

JOINT COMMUNIQUE ON THE OCCASION OF THE VISIT  
OF PRESIDENT CEAUCESCU OF ROMANIA

At the invitation of the Governor General of Canada, Mme. Jeanne Sauvé, and of the Government of Canada, the President of the Socialist Republic of Romania, Mr. Nicolae Ceausescu, and Madame Elena Ceausescu, paid an official visit to Canada from April 14 to 17, 1985.

Besides Ottawa, the Romanian party also visited Montreal.

The President of the Socialist Republic of Romania and the Prime Minister of Canada held official talks to strengthen and develop the relations between their two countries, as well as on international issues of mutual interest. The talks were conducted in a cordial atmosphere of esteem and mutual understanding.

The President of Romania and the Prime Minister of Canada were gratified to note the favourable evolution of Romanian-Canadian relations during recent years, based on equal rights, respect for independence and national sovereignty, non-intervention in internal affairs, refraining from the threat or use of force, and mutual advantage. They noted with satisfaction the continued exchange of visits, the development of economic, technical and scientific exchanges, and the intensification of bilateral consultations at all levels.