Appendix 9

Sources of Information About Agents by Industry Sector

Please note: The following list of contacts represents a sampling of hundreds of sectoral associations of sales agents located throughout the United States. External Affairs and International Trade Canada does not accept responsibility for recent changes to the listings as they appear here, or for the type of information which these associations offer. The Commercial Divisions of Canadian Consulates can provide additional contacts to Canadian companies which are committed to exporting. It is recommended that new exporters contact these offices first for advice and names of agents.

Agricultural Machinery

Agricultural and Industrial Manufacturers' Representatives Association (AIMRA) 5818 Reed's Road Mission, Kansas 66202 USA Tel.: (913) 262-4511 Fax: (913) 262-0174

Farm Equipment Wholesalers Association 1927 Keokuk Street Iowa City, Iowa 52240 USA Tel.: (319) 354-5156 Fax: (319) 354-5157

Apparel

Billings Market Association P.O. Box 80145 Billings, Montana 59108 USA Tel.: (406) 652-6132

Bureau of Salesmen's National Associations (Apparel, Footwear, and Home Furnishings) 1819 Peachtree Rd., N.E., Suite 210 Atlanta, Georgia 30309-1854 USA Tel.: (404) 351-7355 Fax: (404) 728-1520

Bureau of Wholesale Sales Representatives 1819 Peachtree Rd., N.E., Suite 210 Atlanta, Georgia 30309-1854 USA Tel.: (404) 351-7355 Fax: (404) 352-5298 Central West Market Association Ladies'/Children's Apparel & Accessories 8944 H Street Omaha, Nebraska 68127 USA Tel.: (402) 339-6770 Fax: (402) 337-9285

Iowa Fashion Mart Ladies'/Children's Apparel & Accessories Des Moines, Iowa 50322 USA Tel.: (515) 277-0414

Iowa Men's Apparel Mart (Men's/Boys' Apparel & Accessories) Contact: Ms. Sharon Wilson 10925 Poppleton Avenue Omaha, Nebraska 68144 USA Tel.: (402) 397-7765

Midwest Ski Representatives Association Ski Clothing/Accessories/Equipment 833 Thomas Court N. Brooklyn Park, Minnesota 55444 USA Tel.: (612) 436-8723

N.W.S.A. Ladies'/Children's/Apparel/ Accessories 4052 Hyatt Merchandise Mart 1300 Nicollet Mall Minneapolis, Minnesota 55403 USA Tel.: (612) 333-5219