



*"I have read with interest the documents prepared by the Canadian Centre for Foreign Policy Development. CIDA is extremely interested in Asia-Pacific issues and I am certain the same can be said about the results of the National Forum. I would like to congratulate the Centre for its excellent work. I thank you for the opportunity to discuss these issues of fundamental importance with you, and I look forward to your views in the next few months".*

The Honourable Diane Marleau, Minister for International Cooperation and La Francophonie

## GLOSSARY

APEC	Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation
ARF	ASEAN (Association of South East Asian Nations) Regional Forum
CCG	Canadian Coast Guard
CIDA	Canadian International Development Agency
CSCAP	Conference on Security and Cooperation in the Asia-Pacific
DFAIT	Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade
DFO	Department of Fisheries and Oceans
DND	Department of National Defence
ILO	International Labour organization
NAFTA	North American Free Trade Agreement
NGO	Non-government Organization
OECD	Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
PECC	Pacific Economic Cooperation Council
RCI	Radio Canada International
Track I	Official diplomacy (Governments)
Track II	Non-official institutional diplomacy (Universities, NGOs)
Track III	Civil society diplomacy (Citizens)
UN	United Nations
UNHCR	United Nations High Commission on Refugees

*"Foreign Policy consultation is important. I think we're finally getting it right. The 1996 Forum is far more a national Forum than the ones we've had in the past".*

John English, Former M.P. and Chair of the House of Commons Sub-committee on Human Rights, and professor of history at the University of Waterloo.

*"This is the best policy event I've ever attended. This type of National Forum is a good idea. It draws in far more, and more diversified people and ideas".*

Stephanie Reford, Reford-McCandless on the 1996 National Forum