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## INTERGOVERNMENTAL MEETING OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT (OECD) ON VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING

The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Don Jamieson, announces that a Canadian delegation is participating in the OECD Intergovernmental Meeting on Vocational Education and Training which is being held in Paris from July 4 to 6, 1978.

The delegation is headed by the Honourable Harry Parrott, Minister of Colleges and Universities for Ontario, and Vice-Chairman of the Council of Ministers of Education, Canada. The delegation consists of the following persons:

- The Honourable Patrick McGeer, Minister of Education of British Columbia.
- Mr. Brian Angood, Assistant Deputy Minister, Department of Education of Manitoba.
- Mr. Arthur Pinet, Assistant Deputy Minister, Department of Education of New Brunswick.
- Mrs. Irene Johnson, Associate Executive Director, Canada Employment and Immigration Commission.
- Mr. Claude Boily, Director General of the CEGEP of Jonquière, Québec.
- Mr. Albert Dumas, Academic Relations Division, Department of External Affairs.



The meeting will enable participating countries to have a broad policy discussion of the more important issues concerning vocational education and training, and to have an initial exchange of views about the policies and types of measures which have already been developed by Member countries. Delegations will also suggest the broad directions of policy development in Member countries and of any future work that should be undertaken in this field by the OECD.