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The Secretary of State for External Affairs
the Honourable Howard Green, announced today the
composition of the Canadian Delegation to the Ministerial
Meeting of the North Atlantic Council which will open
on December 15.

Canada will be represented by the Secretary

The Minister of State for External Affairs, Mr. Green, the Minister

of Finance, the Honourable D. M. Fleming, and the

Minister of National Defence, the Honourable G. R.

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Pearkes, V.C. They will be assisted by Mr. N. A.

(Robertson, Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs,
the Honourable G. A. Drew, High Commissioner for Canada

to the United Kingdom, Mr. Jules Léger, Permanent

Mr. D. Jalus Department

Representative of Canada to the North Atlantic Council, Mr. Jules Leger, General C. Foulkes, Chairman, Chiefs of Staff,

Mr. A. F. W. Plumptre, Assistant Deputy Minister of

Finance, General C. Foulkes, Chairman, Chiefs of Staff,
and officials of the Departments of External Affairs

and National Defence, and of the Permanent Delegation
in Paris.

The Council's meeting will consist of two
sessions. (The first one will be from December 15 to 17.

The Council will then adjourn and reconvene on December 22 following the Western Summit Meeting, which will be held on December 19.