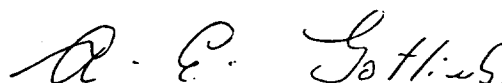


The Honourable Mark MacGuigan
Secretary of State
for External Affairs

I have the honour to submit for your consideration the annual review of the department.

In accordance with the provisions of the Department of External Affairs Act, this report deals with our activities during the calendar year 1980.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "A. E. Gattuso".

Under-Secretary of State
for External Affairs

Ottawa, 1981