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The Department of External Affairs announced today the appointment of Mr. Charles Pierre Hébert, Canadian Ambassador to Mexico, as Special Ambassador for the inauguration of the new President of Mexico, His Excellency Adolfo Ruiz Cortinez, who will succeed President Miguel Aleman Valdés. The ceremonies will take place in Mexico City from November 28 to December 3.

In addition to Mr. Hébert the Canadian Special Mission will comprise Messrs M.T. Stewart and A.C. Anderson with the rank of Counsellor, and Messrs S.G. Tregaske and A.E. Blanchette with the rank of First Secretary for the occasion. All of these officers are at present members of the Canadian Embassy in Mexico.

The Ambassador will transmit to the new President a message from the Prime Minister extending his congratulations and best wishes to the Government and people of Mexico.