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DIPLOMATIC APPOINTMENTS

The Honourable Allan J. MacEachen, Deputy Prime Minister and Secretary of State for External Affairs, announces the following appointments:

Mr. Sydney George Harris (53) originally from Nakina, Ontario, as Consul General in Cleveland, U.S.A.

Mr. Harris (B.A. Sc. University of Toronto 1954; M.A. Sc. University of Toronto, 1954; Ph.D. Birmingham University 1958) joined the Trade Commissioner Service in 1959 and has served in London, Washington, Bombay, Tel Aviv, and Tokyo. Since 1978, Mr. Harris has been Minister (Economic/Commercial) in Rome. He will succeed Mr. Norman W. Boyd who will return to Canada.

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Mrs. Irene Elizabeth Johnson born in Winnipeg, Manitoba, as Consul General in Philadelphia, U.S.A.

Mrs. Johnson (B.A., University of Toronto 1947; M.A. University of Toronto, 1949; London School of Economics, 1949) has served as an economist with the Government of Nova Scotia, and at the federal level, with a number of Departments, including the Department of Labour, the Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce and the Department of Finance, and Treasury Board. In 1972, she was named a Commissioner of the Public Service Commission, in 1976, she became Associate Executive Director of the Manpower Training Branch, Department of Manpower and Immigration. Mrs. Johnson was named High Commissioner to New Zealand with concurrent accreditation to Fiji, Tonga, Western Samoa, Kiribati and Tuvalu in 1978 and from 1981 to the present has been Assistant Deputy Minister of Personnel and Management Practices, Department of Energy, Mines and Resources. She will succeed Mr. Willard G. Pybus who has retired.

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Mr. Alan Pittman McLaine (51) originally from Ottawa, Ontario as Ambassador to Poland with concurrent accreditation to the German Democratic Republic.

Mr. McLaine (B.A. Honours, Queen's University, 1953; Columbia University, Russian Institute, 1955-57) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1959 and has served in Moscow, Havana, Washington, and the Royal College of Defence Studies in London. Mr. McLaine took up his present post as Director of the Eastern European Division at External Affairs headquarters in 1979. He will succeed Mr. John Fraser whose assignment as Ambassador to Yugoslavia with concurrent accreditation to Bulgaria has been announced.

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Mr. Charles Jordan Marshall (54) born in Windsor, Ontario as Ambassador to Pakistan.

Mr. Marshall (B.A.(Hon.), University of British Columbia 1950) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1957 and served abroad in Ankara, Geneva, and Brussels. In 1977 he was named Ambassador to Turkey, and from 1980 has been the Assistant Under-Secretary for Public Affairs. Mr. Marshall will replace Mr. William T. Warden who is appointed High Commissioner to India.

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Mr. Noble Edward Charles Power (51), originally from Montréal, Québec as High Commissioner to Barbados with concurrent accreditation to Dominica, Grenada, Antigua, St. Lucia, St. Vincent and The Grenadines, the West Indian Associated States and Montserrat.

Mr. Power (B.A., University of Montréal, 1953; Graduate Studies, University of Mexico 1953-54; M.A., Columbia University, New York, 1955; Diplomatic History, La Sorbonne, Paris, 1955-56) has held assignments in the Department of National Defence, Minister's Staff, the External Aid Office as Director of Planning for Commonwealth Africa, the Inter-departmental Committee for External Relations and in CIDA in various positions. He was named High Commissioner to Ghana and Ambassador to Togo and Benin in 1971 and, upon his return in 1974, served in CIDA as Director-General, Asia Division and from 1977 to 1982 as Vice President, Bilateral Programmes. Mr. Power has occupied his present position as Vice-President, Corporate Affairs, CIDA, since 1982. In this capacity, he serves on the Board of Directors of the Export Development Corporation as an Alternate Director and also works closely with the World Bank Consultative Groups, the Arab Development Banks and financial institutions and the various Parliamentary Committees concerned with development cooperation in the Third World. He will replace Mr. Allan B. Roger who will return to Canada.

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Mr. Charles F. Rogers (50), originally from Hamilton, Ontario as Consul General in Buffalo, New York.

Mr. Rogers (B.A., Honours, Philosophy and English, University of Toronto, 1958) joined the Department of Manpower & Immigration in 1958. He has served in Cologne, Hamburg, Port-of-Spain, Vienna, Brussels, and Hong Kong. Since 1979 Mr. Rogers has occupied the post of Minister-Counsellor (Immigration), London. Mr. Rogers will succeed Mr. William R. Van who will return to Canada.

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A. Percy Sherwood (51), born in Ottawa, Ontario to be Ambassador to Iraq.

Mr. Sherwood, (B.A. Carleton University 1955, graduate studies at Carleton University 1964, Université de Genève 1955-56) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1958. He has served abroad in Kuala Lumpur, Warsaw, The Hague, Islamabad and Washington. Since 1978 he has been Director of the Security Division. Mr. Sherwood will replace Mr. Witold Weynerowski whose next assignment will be announced later.

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Mr. C. John Small (63) born in Chengtu, China to be Ambassador to Malaysia with concurrent accreditation to Brunei.

Mr. Small (B. Sc. Ontario Agricultural College 1942; B.A., University of Toronto, 1949) served in the Royal Canadian Navy 1941-46 and joined the Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce in 1949. He served as Commercial Secretary (Agriculture) between 1950-1955. In 1955 he joined the Department of External Affairs and served abroad in Hong Kong, Karachi, and the OECD. In 1965 he was appointed Canadian Permanent Representative to the OECD. In 1969 he was named Ambassador to Pakistan with concurrent accreditation to Afghanistan, and in 1972 was named Ambassador to the People's Republic of China and from 1975 concurrently to Vietnam. Since 1978 Mr. Small has served as Deputy Secretary-General (Economic) of the Commonwealth Secretariat. He will replace Mr. Gerald F.G. Hughes who will return to Canada.

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Mr. Lawrence Austin Hayne Smith (53), born in Vizagapatan, India, as Ambassador to the Netherlands.

Mr. Smith (B.A., McMaster University, 1951, B.A., M.A., B. Lit., Oxford University, 1953, 1955; University of Toronto 1955-57) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1957. He has served in Karachi and at the OECD in Paris. In 1973 he was named High Commissioner to Barbados with concurrent accreditation the West Indies Associated States and Montserrat and in 1977 served as Minister (Economic) in Washington. After his return to Ottawa in 1978 he served as Coordinator for Development Policy and Assistant Under Secretary for economic issues. In 1982 Mr. Smith was named to his present post as Ambassador for North-South Relations. Mr. Smith will replace Mr. Georges Blouin who has returned to Canada.

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Mr. William Thomas Warden (49) originally from Niagara Falls, Ontario, as High Commissioner to India with concurrent accreditation to Nepal.

Mr. Warden (B.A., University of Western Ontario; M.A., University of Tennessee; Post Graduate Studies at Glasgow University and Free University of Berlin) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1961 and has served in Moscow and Havana. In 1977 he was appointed Commissioner to Hong Kong. In 1981 he was named to his present post as Ambassador to Pakistan. Mr. Warden will replace Mr. John G. Hadwen who is returning to Canada.