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## DONALD MACDONALD TO LEAD EGOSOC DELEGATION

The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Paul Martin, today announced that Mr. Donald S. Macdonald M.P., Parliamentary Secretary to the Secretary of State for External Affairs, will lead the Canadian Delegation to the 41st Session of the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations, which will meet in Geneva from July 5 to August 5, 1966. The alternate delegates will be Mr. Jean-Louis Delisle, Canadian Ambassador to Turkey and Mr. J.O. Parry, Deputy Head of United Nations Division, Department of External Affairs.

The Delegation will also include advisors from the Department of External Affairs.

The Economic and Social Council is responsible for coordinating the activities of the United Nations and its affiliated agencies in the fields of economic, social and human rights. The forthcoming session will be the Council's major meeting this year and will examine the annual reports of the Specialized Agencies and the Regional Economic Commissions of the United Nations as well as many other aspects of economic and social development. It is expected that, in dealing with the varied agenda before it, the