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DIPLOMATIC APPOINTMENTS

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The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Mitchell Sharp, has announced the following appointments, which will take effect during the course of the next few months.

Mr. Robert McDonald Adams, 44, of Ottawa, at present Assistant Deputy Minister (Immigration) in the Department of Manpower and Immigration, to be Consul General in San Francisco, California. He succeeds Mr. J.S. Nutt who is returning to Ottawa.

Mr. J. Alan Beesley, 45, of Victoria (B. C.), at present Director General of the Bureau of Legal Affairs, to be Ambassador to Austria, Permanent Representative to the United Nations Industrial Development Organization and Permanent Representative to the International Atomic Energy Agency. He succeeds Mr. N.F.H. Berlis who is returning to Ottawa.

Mr. Georges Henri Blouin, 52, of Montreal, at present Director General of the Bureau of Personnel, to be Ambassador to Spain. He succeeds Mr. J. E. G. Hardy who is returning to Ottawa.

Mr. Malcolm Norman Bow, 54, of Vancouver (B. C.), at present Director of the Latin American Division, to be Ambassador to Cuba. He succeeds Mr. K.C. Brown who is returning to Ottawa.

Mr. Frank B. Clark, 55, of Dryden (Ont.), formerly of the Trade Commissioner Service and now Chargé d'Affaires in Manila, to be Canada's first Ambassador to the Philippines.

Mr. Jean-Louis Delisle, 61, of Quebec City, at present Director of the Academic Relations Division, to be Consul General in Boston, Massachusetts. He succeeds Mr. J.F.-X. Houde whose appointment as Consul General in Marseille is announced below.

Mr. Ormond Wilson Dier, 54, of Vancouver (B. C.), at present Director of the Caribbean Division, to be High Commissioner to Guyana. He succeeds Mr. J.A. Stiles whose appointment as Ambassador to Korea is announced below.

Mr. Robert Elliott, 44, of Ottawa, formerly Director of the Middle Eastern Division and at present on the Bicultural Program in Quebec City to be Ambassador to Algeria. He succeeds Mr. Christian Hardy who is returning to Ottawa.

Mr. Klaus Goldschlag, 51, of Ottawa, at present Director General of the Bureau of Western Hemisphere Affairs, to be Ambassador to Italy and High Commissioner to Malta. He succeeds Mr. Benjamin Rogers whose appointment as Chief of Protocol was announced earlier.

Mr. Harry J. Horne, 56, of North Surrey (B. C.), now Consul and Senior Trade Commissioner in Sydney, Australia, to be Canada's first Consul General in Atlanta, Georgia.

Mr. Joseph Francois-Xavier Houde, 50, of Quebec City, now Consul General in Boston, to be Consul General in Marseille. He succeeds Mr. Eugène Bussière who is retiring.

Mr. R. Harry Jay, 53, of Lachine (P.Q.), at present Director General of the Bureau of United Nations Affairs, to be Ambassador to Sweden. He succeeds Miss B.M. Meagher who will be a University Visitor at Dalhousie University.

Miss Marion Adams Macpherson, 49, of Moosomin, Sask., at present Director of the United Nations Political and Institutional Affairs Division to be High Commissioner in Colombo, Sri Lanka. She succeeds Mr. R.M. Macdonnell who died recently.

Mr. Robert W. McLaren, 46, of Ottawa, of the Canadian International Development Agency and at present on Executive Development Leave at Oxford, England, to be Canada's first resident High Commissioner to Bangladesh.

Mr. Lawrence A.H. Smith, 43, of Ottawa, at present Director of the Aid and Development Division, to be Canada's first High Commissioner to Barbados.

Mr. John Alexander Stiles, 55, of Ottawa, formerly of the Trade Commissioner Service and now High Commissioner to Guyana, to be Canada's first Ambassador to Korea.

Mr. Paul Tremblay, 58, of Quebec City, at present Associate Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs, to be Ambassador to the Holy See. He succeeds Mr. J.E. Robbins who has retired.

Biographical Notes are attached.

ROBERT McDONALD ADAMS

Mr. Adams was born in London, Ontario on October 30, 1928. He was educated at the University of Western Ontario (B.A.), at Queens University (M.A.) and at the London School of Economics and Political Science (Ph.D.).

