

The general agreement envisages the development of specific sectoral arrangements in various fields of activity. This will enable both parties to determine the objectives and plans of action in each field, as well as the technical implications, implementation procedures, funding, and all other necessary administrative arrangements.

Last November, the Honourable Charles Lapointe and the Algerian Ambassador, His Excellency Salah Mohamed Dembri, signed a memorandum of understanding concerning the financing of exploratory missions, which will enable interested Canadian government departments to develop programmes of cooperation in their respective fields of responsibility, particularly agro-industry, telecommunications, energy, fisheries, construction, water resource engineering and other sectors of mutual interest for both countries.

His Excellency Abdelhak Brerhi and his delegation are on an official visit to Canada from February 14 to 18, 1983.