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The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Paul Martin, has announced that an Agreement between the Governments of Canada and Spain for co-operation in the peaceful uses of atomic energy was signed in Ottawa today, September 8. Mr. Martin signed for Canada and the Spanish Ambassador, His Excellency Francisco Javier Conde, signed for Spain. The Agreement is to be ratified and will come into force upon the exchange of instruments of ratification.

This Agreement provides the framework for co-operation in a variety of forms including the exchange of information, the supply of equipment and materials, and access to and use of facilities.

This Agreement is similar to eight others so far signed by Canada. Such Agreements for co-operation on a bilateral basis are consistent with membership in and support of the International Atomic Energy Agency, to which both Canada and Spain belong.