In 1958, Mr. Adams joined the Department of Labour as Head, Wages Research Section of the Economics and Research Branch. In 1960, he became Chief of the Labour Management Section. From 1964 to 1966 Mr. Adams served at the Canadian Embassy, Brussels as Counsellor (Labour). Upon his return to Ottawa, he became Director of Compensations and Conditions Division of the Treasury Board. In 1969, he assumed his present position as Assistant Deputy Minister (Immigration) in the Department of Manpower and Immigration.

Mr. Adams is separated.

JOHN ALAN BEESLEY

Mr. Beesley was born in Smithers, B.C. on August 17, 1927, and was educated at the University of British Columbia where he obtained his B.A. and his L.L.B. In 1951, he was called to the Bar of British Columbia and joined the legal firm of Crease and Co.

Mr. Beesley joined the Department of External Affairs in 1956 and served in the Canadian Embassy in Tel Aviv from 1957 to 1960. In 1964, he was posted to the Canadian Permanent Mission to the United Nations in Geneva, where he served until 1967 when he returned to Ottawa to assume the position of Head of Legal Division. In 1971 he assumed his present position as Director-General of the Bureau of Legal Affairs and Legal Adviser to the Department of External Affairs. He has participated in a large number of international conferences and has been Canadian Representative to the First and Sixth Committees of the United Nations, as well as being the Head of Canadian Delegations on a series of bilateral and multilateral negotiations.

Mr. Beesley is married and has two children.

GEORGES HENRI BLOUIN

Mr. Blouin was born in Montreal, Quebec, on June 4, 1921. He is a graduate of the College Ste-Marie and the University of Montreal (B.A. and L.L.B.). While at the University of Montreal he became the editor-in-chief of "Le Quartier Latin" in 1948.

Mr. Blouin began his career with the Public Service in 1948 in the Income Tax Division of the Department of National Revenue. In 1949, he joined the Department of External Affairs and served at Canadian diplomatic missions in New Delhi from 1951 to 1954, San Francisco from 1955 to 1958, Athens from 1961 to 1963 and Brussels from 1963 to 1965.

In 1965, Mr. Blouin was appointed Canadian Ambassador to the Republic of Cameroun with concurrent non-resident accreditation to the Republic of Chad, the Republic of Gabon and the Central African Republic. He served as Minister at the Canadian Embassy in Washington from 1967 until 1970 when he assumed his present position as Director-General of the Bureau of Personnel. Since September 1972, Mr. Blouin has held the additional appointment of Special Adviser to the Under-Secretary on foreign service appointments and related policies.

Mr. Blouin is married and has two children.

MALCOLM NORMAN BOW

Mr. Bow, who was born in Regina, Saskatchewan, on September 30, 1918, was educated in Edmonton, at the University of Alberta, at the University of British Columbia (B.A.) and at the Academy of International Law in The Hague. During the war he served in the Canadian Army in the United Kingdom and in the Far East and was discharged in 1946 with the rank of Major. From 1946 to 1949, Mr. Bow worked for the Vancouver "Daily Province".

Mr. Bow joined the Department of External Affairs in 1949 and has served at Canadian diplomatic missions abroad in New York from 1950 to 1953, in Madrid from 1956 to 1959 and at Havana in 1961. In June 1964, he was appointed Canadian Ambassador to Czechoslovakia with concurrent accreditation to Hungary in 1965. In August 1968, he returned to Ottawa as Director of the Arms Control and Disarmament Division. He was appointed Director of Latin American Division in March 1971.

Mr. Bow is married and has four children.

FRANK BORDEN CLARK

Mr. Clark was born in Dryden, Ontario, on August 22, 1917. He studied at the University of British Columbia where he received his B.A. and his L.L.B. In 1944, he joined the R.C. N.V.R. and was discharged in 1946.

