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QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF EXPORT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FISCAL YEAR 88 FORECAST OF KEY ACTIVITIES AND ANTICIPATED RESULTS STATED IN MISSION'S ANNUAL PLAN

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PLANNING: ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

ANALYZE TOTAL IMPORTS THIS SUBSECTOR INTERMS OF CANADIAN CAPABIL-ITY.

CONTACT POTENTIAL SUPPLIERS - ADVISE CURRENT MARKET VOLUME FOR THEIR PRODUCTS. SOLICIT INTEREST IN THIS MARKET. REQUEST CATALOG-UES, BROCHURES, VCR TAPES, OTHER MARKETING AIDS.

CONTACT HEAD BUYERS, POTENTIAL AGENTS/DISTRIBUTORS - IDENTIFY CANADIAN SOURCES FOR SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS. EVALUATE POTENTIAL REPS AND REPORT TO CANADIAN COMPANIES.

TRACKING: ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

- QUARTER: 1 SCHEDULE OF VISITS TO MAJOR IMPORTERS OF CAPITAL EQUIPMENT TO ASCERTAIN REQUIREMENTS FOR AND IN-TEREST IN CDN EQUIPMENT FINANCED BY DIRECT LOC FROM EDC.
- QUARTER: 2 Formulate proposal for outgoing capital equipment mission, tentatively FY 89/90.
- QUARTER: 3 Determine potential for exports of capital equipment arising from recently approved EDC LOC's.
- QUARTER: 4 Promote EDC financing to purchasing managers of the two major industrial concerns.

ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

ESTABLISHED PRODUCT/SUPPLIER LIST.

BASIS FOR IN-DEPTH MARKET PROMOTIONAL ACTIVITY.

GREATER AWARENESS OF CANADIAN POTENTIAL NEW TRADE LINKS.

QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

VISITED (AND REPORTED) ISRAEL CHEMICALS, PETRO-CHEM ENTERPRISES, OIL REFINERIES LTD., AND ISRAEL AMERICAN PAPER MILLS.

Determined requirement of major investment projects and reported.

Meetings held with purchasing organization to promote use of LOC's; identification of requirements for equipment.

Meetings have been held with Israel Chemicals Industries subsidiaries. Requirements for material handling equipment have been identified.

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