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QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF EXPORT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FISCAL YEAR 88 FORECAST OF KEY ACTIVITIES AND ANTICIPATED RESULTS STATED IN MISSION'S ANNUAL PLAN

POST :308-HARARE

009-FOREST PRODUCTS, EQUIP, SERVICES ZIMBABWE

PLANNING:

ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

ALL SUB-SECTORS

MAJOR PROJECT - PULP & PAPER PLANT STILL ACTIVELY BEING PURSUED. CONTRACT AWARDED TO CDN FIRM ONE CDN FIRM KLOECKNER STADLER HURTER ONE OF THREE COMPANIES SHORTLISTED.

A J SYMONS OF VANCOUVER CARRIED OUT TWO FORESTRY STUDIES TO DATE. TO MONITOR FURTHER OPPORTUNITIES.

INCREASED CDN SHARE OF MARKET

TRACKING:

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER: QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

QUARTER: 1 CANADIAN INVOLVEMENT IN ZIMBABWE PULP AND PAPER PROJECT.

QUARTER: 2 Canadian involvement in Zimbabwe pulp and paper

project.

QUARTER: 3 Canadian involvement in Zimbabwe pulp and paper

project.

QUARTER: 4 Canadian involvement in Zimbabwe Pulp and Paper Project

KSH OF MONTREAL SHORT LISTED. FINAL BIDS SUBMIT-TED IN JUNE. CONTINUED LIAISON.

KSH of Montreal short listed. Bids from short listed companies being studied. Key question appears to be financing.

Trade section invlvd in high level negotiations on behalf KSH of Mtl's submission.Bids from 3 short listed cos. Japanese have offered concessionery financing which will be considered by Zimbabwe Authorities in Feb. 89.

high level contacts maintained. Main competition from Japanese consortium which was approached by Zimb Gov to put together financial pkg. Cdn/ British partners will be requested in April/May to match Japanese financing proposals.