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number of technologies and sectors, as well as an exhibition featuring more than 100 exhibitors showcasing innovative products and services for energy usage in both the industrial and commercial sectors.

TOKYO, JAPAN — May 15-17, 2002 — International Food Ingredients and Additives Exhibition —October 9-11, 2002 — Health Ingredients Japan — Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada and the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade are organizing Canadian participation in these two events, which are the major shows in these sectors in Japan with over 500 exhibitors between them. Japan is the third largest food ingredient market in the world, and one of the most developed markets for bioactive ingredients, functional foods, and nutraceuticals.

STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN — May 16-17, 2002 — Canadian Wireless Companies Mission-CSBA Day, Held each spring, the Canadian Swedish Business Association (CSBA) annual conference brings together over 150 business people for information sessions on issues of interest to Canadian/Swedish business watchers. The 2002 theme is "Understanding the Wireless Universe." For more info: www.csba.a.se

LONDON, U.K. — May 21-23, 2002 — **London International Wine Trade**

Fair is recognized as the U.K.'s most important trade event for the wine and spirit industry. The 2001 show had representation from 33 wineproducing countries and attracted a large number of international visitors, reinforcing the show's status as a global tasting arena for buyers.

SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA — May 28-30, 2002 — CeBIT Australia is Australia's premier information and communications technologies (ICT) exhibition and conference, Based on CeBIT Hannover, CeBIT Australia is expected to draw more than 12,000 visitors including decision makers involved in specifying, recommending or approving the purchase of ICT.

MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA — June 2-5, 2002 - Following the success of the 2001 show, held in Sydney, Canadian exporters will be able to participate in Interbuild Australia 2002, Australia's largest building exhibition, which showcases the latest in building products and technology for residential, commercial and industrial construction.

HONG KONG — June 11-14, 2002 -The 10th Asian International Electrical, Electronic Engineering, Lighting Technology, Ventilation and Heating, and Refrigeration Show, Asian Elenex 2002, is the region's leading international electrical engineering show,

and highlights all aspects of building and infrastructure projects. This year the show's focus will be on automation.

The 7th Asian International Security, Safety and Fire Protection Show and Conference, Asian Securitex 2002, will be held in conjunction with Asian Elenex. It is the region's leading international security show, and links the latest high-tech electronics with the newest developments in building-related technologies. In the wake of September 11, the interest should be even stronger.

ALGIERS, ALGERIA — June 13-24, 2002 — The 35th Algiers International Fair (FIA) will offer Canadian companies opportunities to enter the Algerian market. (Algeria is Canada's largest trading partner in the Middle East and North Africa.) An internationally renowned multisectoral exhibition, the 2001 show featured 1,500 exhibitors and attracted more than 500,000 visitors.

FARMVILLE, VIRGINIA — June 22-23, 2002 — The 2002 Arts Business Institute retreat will be held in conjunction with the American Craft Council's Southeast Regional Conference. The objective is to help artists develop the specialized business skills necessary to run a successful business through discussions, workshops, and lectures led by arts and business professionals. For more info: www.americancraft.com or (410) 889-2933 ext. 224. *

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