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This Agreement will provide for the exchange of information and services on the peaceful uses of atomic energy with respect to research, development, health and safety as well as institute co-operative arrangements for the use of equipment, facilities and supplies. The Agreement will prove a useful framework for nuclear co-operation. In addition, the Agreement reflects the obligations which the two countries have assumed under the Treaty for the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons.

**CANADA/IRAN AGREEMENT FOR CO-OPERATION
IN THE PEACEFUL USES OF ATOMIC ENERGY**

**ACCORD CANADO-IRANIEEN DE COOPERATION CONCERNANT
L'UTILISATION PACIFIQUE DE L'ENERGIE ATOMIQUE**

The Secretary of State for External Affairs, Mitchell Sharp, signed today in Ottawa, an agreement with the Imperial Government of Iran, an accord of co-operation in the peaceful uses of atomic energy. The Ambassador of Iran to Canada, His Excellency M. Mohammed Goodarzi, signed the accord on behalf of the Iranian Government.

The accord provides for the exchange of information and services in the peaceful uses of atomic energy, particularly with respect to research, development and health and safety, and to the modalities of co-operation concerning the use of equipment, facilities and supplies. It institutes a useful framework for nuclear co-operation. It reflects in addition the obligations which the two countries have assumed under the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons.

**DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
MINISTÈRE DES AFFAIRES EXTÉRIEURES**

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This Agreement will provide for the exchange of information and services on the peaceful uses of atomic energy with respect to research, development, health and safety, as well as institute co-operative arrangements regarding any use of equipment, facilities and supplies. As such it will prove a useful framework for nuclear co-operation. In addition, the Agreement reflects the obligations both countries have assumed under the Treaty for the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons.

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Le Secrétaire d'État aux Affaires extérieures, l'honorable Mitchell Sharp, a signé aujourd'hui à Ottawa, avec le Gouvernement impérial d'Iran, un accord de coopération concernant l'utilisation pacifique de l'énergie atomique. L'ambassadeur d'Iran au Canada, Son Excellence M. Mohammed Goodarzi, a signé l'accord au nom du Gouvernement iranien.

L'accord conclu prévoit l'échange de renseignements et de services en matière d'utilisation pacifique de l'énergie atomique, pour ce qui a trait particulièrement à la recherche, au développement et aux mesures de santé et de sécurité, et établit des modalités de coopération concernant toute utilisation du matériel, des installations et des approvisionnements. Il institue à cet égard un cadre utile pour la coopération nucléaire. Il reflète en outre les obligations que les deux pays ont assumées aux termes du Traité sur la non-prolifération des armes nucléaires.