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## QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF EXPORT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FISCAL YEAR 87 FORECAST OF KEY ACTIVITIES AND ANTICIPATED RESULTS STATED IN MISSION'S ANNUAL PLAN

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POST : 602-CHICAGO

013-CONSUMER PRODUCTS UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

PLANNING:

ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

LEISURE PROD. TOOLS HARDWARE

DEVELOP MARKET DISTRIBUTOR GUIDEBOOK FOR SPECIFIC HARDWARE PROD.

DEVELOP MARKET DISTRIBUTOR GUIDEBOOK FOR SPECIFIC SPORTING GOODS PRODUCTS.

DEVELOP MARKET DISTRIBUTOR GUIDEBOOK FOR SPECIFIC HOUSEWARES

PRODUCTS.

TRACKING:

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

QUARTER: 1 REGISTER AGENTS & DISTRIBUTORS AT CDN PRODUCTS SHOWCASE AT NATIONAL HOUSEWEAR SHOW, APRIL 5-9,

QUARTER: 1 COMPILE BASIS INFORMATION ON WOOD HEAT INDUSTRY

OBTAINED AT TRADE SHOW IN ST. LOUIS.

QUARTER: 2 NATIONAL STAND AT INTERNATIONAL HARDWARE EXPO-

SITION SUPPORTED WITH NATIONAL ADVERTISING.

QUARTER: 3 NATIONAL SPORTING GOODS ASSOCIATION SHOW,

NATIONAL STAND, 25 COMPANIES.

QUARTER: 3 IIDEX, INCOMING BUYERS MISSION 11/87

QUARTER: 4 NATL STAND-HOUSEWARES SHOW-19 COYS PARTICIPATED.

NATL STAND-HOME CENTER SHOW-23 COYS PARTICIPATED INCOMING BUYERS MISSION TO TRNTO FURNITURE FAIR.

INCOMING BUYERS MISSION TO CDN. FESTIVAL OF

FASHION, TORONTO.

ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

7 NEW EXPORTERS WILL BECOME ESTABLISHED IN

MARKET

3 NEW EXPORTERS WILL BECOME ESTABLISHED IN

MARKET.

5 NEW EXPORTERS WILL BECOME ESTABLISHED IN

MARKET.

QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

25 NEW AGENTS REGISTRED AND IDENTIFIED FOR CONS-ULATE FILES. 3 INVESTMENT LEADS IDENTIFIED

\$15,000 ON SITE SALES.

REPORT COMPLETED AND BEING SEND TO 2 RELEVANT U. S. POSTS WHO WILL HOST WOOD HHEAT SHOWS IN NEXT

23 COMPANIES ATTENDED.

50 REPS REGISTERED.

2 INVESTMENT INQUIRIES IDENTIFIED.

USED AS VEHICLE TO PROMOTE CALGARY OLYMPICS-400 PEOPLE ATTENDED RECEPTION. REGISTERED 15

MANUFACTURERS' AGENTS.

RECRUITED & BUYERS; RESULTS NOT AVAILABLE YET;

QUESTIONNAIRES STILL BEING GATHERED.

15 AGENCY APPTS, PENDING-\$10,000 DN SITE SALES 25 AGENTS APPTS. PENDING-\$20,000 ON SITE SALES.

5 BUYERS ATTENDED-POTENTIAL FOR \$30,000 NEW SA-

LES. 37 BUYERS RECRUITED & ATTENDED. POTENTIAL

FOR \$10 MILLION NEW SALES.