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DIPLOMATIC APPOINTMENTS

The Secretary of State for External Affairs, Mark MacGuigan, announces senior diplomatic appointments in the United States involving three Albertans:

Jim S. Nutt, 61, originally from Calgary, and currently Consul General in New York and Commissioner of Canada to Bermuda, is to serve on the Canadian Delegation to the 35th Session of the United Nations General Assembly with the rank of Special Ambassador. Subsequently, Mr. Nutt will take up the appointment as Consul General in Los Angeles. Mr. Nutt was educated in Calgary and Toronto where he graduated from the University of Toronto, Osgoode Hall Law School. He joined External Affairs in 1947 and has served abroad in Rio de Janeiro, Washington and as Consul General in San Francisco. Prior to his appointment as Consul General in New York, he served as Deputy Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs in Ottawa.

He will replace Raymond C. Anderson, formerly of Wetaskiwin, Alberta, whose next assignment will be announced later.

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Kenneth D. Taylor, 45, also originally from Calgary, to be Consul General in New York and concurrently Commissioner for Canada to Bermuda. Mr. Taylor (B.A. University of Toronto, M.B.A. University of California) joined the Department of Industry Trade and Commerce in June 1959 and served abroad in Guatemala, Detroit, Karachi and London. His last assignment was as Ambassador to Iran. He replaces Jim S. Nutt.

The appointments of Mr. Nutt and Mr. Taylor will take place towards the end of this year.