

Celebrating Excellence in Exporting Minister Marchi Presentsent 1998 Canada Export Awards

On October 5, 1998, Minister for International Trade Sergio Marchi presented the 1998 Canada Export Awards to 10 Canadian companies at a special ceremony in Calgary, Alberta, held in conjunction with the third annual convention of the Alliance of Manufacturers & Exporters Canada.

Presented by the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade, the Canada Export Awards honour Canadian companies that have excelled in exporting their products and services to countries around the world. Under the theme Partners in Trade, Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (CIBC), Export Development Corporation (EDC), Teleglobe Communication Services Inc. and Maclean Hunter Publishing Limited are official sponsors of the Awards.

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From left to right, seated: David Crouch, president, Northern Digital Inc.; Paul Jones, vice-president, Maclean Hunter Publishing Limited (sponsor); Paul Russo, chairman and CEO, Genesis Microchip Inc.; Joseph Margulies, vice-president and secretary treasurer, Canada Allied Diesel Co Ltd; Grant Stonehouse, president, Davis Strait Fisheries Limited; and Greg Peet, CEO, A.L.I. Technologies Inc.; standing: John Selwyn, president and CEO, CrossKeys Systems Corporation; Guy Lebuis, president, Vogue Pool Products; Robert Wilband, president and CEO, Prologic Corporation; Jim Perry, president, Global Thermoelectric Inc.; Sergio Marchi, Minister for International Trade; Richard Gendron, vice-president, business and sales, Teleglobe Communication Services Inc. (sponsor); John Bowden, executive

Team Canada Inc Celebrates First Anniversary

In a videoconference ceremony at the Alliance of Manufacturers & Exporters Canada convention, International Trade Minister Sergio Marchi joined forces with Industry Minister John Manley and Agriculture and Agri-Food Minister Lyle Vanclief to mark the first anniversary of Team Canada Inc, Canada's network of export service providers.

"Today we are celebrating one year of significant achievements in streamlining and strengthening the delivery of our trade and investment promotion services to the business community," said Minister Marchi.

During the videoconference, the three federal ministers signed a memorandum of understanding with the Alliance of Manufacturers & Exporters Canada to co-operate in the further enhancement of Team Canada Inc programs and services. vice-president, personal and commercial banking, CIBC (sponsor); Ian Gillespie, president and CEO, Export Development Corporation (sponsor); and David Shaw, president and CEO, Standard Aero.

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