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## PRATT & WHITNEY RECEIVES ANOTHER AIRCRAFT ENGINE ORDER

JAKARTA, INDONESIA--During the visit of James Kelleher, Minister for International Trade, it was announced that Pratt & Whitney Canada has received a further order valued at approximately \$10 million for its PT6T-3B twinned turbo-shaft engines.

The "Twin Pac" unit is being used in the Bell 412 helicopter which is being assembled by PT Nurtanio - the Indonesian aircraft manufacturer.

Pratt & Whitney won a similar contract last year for the sale to PT Nurtanio of 13 engines valued at approximately \$10 million. Financing for the 1985 contract was provided by the Canadian Government's Export Development Corporation.

One hundred helicopters are planned in the co-production program. Subsequent repeat engine orders will be negotiated on an annual basis.

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Mr. Kelleher said the Pratt & Whitney contract is a good example of the inroads Canadian companies are making in sales of high tech goods to Indonesia and added that Canada will be participating in the forthcoming Indonesian Air Show which is to be held in Jakarta June 22-July 1.

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