Mr. Stanley E. Gooch (42), born in McLennan, Alberta, as Ambassador to Costa Rica with concurrent accreditation to El Salvador, Nicaragua and Panama.

Mr. Gooch [B.A., University of Alberta, 1964; M.A., University of Alberta, 1966] joined the Department of External Affairs in 1966. He has served abroad in Buenos Aires, Belgrade and as Counsellor in Vienna as well as Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations Office in Vienna. In Ottawa, from 1977 to 1978, he was Deputy Director, Latin America. Since 1983, he has been Director, United States Transboundary Division. Mr. Gooch replaces Mr. F.M. Filleul who is returning to Ottawa.

Mr. James G. Harris (57), born in Sandwich, Ontario, as High Commissioner to India with concurrent accreditation as Ambassador to Nepal.

Mr. Harris [B.A. (Honours), University of Toronto, 1951; M.A., University of Toronto, 1952] joined the Department of External Affairs in 1954. He has served abroad in Canberra, Colombo, Paris [North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)], Brussels (NATO), Washington, and as Minister-Counsellor in Moscow. In 1974, he was Director, NATO Ministerial Task Force; from 1974 to 1975, Chairman, Central Staff; from 1977 to 1979, Director General, Development, Industry and Science Relations; and from 1979 to 1983, he was Ambassador to Yugoslavia with concurrent accreditation to Bulgaria. Since 1983, he has been Assistant Deputy Minister, Personnel. Mr. Harris replaces Mr. W.T. Warden who is returning to Canada.