

In remarks delivered at a luncheon in honour of United States Secretary of State, George Shultz, in Calgary on October 28, the Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Right Honourable Joe Clark, stated that Canada and the United States are "good neighbours" whose trade last year exceeded \$150 billion. He emphasized that "we want to begin discussions with the United States to secure and enhance market access for both our countries. A trade agreement with the United States could cause change. It represents a challenge. But Canadians and Westerners, in particular, have never shirked a challenge."