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DIPLOMATIC APPOINTMENTS

The Honourable Jean Chrétien, Deputy Prime Minister and Secretary of State for External Affairs, announces the following diplomatic appointments:

Mr. Terence Charles Bacon (51) born in Princeton, British Columbia, as Ambassador to Czechoslovakia.

Mr. Bacon (LL.B., University of British Columbia, 1961) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1961. He has served in Accra, London and Brussels as well as taking part in the Bicultural Programme in Québec City. In 1979 he was named as High Commissioner to Zambia with concurrent accreditation to Malawi, Mozambique and, in 1980, to Zimbabwe. In 1981 he became Assistant Under-Secretary, Bureau of Legal Affairs and in 1983 was named to his present position as Director-General, Legal Affairs Bureau. Mr. Bacon will replace Mr. H. David Peel, who will return to Canada.

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Mr. Dennis Stephen Maler Baker (47) born in Hamilton, Ontario, as Consul General in Hamburg, Federal Republic of Germany.

Mr. Baker (B.Sc., Queen's University, 1960; M.B.A., Queen's University, 1963) joined the Trade Commissioner Service in 1963. He has served in Boston, San Francisco, Manila, Prague and Bonn. In 1981 Mr. Baker was named Director of Personnel of the Trade Commissioner Service and became Director of the Commercial/Economic Personnel Division in the re-organized Department of External Affairs. He will replace Mr. Ronald J.L. Berlet who will return to Canada.

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Mr. Douglas Hugh Murray Branion (47) born in Guelph, Ontario, as Consul General in Dallas, U.S.A.

Mr. Branion (B.Applied Sc., University of Toronto, 1959) joined the Trade Commissioner Service in 1961. He served abroad in Paris, Singapore, Tehran and Atlanta. In 1979, Mr. Branion became Regional Director General, Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce in Edmonton, Alberta, and following the re-organization of External Affairs and Industry, Trade and Commerce in 1982, he was named Regional Executive Director, Department of Regional Industrial Expansion in Edmonton. He replaces Mr. Frank T. Jackman who will return to Canada.

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Mr. Robert Warren Burchill (48) born in Loon Lake, Saskatchewan as Consul General in Sydney, Australia.

Mr. Burchill (B.A. 1959, LL.B. 1961, University of Saskatchewan) joined the Trade Commissioner Service in 1963. He has served abroad in Sao Paulo, Rio de Janeiro, Johannesburg, Kingston and Chicago. In 1979 Mr. Burchill became Director of the Economic Law and Treaty Division in External Affairs and in 1982 became Director of Legal Operations Division. In 1983 he was named Director General, Personnel Planning and Development Bureau. He replaces Mr. Franklin Petrie who returned to Canada to become President of the Canadian Export Association.

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Mr. Donald Wilfred Campbell (43) born in Drayton, Ontario, as Ambassador to the Republic of Korea.

Mr. Campbell (B.A., Honours, Waterloo University College, 1964) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1964. He has served in Seattle, Kingston, London, and Nairobi. He has also served on secondment to the Department of Energy, Mines and Resources as Director General, International Energy Relations Branch. In 1982, Mr. Campbell became Assistant Under-Secretary in charge of the Energy, Resource Industries and Food Bureau, and, in 1983, was named to his present position in External Affairs as Director General, Energy, Transport and Science Bureau. He replaces Mr. William Bauer who will return to Canada.

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Mr. Marc Faguy (48), born in Québec City, as Ambassador to Cameroon with concurrent accreditation to Equatorial Guinea, and Sao Tomé and Príncipe.

Mr. Faguy (B.A., Laval University, 1957; LL.B., Laval University, 1960; Member of the Bar of the Province of Québec, 1961; Post Graduate Studies, London School of Economics, 1961-62) joined the Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce in 1962. After serving in Brussels, he joined the Department of External Affairs in 1966 and was posted to the Canadian Permanent Mission to the OECD in Paris. In 1972, Mr. Faguy joined the Canadian International Development Agency and in 1979 was named as High Commissioner to Ghana with concurrent accreditation to Benin, Liberia and Togo. In 1982 Mr. Faguy was named to his present post as Director General, Industrial Co-operation, CIDA. He replaces Mr. Claude St. Pierre who will return to Canada.

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Mr. Richard Vessot Gorham (57) born in Fredericton, New Brunswick, as Ambassador to the People's Republic of China.

Mr. Gorham (B.A., University of New Brunswick, 1950; M.A., Clark University, 1951) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1952. He has served abroad in New Delhi and Cambodia, and twice in Tokyo. From 1971 to 1974, Mr. Gorham was Departmental Press Officer. In 1979, he was named Assistant Under-Secretary for Latin American and Caribbean Affairs. From September 1983 to May 1984 Mr. Gorham studied Chinese at Cornell University, Ithaca, New York. He will replace Mr. Michel Gauvin, who will retire this year.

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Mr. Ewan Nigel Hare (45) born in Southport, England, as Ambassador to Zaïre with concurrent accreditation to Rwanda.

Mr. Hare (B.A. History and Political Science, 1962; Graduate Diploma, Public Administration, Carleton University, 1964) entered the Federal Government in 1962. After serving on the the Treasury Board Staff, he worked in Malaysia with CUSO and returned to Ottawa to work with CIDA in 1966. He served in Ghana, and subsequently held positions as Regional Director, Asia Southeast; Regional Director, Central and Southern Africa; and Director General, Social Development Division. Mr. Hare will be leaving his current position as Director General, United Nations Programs, CIDA. He replaces Mr. J-G. Saint-Martin who is returning to Ottawa.

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Mr. Jacques Claude Noiseux (47) born in Montréal, Québec, as Ambassador to Lebanon.

Mr. Noiseux (B.A., Collège Jean-de-Brébeuf and Collège Ste-Marie, 1949; LL.L., University of Montréal, 1963; Institute of Political Science, Paris, 1964; Member of the Bar of Québec, 1965) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1965. He has served abroad in London, Kinshasa, Dakar and Paris. Since 1981 Mr. Noiseux has occupied the position of Deputy Secretary to the Governor General. He will replace Mr. R. David Jackson who returns to Canada.

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Mr. Charles William Ross (40) born in Portage la Prairie, Manitoba, as Consul General in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Mr. Ross (B.Sc., University of Manitoba, 1966; Post-Graduate Studies in Management Science, University of Ottawa, 1970-1972) joined the Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce in 1966 and held a variety of positions, including Regional Co-ordinator, Trade Commissioner Service, and Assistant Chief, Pacific Division. He served abroad in Brasilia from 1975 to 1978. In 1978, Mr. Ross was Chief, Control Measures Division, and in 1979 was Chief, Textiles and Clothing Policy Division of Industry, Trade and Commerce. In 1980, he was appointed Director, Caribbean and Central America Division in Industry, Trade and Commerce, prior to being named to his present position in External Affairs as Director, South America Trade Development Division. He replaces Mr. W.B. Schumacher who will return to Canada.

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Mr. Maxwell Freeman Yalden (54) born in Toronto, Ontario, as Ambassador to Belgium with concurrent accreditation to Luxembourg.

Mr. Yalden (B.A., University of Toronto, 1952; M.A. and Ph.D., University of Michigan, 1954; Hon.D.U., University of Ottawa, 1982) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1956. He served abroad in Moscow, Geneva and Paris. In 1969 Mr. Yalden became Assistant Under-Secretary of State in the Department of the Secretary of State, and in 1973 became Deputy Minister, Department of Communications. Mr. Yalden was named Commissioner of Official Languages in 1977. He will replace Mr. d'Iberville Fortier who will return to Canada.