

REPORT 4
89/10/10

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

POST :656-PORT-OF-SPAIN

002-FISHERIES,SEA PRODUCTS & SERV.
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

PLANNING: ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN: ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

TRACKING: ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER: QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

QUARTER: 1 KEEP LOCAL FISH IMPORTERS INFORMED OF CANADIAN
SUPPLY POSITION.

HAVE BEEN IN TOUCH WITH MOST IMPORTERS WHO CONTINUE TO BUY FISH SUPPLIES;HOWEVER,T&T GOVT.HAS INCLUDED THIS ITEM ON NEGATIVE LIST. CANADIAN COMPANIES MADE AWARE OF THIS SITUATION.

QUARTER: 2 Keep local fish importers informed of Canada's
supply position.

Importers advised that with import licence requirement and shortage of foreign currency, volume for 1988 decreasing;Canadian trade informed.

QUARTER: 3 Monitor local fish importers on supply position.

Importers indicated that shortage of foreign currency continue to plague the entire market. However, expect to see improved foreign currency supply in 1989.

QUARTER: 4 - Meet with local fish importers and discuss
current supply position.

-Trinidad & Tobago Government has issued foreign currency allocations to importers who did not see any improvement in the present import position.