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BARNEY DANSON

The Department of External Affairs confirmed today that Barney Danson, Consul General in Boston, received two extensions to his appointment from the Government.

1. An original decision to complete Mr. Danson's term as of June 30, 1985 was conveyed to him by the Right Honourable Joe Clark on February 15, 1985 (letter attached);

2. Following discussions in Cabinet, a Government decision to extend his term to December 31, 1985 was relayed to his lawyer on May 7, 1985 (letter attached)

3. Upon further consideration by Cabinet, it was agreed to extend his appointment to June 30, 1986 and that decision was conveyed to him by telephone.

4. On March 26, 1986, the Secretary of State for External Affairs wrote Mr. Danson to tell him his term was to be completed at the end of June 1986 (letter attached).

The Rt. Hon. Joe Clark, P.C., M.P.
Secretary of State for External Affairs



Le très hon. Joe Clark, C.P., député
Secrétaire d'Etat aux Affaires extérieures

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February 15, 1985

Dear Mr. Danson,

I wish to follow up on our discussions on Ottawa in November and to confirm to you that you should finish your assignment in Boston on June 30, 1985, and return to Canada by that date.

I would ask you to set in train the administrative arrangements for your removal in the normal manner and to submit your travel plans to the Department for approval. I would point out to you that any unused annual leave that you have accumulated, as of June 30, 1985, will be paid to you in cash.

While this letter is perforce administrative in tone, I wish in closing to express the appreciation of the Government for the highly effective and very dignified manner in which you have carried out your responsibilities as Consul General since taking up your duties in Boston last year.

Yours sincerely,

Original signed by: MINISTER
Original signé par: JOE CLARK

The Honourable Barnett Danson,
Consul General,
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Department of External Affairs



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May 7, 1985

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Dear Mr. Lobl,

I have been asked to reply to your letter of March 29, 1985, to the Secretary of State for External Affairs concerning the assignment of Mr. Danson, Consul General in Boston.

While I note Mr. Danson's desire to serve out his "term" as Consul General, I confirm that, as I informed Mr. Danson on March 29, 1985, the government has decided that he may remain in Boston until the end of 1985.

Yours sincerely,

J. G. HARRIS

J.G. Harris,
Assistant Deputy Minister,
Personnel

The Rt. Hon. Joe Clark, P.C., M.P.
Secretary of State for External Affairs



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March 26th, 1986

Dear Mr. ~~Danson~~ *Barney*:

Further to recent conversations with personnel officials of my Department, this is to confirm that you should plan on completing your assignment in Boston at the end of June 1986.

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for the dedication and competence with which you have fulfilled your responsibilities as Consul General in Boston. Your active role in trade promotion initiatives, as well as your work in presenting Canadian concerns and reporting on a wide variety of issues such as acid rain, fish and nuclear dumpsites have been appreciated and most helpful in furthering our objectives.

As you contemplate a new step in your long and distinguished career of service to Canada, I wish you all the best.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be 'JC' or similar initials, written in a cursive style.

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