a cooperative working arrangement has been established with the Province of Ontario, the Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto and the City of Toronto to ensure the organizational success of the Summit. The Economic Summit will be held from June 19-21, 1988.

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