Mr. Clark joined the Trade Commissioner Service of the Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce in 1948. He served in Canadian diplomatic missions in Mexico City from 1949 to 1951 and again from 1959 to 1964; in Caracas from 1951 to 1956, and in Boston from 1956 to 1959. In 1964 he was appointed Consul and Trade Commissioner in Los Angeles, later becoming Senior Trade Commissioner and acting Consul General. Mr. Clark returned to Ottawa in 1967 where he was appointed to the Office of the Assistant Deputy Minister and later Director of the Travel Industry Branch. In 1970 he assumed the position of Consul General and Trade Commissioner in Manila and became Chargé d'Affaires in 1972 when the mission became an embassy.

Mr. Clark is married and has two children.

JEAN-LOUIS DELISLE

Mr. Delisle was born in Quebec City on January 14, 1912. He was educated at Laval University (B.A. and L.L.L.) and at Oxford University (B.A. and M.A.). From 1939 to 1942, Mr. Delisle practiced law in Quebec City and he also taught Economics at Laval University.

Mr. Delisle joined the Department of External Affairs in 1942 and was seconded to the Office of the Prime Minister. From 1946 to 1949 he served abroad in Rio de Janeiro. In 1951, he was appointed Consul in Boston and then in 1954 he became Chargé d'Affaires in Warsaw until 1956.

Mr. Delisle served in Paris from 1959 to 1961 as Counsellor (cultural) and then in 1961 he became Ambassador to Costa Rica with concurrent non-resident accreditation to Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama and Salvador. He was appointed Ambassador to Turkey in 1964 and then, in 1967, Ambassador to the United Nations in Geneva. He assumed his present position as Director of the Academic Relations Service in 1970.

Mr. Delisle is married and has two children.

ORMOND WILSON DIER

Mr. Dier was born in Vancouver, B.C. on March 21, 1919. He studied at the University of British Columbia where he obtained his B.A. and his B.Ed. In 1942, he joined the Canadian Army and was discharged in 1945 with the rank of Captain.

Mr. Dier taught high school in Duncan, B.C. from 1945 to 1947 before joining the Department of External Affairs in 1947. He served in Canadian diplomatic missions in Chicago from 1947 to 1949, in Mexico City from 1949 to 1950 and Caracas from 1950 to 1952. In 1955, Mr. Dier was posted to Copenhagen and was subsequently sent to Helsinki in 1957 where he was Chargé d'Affaires. In 1964, he was appointed Ambassador to Colombia with a concurrent (non-resident) accreditation to Ecuador. In 1967, he became Canadian Commissioner to the I.C.S.C. in Saigon. Mr. Dier is currently Director of the Caribbean Division.

Mr. Dier has also, on three occasions, been the special representative of Canada for a presidential inauguration. In October 1967, he was Special Envoy to the inauguration of Nguyen Van Thieu as President of the Republic of South Vietnam. In August 1970, he was appointed Special Ambassador to the Republic of Colombia for the occasion of the inauguration of President Misael Pastrana Borrero. Also in August 1970 he was appointed Special Ambassador to the Dominican Republic for the occasion of the inauguration of President Joaquin Balaguer.

Mr. Dier is a widower and has three children.

ROBERT ELLIOTT

Mr. Elliott was born in Regina, Saskatchewan on August 4, 1928. He studied at the University of Saskatchewan where he obtained his B.A. From 1949 to 1951, he worked for Radio Station CFQC in Saskatoon. In 1952, he joined the United Kingdom Colonial Service serving in London and Nigeria.

Mr. Elliott joined the Department of External Affairs in 1956 and served at the Canadian diplomatic mission in Beirut from 1957 to 1960. From 1963 to 1967, he served at the Canadian High Commission in London. In 1967, he was posted to the Canadian diplomatic mission in Lagos as Counsellor. Upon his return to Ottawa in 1969, Mr. Elliott became the Head of the Middle East Division. In 1972, Mr. Elliott was selected to participate in the Bicultural Program in Quebec City.

Mr. Elliott is married.

KLAUS GOLDSCHLAG

Mr. Goldschlag, who was born in Berlin, Germany, in 1922, was educated at the University of Toronto (B.A. and M. A.) and at Princeton University (M.A. - Oriental Languages). During the war he served in the United Kingdom and Northwestern Europe with the Canadian Army. In 1947-48 he was a Teaching Fellow at the University of Toronto.

