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DIPLOMATIC APPOINTMENTS

The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Mark MacGuigan, announces the following appointments:

Marius J. Bujold (43) originally from Caplan, Quebec, to be Ambassador to Senegal, with concurrent accreditation to the Gambia, Cape Verde, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau and Mauritania.

Mr. Bujold (B.A. (Pol.), University of Montreal; M.A., Laval University; MPA, ENAP/Quebec) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1965. He has served abroad in Tunis, Lagos, Paris (OECD) and Dakar. Since 1979 he has been Director of Francophone Affairs Division at headquarters. Mr. Bujold will replace Mr. Marc Perron who is returning to Ottawa.

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Clayton G. Bullis (50) originally from Kingston, Ontario, to be Ambassador to Chile.

Mr. Bullis (B.A., Queen's University; M. Comm., University of Toronto) joined the Trade Commissioner Service in 1958. He has served abroad in Kingston, New York, Caracas and Wellington, and as Director General of the Regional Office in Edmonton, Alberta. Since 1979 he has been High Commissioner to Nigeria, with concurrent accreditation to Angola and Sierra Leone. Mr. Bullis will replace Mr. Glen Buick who has returned to Ottawa.

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Lorne S. Clark (43) originally from Montreal, Quebec, to be Ambassador to Argentina, with concurrent accreditation to Uruguay.

Mr. Clark (B.A., McGill University; LL.B., University of London) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1963. He has served abroad in Accra, Rome and Washington. Since 1979 he has been Director of the Legal Operations Division at headquarters. Mr. Clark will replace Mr. Dwight Fulford whose next appointment will be announced later.

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Jean-Yves Grenon (56) originally from St-Jovite, Quebec, to be Consul General in Strasbourg, France, with responsibility for liaison with the Council of Europe.

Mr. Grenon (B.A., St. Jean-de-Brébeuf; LL.L., Montreal; Docteur en Droit, Paris; Diploma in International Public Law, Cambridge) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1953. He has served abroad in Rome, Santiago, Caracas, Dakar, Brussels, and as Ambassador to Peru with accreditation to Bolivia (1979-81). Since September 1981 he has been a Diplomatic Visitor at Laval University. Mr. Grenon will replace Miss Julie Loranger who has returned to Ottawa.

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Garrett Lambert (41) originally from Toronto, Ontario, to be High Commissioner to Nigeria, with concurrent accreditation to Sierra Leone.

Mr. Lambert (B.A., University of Toronto; Carleton University) worked in the private sector after graduating in 1963 and joined the Trade Commissioner Service in 1968. He has served abroad in Tehran, Bonn and Warsaw. In 1978 he became Director-General of the Industrial Co-operation Division at CIDA headquarters. Mr. Lambert will replace Mr. Clayton Bullis who has been appointed as Ambassador to Chile.

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Keith W. MacLellan (61) from Montreal, Quebec, to be Ambassador to Jordan.

Mr. MacLellan (McGill, Oxford, MA) entered External Affairs from private business and has since 1952 been posted to Berne, Los Angeles, Rome, London and Brussels. He served as Commissioner to the ICSC, Laos (1965-66), Ambassador to Pakistan and Afghanistan (1974-77) and Ambassador to Yugoslavia and Bulgaria (1977-79). Since 1979 he has been Head of Evaluation and Audit at headquarters. Mr. MacLellan will open the post in the autumn.

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Richard McKinnon (48) originally from St-Raymond, Quebec, to be Consul General to Marseille.

Mr. McKinnon is a graduate of Laval University (B.A., 1954, LL.L. 1957). After obtaining a Certificate of International Studies from the London School of Economics and Political Science in 1960, he entered the Department of External Affairs. He has held various positions abroad in Warsaw, Geneva and Paris, and in Ottawa at headquarters and the Privy Council. From 1969 to 1973 he was seconded by the Canadian Government to the Agency for Cultural and Technical Co-operation. Since 1977 he has been the Deputy Permanent Representative of Canada to the United Nations Office in Geneva. Mr. McKinnon replaces Mr. André Potvin who is returning to Ottawa.

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Jacques S. Roy (47), originally from Ste. Anne des Monts, Quebec, to be Minister at the Canadian Embassy in Washington, D.C.

Mr. Roy (B.A., LL.L., Laval University) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1960. He served abroad in Prague and Havana and as Deputy Permanent Representative and Minister-Counsellor of the Canadian Delegation to the North Atlantic Council in Brussels. He returned to Ottawa in 1975 and occupied a number of positions including that of Assistant Secretary to Cabinet in the Privy Council Office and Assistant to the Prime Minister for international relations. From 1979-81 he was Director-General of the Bureau of Development, Industry and Science Relations at headquarters. Since February 1981 he has been Ambassador to Saudi Arabia. He is replacing Mr. G.E. Shannon who is returning to Canada.

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Claude St. Pierre (49) originally from Rimouski, Quebec, to be Ambassador to Cameroon, with concurrent accreditation to the Central African Republic, Chad, Gabon, Sao Tome and Principe, and Equatorial Guinea.

Mr. St. Pierre (B. Comm., Laval University; M.B.A., University of Toronto) joined the Foreign Branch of Citizenship and Immigration in 1957. In 1961 he joined the Trade Commissioner Service. He has served in Rome, Port-of-Spain, Paris, Tehran and Boston. He is currently Chief, Inspection Service for Foreign Operations. Mr. St. Pierre will replace Mr. Jacques Denault who is returning to Ottawa.

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R. Douglas Sirrs (52) originally from Toronto, Ontario, to be Consul General in Atlanta, Georgia.

Mr. Sirrs (B.A., B.J., Carleton University) joined the Trade Commissioner Service in 1956. He has served abroad in Caracas, New York, Karachi, Guatemala, Chicago and Mexico. Since 1979 he has been Ambassador to Costa Rica with concurrent accreditation to El Salvador, Nicaragua, Honduras and Panama. Mr. Sirrs will replace Mr. Ralph Stewart.

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Vernon G. Turner (52) originally from Toronto, Ontario, to be Ambassador to Israel, with concurrent accreditation to Cyprus.

Mr. Turner (B.A., University of Toronto) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1954. He has served abroad in Vietnam, London, Warsaw, Dar-es-Salaam, New York (UN), and as Minister at the Canadian Embassy in Washington, D.C. In 1978 he became Chairman of the Policy Planning Secretariat at headquarters and, in 1980, Secretary General, Committee of Deputy Ministers on Foreign and Defence Policy. Mr. Turner will replace Mr. Joseph Stanford who is returning to Ottawa.

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Christopher Westdal (34) originally from Winnipeg, Manitoba, to be High Commissioner to Bangladesh, with concurrent accreditation to Burma.

Mr. Westdal (B.A., St. John's College, Winnipeg; M.B.A., University of Manitoba) joined the Canadian International Development Agency in 1973. He has served abroad in New Delhi, and at CIDA Headquarters (Asia Division). Since 1978 he has been CIDA Regional Director for Eastern Africa. Mr. Westdal will replace Mr. A.R. Wright who is returning to Ottawa.

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