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

Wilfrid M. Agnès (61), originally from Montreal, Ouebec, to be Ambassador to Ethiopia.

Mr. Agnès, educated at Carleton University, joined the Department of External Affairs in 1949 and served abroad in Paris, New Delhi, Bonn, and in 1974 was appointed Chargé d'Affaires in Port-au-Prince. Since 1978 he has been serving as the Deputy Secretary to the Governor General.

Mr. Agnès replaces Aubrey Morantz who will return to Ottawa to take up a headquarters assignment.

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James K. Bartleman (41) originally from Port Carling, Ontario, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cuba.

Mr. Bartleman, (B.A. University of Western Ontario) joined the Department of External Affaires in 1966 and has served abroad in Bogota, Bangkok, Dacca and Brussels (North Atlantic Council). Since 1979 he has been the Director of Caribbean Division.

He will replace Gary Harman who becomes the Chief Air Negotiator at headquarters.

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Prague, Port . 1 Spain ead Camburrs . From 1978 to 1980 he was of OBCI could has a carrier a server as and almos los "200" Michael Bell (42), originally from Montreal, Quebec, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Peru.

Mr. Bell (B. Comm. - Economics at Queen's University) joined the Trade Commissioner Service in 1961 and has served abroad in Oslo, London as First Secretary (Commercial), in Lima and Madrid. Since 1979 he has been Minister-Counsellor (Commercial) in Moscow.

He replaces J.-Y. Grenon whose next assignment will be in Canada.

Michel de Goumois (46) originally from Quebec City, Quebec, to be Ambassador to Switzerland.

Mr. de Goumois (B.A., Collège Saint-Charles Garnier and LL.L. Laval University) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1958. He has served abroad in Karachi, Laos, Vietnam, London, Dakar and, in 1975, was appointed Ambassador to the Ivory Coast and concurrently accredited to the Upper Volta, Mali and Niger. Since January 1978 he has been Deputy Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs.

He replaces Pierre Dumas who has been appointed Consul General in Bordeaux, France.

Peter A. E. Johnston (59) originally from Toronto, Ontario, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Venezuela.

Mr. Johnston (B.A. University of Toronto) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1957. He served abroad in London, Dar-es-Salaam and Tokyo. In 1974, he was appointed Ambassador to Indonesia, a position he held until his appointment in 1977 as Ambassador to the Socialist Republic of Czechoslovakia.

He will replace C. O. R. Rousseau whose next appointment will be announced later.

 $\frac{\text{C. Douglass Fogerty}}{\text{High Commissioner to the Republic of Zambia.}}$

Mr. Fogerty (B.A. McMaster University and M.A. John Hopkins University (International Relations)), joined the Department of External Affairs in 1963 and served abroad in Prague, Port of Spain and Canberra. From 1978 to 1980 he was the Director of Pacific Affairs Division, and since 1980 he has been the Director of South and Southeast Asia Division.

He will replace T. C. Bacon who will return to Ottawa to take up a headquarters assignment.

W. Kenneth Wardroper (59) originally from Duncan, British Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Norway and concurrently accredited to the Republic of Iceland.

Mr. Wardroper (B. Comm. University of British Columbia) joined the Department of External Affairs in 1947 and served abroad in Los Angeles, Accra, Helsinki and Islamabad. He was Canadian member of the Board of Directors of the Asian Development Bank in Manila from 1966 to 1969. In 1972 he was appointed High Commissioner to Nigeria, and since 1975 has been at headquarters assigned to the position of Director General of the Bureau of Communications and General Services.

He replaces A. G. Campbell who will retire this summer.

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