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## ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERT IN GHANA

THE DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT MR. DONALD D. TANSLEY, HAS ACCEPTED AN ASSIGNMENT IN GHANA UNDER THE COMMONWEALTH TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMME. HE EXPECTS TO ARRIVE IN ACCRA ON JANUARY 29, AND WILL SPEND EIGHT WEEKS THERE.

MR. TANSLEY, WHO IS DIRECTOR OF THE PROVINCIAL BUDGET BUREAU OF SASKATCHEWAN, WILL ACT AS SPECIAL ADVISOR TO THE GOVERNMENT OF GHANA. HE WILL TAKE PART IN SETTING UP AND ORGANIZING THE INSTI-TUTE OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION WHICH IS TO BE MOVED TO ACCRA FROM KUMASI, WHERE IT WAS FORMERLY PART OF KUMASI COLLEGE. HE WILL ALSO ADVISE ON THE DRAWING UP OF THE INSTITUTES CURRICULUM.

MR. TANSLEY JOINED THE CIVIL SERVICE OF SASKATCHEWAN IN 1950. BEFORE ASSUMING HIS PRESENT POSITION IN 1957, HE WAS DIRECTOR OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE MANAGEMENT DIVISION OF THE BUDGET BUREAU, AND SERVED FOR ONE YEAR AS DEPUTY PROVINCIAL TREASURER.

BESIDES BEING AN ACTIVE MEMBER OF MANY COMMITTEES AND BOARDS DEALING WITH GOVERNMENT AND UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION, MR. TANSLEY (HAS FOR TWO YEARS BEEN VICE-PRESIDENT FOR SASKATCHEWAN OF THE INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION OF CANADA.