Mr. Goldschlag joined the Department of External Affairs in 1949 and has served at Canadian diplomatic missions in New Delhi from 1953 to 1955, in London from 1955 to 1957 and in Vienna from 1959 to 1962. During his period in Vienna he served concurrently as Alternate Governor for Canada to the International Atomic Energy Agency. From 1962 to 1964, he served again at the Office of the High Commissioner in London. Mr. Goldschlag was appointed Ambassador to Turkey from 1967 to 1971. Upon his return to Ottawa in 1971, he assumed his present position as Director-General of the Bureau of Western Hemisphere Affairs in the Department of External Affairs.

Mr. Goldschlag is married and has three children.

HARRY HORNE

Mr. Horne was born in Shaunavon, Saskatchewan, on October 8, 1916. He was educated at the University of British Columbia where he obtained his B.Comm. in Economics and at the University of Toronto where he obtained his M.A. in Business Administration. From 1937 to 1939, Mr. Horne worked in the gold mining industry in Barkerville, B.C.

Following service in the Canadian Army from 1942 to 1946, Mr. Horne joined the Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce's Trade Commissioner Service in 1947. He served in Canadian diplomatic missions in Oslo from 1948 to 1952, on temporary duty in Stockholm in 1950, in Lima from 1952 to 1957 and in Karachi from 1957 to 1959. In 1959, Mr. Horne was appointed Consul and Trade Commissioner in Chicago, and in 1963 was assigned to the Canadian Embassy in Bonn as Counsellor (Commercial). He assumed his present position as Consul and Counsellor (Commercial) in Sydney in 1967.

Mr. Horne is married and has two children.

JOSEPH FRANÇOIS-XAVIER HOUDE

Mr. Houde was born in Quebec City on September 9, 1922. He was educated at the Seminaire de Quebec where he obtained his B.A. and at Laval University where he was awarded his M.A. In 1942, Mr. Houde became an assistant actuary for the Compagnie d'Assurance-Vie Industrielle, Québec. In 1949, he became the editor of l'Eclaireur, Beauceville, P.Q.

Mr. Houde joined the Department of External Affairs in 1949 and served in Brussels from 1952 to 1954, in Athens from 1954 to 1956 and in Paris at the Canadian Delegation to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization and to the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development from 1957 to 1959. In 1961, he was appointed Charge d'Affaires and Consul in Montevideo. In 1965, he became Ambassador to Peru with a concurrent non-resident accreditation to Bolivia. He assumed his present position as Consul-General in Boston in 1970.

Mr. Houde is married and has seven children.

RAYMOND HARRY JAY

Mr. Jay was born in Lachine, Quebec, on August 13, 1919. He attended McGill University where he obtained his B.A. and his B.C.L. In 1941, he joined the Royal Canadian Air Force and was discharged in 1945 as a Flight Lieutenant. He was called to the Bar of the Province of Quebec in 1948.

Mr. Jay joined the Department of External Affairs in 1948 and served at the Canadian diplomatic mission in New Delhi from 1950 to 1953. In 1955, he served as an Adviser with the International Commission for Supervision and Control in Hanoi (Vietnam) for a year and then in 1956 was appointed Adviser to the Canadian Permanent Mission to the United Nations in Geneva.

In 1963, Mr. Jay was appointed Deputy Permanent Representative at the Canadian Delegation to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization in Paris and then in 1965 he became Canadian High Commissioner to Jamaica. He returned to Canada in 1968 and became the External Affairs Representative on the Directing staff of the National Defence College. In 1970, he became Director of the United Nations Division at the headquarters and in 1971 assumed his present position as Director-General of the Bureau of United Nations Affairs.

Mr. Jay is married and has three children.

MARION ADAMS MACPHERSON

Miss Macpherson was born in Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan on May 16, 1924. She is a graduate of the University of Saskatchewan (B.A.) and of the University of Toronto (M.A.) During 1946 and 1947 she was a research assistant, first with the Government of Saskatchewan and then with the University of Toronto.

Miss Macpherson joined the Department of External Affairs in 1948 and served with the Canadian diplomatic mission in Washington from 1950 to 1954. From 1956 to 1958 she served with the International Commission for Supervision and Control in Hanoi (Vietnam) as Adviser, and was subsequently posted to the Canadian mission in Accra (Ghana) from 1958 to 1959. In 1963, Miss Macpherson was appointed Counsellor to the Canadian Permanent Mission to the United Nations. In February 1971, Miss Macpherson became Director of the United Nations Political and Institutional Affairs Division.

