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QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF EXPORT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FISCAL YEAR 87 FORECAST OF KEY ACTIVITIES AND ANTICIPATED RESULTS STATED IN MISSION'S ANNUAL PLAN

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POST : 415-HAGUE, THE

007-POWER & ENERGY EQUIP. & SERV. NETHERLANDS

PLANNING:

ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

NUCLEAR

WORK WITH AECL OFFICE IN THE HAGUE TO INFLUENCE GVT IN THE SELECTION OF BIDDERS FOR THEIR TWO 900 MWE NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS.

INCLUSION OF AECL ON THE FINAL BIDDERY LIST.

TRACKING:

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

QUARTER: 1 NETHERLAND ENVIRRONMENT AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS MI-

NISTER TO CANADA RE CANDU

QUARTER: 2 MAINTAIN CONTACTS WITH DECISION-MAKERS IN

MINISTRY OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS, ENERGY & ENVIRON-MENTAL RESEARCH INSTITUTES & WITH AECL REP IN HAGUE IN ORDER TO KEEP ABREAST OF NUCLEAR ENERGY

DEBATE & PROMOTE CANDU POWER SYSTEM.

QUARTER: 3

QUARTER: 4 ----

QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

ENVIRONMENT MINISTER VISIT NOW SCHEDULED FOR SEPTEMBER. NUCLEAR PROGRAM ON HOLD; DECISION DELAYED FOR UP TO ONE YEAR.

-REPORTED ON NUCLEAR POWER DEBATE. -ORGANIZED DUTCH NUCLEAR POWER FACT FINDING MISSION TO CDA (PLANNED FOR LATE OCT). -ASSISTED IN ORGANIZING VISIT TO CDA OF DUTCH MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT FOR TALKS ON NUCLEAR ISSUES.

FINALIZED, REPORTED & INITIATED FOLLOW UP TO DUTCH NUCLEAR FACT-FINDING MISSION TO CDA. MISSION RESULTED IN DUTCH AGREEMENT TO INVITE CDN PROPOSALS IF & WHEN DUTCH DECIDE TO PROCEED WITH NUCLEAR PROGRAM.