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## THE MINISTER FOR EXTERNAL RELATIONS

## WILL LEAD THE CANADIAN DELEGATION TO THE

## UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION

### TWENTY-THIRD GENERAL CONFERENCE

SOFIA

The Honourable Monique Vézina, Minister for External Relations, announced today the composition of the Canadian delegation to the 23rd General Conference of UNESCO to be held in Sofia, Bulgaria, from October 3 to November 12, 1985. The principal members of the delegation are listed overleaf.

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#### UNESCO General Conference, Sofia October 8 to November 12, 1985

#### Delegation

#### Head of Delegation

The Honourable Monique Vézina, Minister for External Relations

#### Deputy Head

Ian Clark, Ambassador and Permanent Delegate to UNESCO

#### Members of Parliament

Gabriel Desjardins, Member of Parliament for Témiscamingue

Benno Friesen, Member of Parliament for Surrey-White Rock-North Delta

Jean-Luc Joncas, Member of Parliament for Matapédia-Matane

Louis Plamondon, Member of Parliament for Richelieu

#### Education Programs

Pierre Lucier, Principal Spokesman of the delegation for education programs and President, Conseil supérieur de l'education, Québec

Harry Fisher, Director-General, Council of Ministers of Education, Canada

John Millons, Education Support Branch, Secretary of State

#### Sciences Programs

Garnet Page, Chairman, Canada Man and the Biosphere Committee, Alberta

Victor Bradley, Science and Technology Division, Department of External Affairs

James Harrison, President, Canadian Commission for UNESCO (and former Assistant Deputy Minister, Energy, Mines and Resources)

#### Cultural Programs

David Hemphill, Executive Director, Manitoba Museum of Man and Nature

Shirley Thomson, Secretary-General, Canadian Commission for UNESCO (and former Director, McCord Museum)

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#### Communications Programs

Gaby Warren, Director General, International Branch, Department of Communications

Tom McPhail, Director, Graduate Program in Communications Studies, University of Calgary

#### Development Programs

Charles Morrow, Education Specialist, Canadian International Development Agency

#### Human Rights Programs

Enid Page, Chief, International and Intergovernmental Co-ordination, Human Rights Directorate, Secretary of State

Francine Fournier, Consultant (and formerly President of the Quebec Human Rights Commission)

#### Status of Women Programs

Sylvia Gold, President, Canadian Advisory Council on the Status of Women

#### Government of Quebec, Ministry of Intergovernmental Relations

Claude Roquet, Délégué général a.i./Clément Duhaime, Conseiller, Pa

#### Political Support

Gilles Poirier, First Secretary, Canadian Permanent Mission to UNESCO

David Wilson, External Affairs

Christopher Davis/Cecil Rabinovitch, External Affairs

#### Conference Coordinator

Henry Lawless, External Affairs