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APPOINTMENT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF THE CANADIAN INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL
PEACE AND SECURITY

The Right Honourable Joe Clark, Secretary of State for External Affairs, announced today the appointment of a new Director to the seventeen-member Board of Directors of the Canadian Institute for International Peace and Security (CIIPS). This appointment is for a three-year term.

The new Director is:

Ms. Judith Padua, Executive Director, Clifford E. Lee Foundation, Edmonton Alberta

This appointment has been made following consultations with the Leader of the Official Opposition and the Leader of the New Democratic Party in accordance with the CIIPS Act (Bill C-32).

The Institute was formally established on August 15, 1984 with the support of all parties, and reports annually to Parliament. The purpose of the Institute is to increase knowledge and understanding of the issues relating to international peace and security from a Canadian perspective, with particular emphasis on arms control, disarmament, defence and conflict resolution.

Ms. Padua's curriculum vitae is attached.

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CURRICULUM VITAE

Ms. Judith Padua was born in 1941 and has a B.A. in Sociology from the University of Alberta and an M.A. in the Sociology of Development and Research Methods, Facultad Latino Americana de Ciencias Sociales, in Santiago, Chile. Since 1984, she has been Executive Director of the Clifford E. Lee Foundation, a private, Edmonton-based foundation with an annual grants program in the areas of social and international development and culture. Since 1985, she has been a member of the Board of Directors (and since 1987, Vice President) of World University Service of Canada (WUSC), a non-profit, non-governmental organization involving the Canadian academic community in social and economic development at home and in developing countries.

Ms. Padua is also a member of the Board of Directors of the Canadian Centre for Philanthropy, a Toronto-based organization, and a former Vice President of the Edmonton Social Planning Council. She has lived in Chile, Argentina and Mexico.