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THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS TODAY ANNOUNCED THE FOLLOWING APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS IN THE CANADIAN DIPLOMATIC SERVICE:

MR. HERBERT O. MORAN, AT PRESENT CANADIAN AMBASSADOR TO TURKEY,
HAS BEEN APPOINTED TO SUCCEED MR. MORLEY SCOTT AS HIGH COMMISSIONER
FOR CANADA IN PAKISTAN. MR. MORAN WILL BE ARRIVING IN KARACHI IN
THE SUMMER. MR. SCOTT WILL TAKE UP DUTIES IN CANADA.

MR. E.D. MCGREER, AT PRESENT CHIEF OF PROTOCOL IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, HAS BEEN APPOINTED AS AMBASSADOR TO GREECE AND ISRAEL, TO SUCCEED MR. T.W.L. MACDERMOT, WHOSE APPOINTMENT AS HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR CANADA IN AUSTRALIA WAS ANNOUNCED EARLIER. MR. MCGREER WILL TAKE UP HIS NEW DUTIES IN ATHENS IN THE SUMMER.

MR. EDMOND TURCOTTE, WHO HAS BEEN ON LOAN FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS AS ONE OF THE THREE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE ROYAL COMMISSION ON BROADCASTING, HAS BEEN APPOINTED CANADIAN AMBASSADOR TO SWITZERLAND, TO REPLACE MR. G.L. MAGANN, WHO IS RETIRING. MR. TURCOTTE WILL TAKE UP HIS NEW DUTIES IN THE LATTER PART OF MAY.

MR. G.A. NEWMAN HAS BEEN APPOINTED CONSUL GENERAL OF CANADA IN CHICAGO, TO BE EFFECTIVE AT THE BEGINNING OF JUNE. HE IS NOW DEPUTY CONSUL GENERAL IN CHICAGO. MR. NEWMAN REPLACES MR. F.H. PALMER, M.C., WHO IS RETIRING.

MR. FULGENCE CHARPENTIER, WHO HAS RECENTLY BEEN CHARGE D'AFFAIRES IN RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL, HAS BEEN NAMED CHARGE D'AFFAIRES IN FORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI. HE WILL REPLACE MR. E.R. BELLEMARE, WHO IS RETURNING TO OTTAWA. MR. CHARPENTIER WILL TAKE UP HIS NEW POST IN MAY.