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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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POST :521-ISLAMABAD

003-GRAINS AND OILSEEDS PAKISTAN

PLANNING: ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

OILSEEDS

NEGOTIATION OF (A) ADDITIONAL AFGHAN RELIEF AID AND (B) NEW OBTAIN ACCEPTANCE IN THE LOCAL MARKET FOR BILATERAL FOOD AID FOCUSSED UPON CANOLA OIL BY CIDA.

FOLLOW-UP WITH LOCAL AGENTS, EDIBLE OIL AND GHEE MILLS AND GHEE CORPORATION OF PAKISTAN.

ORGANIZE A PAKISTANI EDIBLE OIL MISSION TO CANADA.

PREPARATION OF ANNUAL SURVEY OF WHEAT, COARSE GRAINS AND OILSEEDS PROVIDE BASIC MARKET INFORMATION TO TGO FOR MARKETS.

TRACKING: ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

QUARTER: 1 NEW BILATERAL FOOD AID FOCUSSED ON CANOLA OIL BY CIDA TO OBTAIN ACCEPTANCE IN LOCAL MARKET FOR CANOLA OIL.

QUARTER: 2 -----CONTRACT DT OT STORTAND MATERIAN ANALING

QUARTER: 3 Preparation of Annual Survey of Wheat, Coarse Grains and Oilseeds Market.

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ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

CANOLA OIL.

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DISSEMINATION TO INDUSTRY.

QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

CIDA & GOVT OF PAKISTAN AGREED IN PRINCIPLE TO PROVIDE \$35 MIL CANOLA OIL TO THE LATTER OVER A PERIOD OF 5 YEARS. WILL MONITOR TO ENSURE THAT IT LEADS TO DEVELOPMENT OF LOCAL MARKET FOR CANADIAN CANOLA OIL.

> Survey was completed and submitted to TGP and Canadian Wheat Board.

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