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QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF EXPORT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FISCAL YEAR 89 FORECAST OF KEY ACTIVITIES AND ANTICIPATED RESULTS STATED IN MISSION'S ANNUAL PLAN

POST :512-SINGAPORE

SECTOR :001-AGRI & FOOD PRODUCTS & SERVICE SINGAPORE

PLANNING: ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

STIMULATE IMPROVEMENT IN CON MARKET SHARE.

ALSO GAIN ACCESS TO INDIA MARKET.

SUB-SECTOR: SEEDS & SPECIAL CROPS

FOLLOW UP MKT OPPORT FROM CDN SOYBEAN BOARD MISSION & SEM. ENHANCE IMAGE OF RELIABILITY OF CANADIAN PRODUCTS &

DEVELOP A CLOSE RAPPORT W/MAJOR IMPORTERS & TRADING HOUSES IMPROVE ACCESS OF CANADIAN PRODUCTS TO LOCAL MARKET AND

Initiate market study on local industry

Pursue agency agreement

Undertake promotional activities

To inform & educate interested Cdn cos on local ind. condit.

To commit local cos to support & distribute Cdn products

To increase general awareness & mkt share of Cdn products

TRACKING: ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

QUARTER: 1 Canadian Food Promotional activities planned for Meridien Hotel and Jurong Country Club.

QUARTER: 2 Undertake market study on agrifood product sector. Prepared leads on Canadian livestock industry.

QUARTER: 3 Continued to develop closer links with key importers of seed, horticulture products and meat products.

QUARTER: 4 Continue to develop rapport with local importers and expand Canadian presence in region through increased exports and agency agreements. QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

New Canadian food products introduced in market. Numerous enquiries generated on Canadian food and beverage items.

> Study completed and distributed to relevant provincial governments and Canadian private sector. Resulted in sales of \$0.4 million worth of Canadian swine.

> Distributon rights assigned to fruit importers. Initial sale of C\$0.3m. Major soybean importers now sourcing mainly from Canada. Successful Cdn beef promotion in local restaurant chain with sales to date of 9.5 tons.

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