Miss Macpherson is single.

ROBERT W. McLAREN

Mr. McLaren was born in Hamburg, Germany, on January 22, 1927. He is a graduate of Assumption College, University of Western Ontario (B.A.) and University College, University of Western Ontario (B.A. (Honours)). Mr. McLaren served in the Canadian Army in 1945.

In 1950, Mr. McLaren joined the National Research Council of Canada and became a Research Officer with the Communications Branch. He was transferred to Washington in 1956 where he was the Attache for the National Research Council. In 1962, he returned to Ottawa and joined the Ministry of Transport as an Operations Research Officer in the Civil Aviation Branch.

Mr. McLaren joined the Canadian International Development Agency in 1965 and became Senior Planner for the South and South East Asia bilateral assistance programs. In 1968, he became Acting Director of the Advisers Division and then in 1969 Director of the Education Division. He became Director of Operations, Asia Division in 1970. In 1972, he went on Executive Development Leave to do graduate level development economics at St-John's College, Cambridge, England.

Mr. McLaren is married and has three children.

LAWRENCE AUSTIN HAYNE SMITH

Mr. Smith was born in Vizagapatam, India on October 30, 1929. He was educated at McMaster University where he obtained his B.A. and at Balliol College, Oxford where he was awarded his M.A. and B.Litt. He also studied and taught at the University of Toronto.

Mr. Smith joined the Department of External Affairs in 1957 and served at the Canadian diplomatic mission in Karachi from 1958 to 1961. From 1964 to 1968 he served with the Canadian Delegation to the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development in Paris. Upon his return to Ottawa in 1968, Mr. Smith assumed his present position as Director of the Aid and Development Division. Since 1972, Mr. Smith has been concurrently Deputy Director General of the Bureau of Economic and Scientific Affairs.

Mr. Smith is married and has four children.

JOHN ALEXANDER STILES

Mr. Stiles was born in Fredericton, N.B. on January 26, 1918. He studied at the University of Toronto and was awarded the Bachelor of Commerce degree in 1941. In 1941, he joined the Canadian Army and was discharged in 1945 as a Captain.

Mr. Stiles joined the Trade Commissioner Service in 1945 and served in Canadian diplomatic missions in New York from 1946 to 1948 and in Caracas from 1948 to 1954. He returned to Ottawa in 1954 where he became Assistant Director of the Trade Commissioner Service. Mr. Stiles was posted to Bonn in 1957 to be the Commercial Counsellor and in 1963 he assumed the same position in Sydney. In 1967, he was appointed Minister (Commercial) at the Canadian Embassy in Tokyo.

In July 1970, Mr. Stiles joined the Department of External Affairs and was appointed High Commissioner to Guyana.

Mr. Stiles is married and has three children.

PAUL TREMBLAY

Mr. Paul Tremblay was born in Chicoutimi, Quebec, on July 6, 1914. He is a graduate of the University of Montreal (B.A., L.L.B. and L.Sc.Soc.) and studied at McGill University and George Washington University. He was called to the Bar of the Province of Quebec and practised law in Montreal.

In 1940, Mr. Tremblay joined the Department of External Affairs and served in Canadian diplomatic missions at Washington from 1943 to 1946, Santiago from 1946 to 1949, The Hague from 1951 to 1954, and as Minister-Counsellor with the Canadian Delegation to the North Atlantic Council and the Organization for the European Economic Council in Paris from 1954 to 1957. In 1959, Mr. Tremblay was appointed Canadian Ambassador to Chile and in 1962 was appointed as Permanent Representative to the United Nations in New York, with the rank of Ambassador. In 1965, he was named Canadian Delegate to the 37th Resumed Session of ECOSOC. In 1966, Mr. Tremblay was appointed as Canadian Ambassador to Belgium and Luxembourg as well as to the European Coal and Steel Community, the European Economic Community, and Euratom. He returned to Canada in 1970, assuming the rank of Associate Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs.

Mr. Tremblay is married and has three children.