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VISIT TO CANADA OF URUGUAYAN FOREIGN MINISTER ENRIQUE IGLESIAS

The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Right Honourable Joe Clark, announced a brief working visit to Ottawa today of Enrique Iglesias, Foreign Minister of Uruguay, and Chairman of the Trade Negotiations Committee of the Uruguay Round of Multilateral Trade Negotiations. Minister Iglesias met with the Honourable Pat Carney to discuss current issues in the multilateral trade negotiations and later in the day with officials to review regional issues, including the search for peace in Central America.

Mr. Iglesias is a candidate for President of the Inter-American Development Bank. Mr. Clark gave his strong support to the candidacy of Mr. Iglesias, expressing the hope that a reform of the operations of the Bank would make it a more effective force for development in the region.

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