The Acting Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Charles Drury, announced today that Canada will be represented at the second 1970 Heeting of the Conference of Hinisters of Education of French-speaking countries of Africa and Hadagascar, which will take place in Paris from April 6-10. The Canadian delegation will include representatives of Quebec, New Brunswick, Ontario and Hanitoba as well as federal government advisers.

The delegation will be headed by Mr. Yves Martin, Quebec Deputy Minister of Education. The Vice-President will be Mr. Armand Saintonge, New Brunswick Deputy Minister of Education. The following is the official list of the delegation:

DELEGATION OF CANADA

Quebec

Mr. Yves Martin, Deputy Minister of Education, President of the delegation

Mr. Jean-Marie Lepage, Director, Cooperation Section, Department of Education

Mr. Florian Rompré, Education Attaché, Quebec Délégation générale, Paris

Mr. Jean Tardif, Director, African Section, Department of Intergovernmental Affairs

Mr. Michel Chaloult, Adviser, International Relations Section, Department of Intergovernmental Affairs

New Brunswick

Ir. Armand Saintonge, Deputy Minister of Education, Vice-President of the Delegation

Ontario

Hr. Hark Larratt-Smith, Executive Officer, Prime Hinister's Office

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Mr. Gérald Backeland, Administrative Secretary, Dominion-Provincial-Cultural Relations Secretariat

Advisers from the Federal Administration Mr. Henri Gaudefroy, Director-General, Liaison and Evaluation, Canadian International Development Agency