

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20530

SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT

Pursuant to Section 2 of the Foreign Agents  
Registration Act of 1938, as Amended

DEC 31 1972

For Six Month Period Ending \_\_\_\_\_  
(Insert date)

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REGISTRATION SECTION

Name of Registrant **QUEBEC Government House**  
**Guy Poliquin** Registration No. **1787**  
**Delegate General**

Business Address of Registrant **17 West 50th Street**  
**New York, N.Y. 10020**

I - REGISTRANT

1. Has there been a change in the information previously furnished in connection with the following:

(a) If an individual:

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|-----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) Residence address | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (2) Citizenship       | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (3) Occupation        | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |

(b) If an organization:

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|--------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| (1) Name                 | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| (2) Ownership or control | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| (3) Branch offices       | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

2. Explain fully all changes, if any, indicated in Item 1.

N/A

IF THE REGISTRANT IS AN INDIVIDUAL, OMIT RESPONSE TO ITEMS 3, 4, and 5.

3. Have any persons ceased acting as partners, officers, directors or similar officials of the registrant during this 6 month reporting period? Yes  No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position	Date Connection Ended
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4. Have any persons become partners, officers, directors or similar officials during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes  No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Residence Address	Citizenship	Position	Date Assumed
LORTIE, Michèle V.	5107 South Blackstone Chicago, Ill. 60615	Canadian	Tourist-Counsellor	10/2/72

5. Has any person named in Item 4 rendered services directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal? Yes  No

If yes, identify each such person and describe his services.

6. Have any employees or individuals other than officials, who have filed a short form registration statement, terminated their employment or connection with the registrant during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes  No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position or connection	Date terminated
AVARD, Lise	Secretary	8/ 7/72
BLAKE, Barbara	Assistant Secretary	10/27/72
ASTRAIN, Jose	Chauffeur	9/ 8/72
FRECHETTE, Micheline	Secretary	11/17/72
MATHIEU, Yolande	Secretary	10/ 6/72

7. During this 6 month reporting period, have any persons been hired as employees or in any other capacity by the registrant who rendered services to the registrant directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal in other than a clerical or secretarial, or in a related or similar capacity?

Yes  No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Residence Address	Position or connection	Date connection began
✓ BASILIERE, Huguette	25 Tudor City Place Apt. 816 New York, N.Y. 10017	Research & Information Assistant	7/ 5/72
BEAUDOIN, Pierrette	747 East 9th Street Brooklyn, N.Y. 11230	<del>Assistant</del> Clerk	8/17/72
LAURIN, Marie Diane	117-14 East 40th Street Richmond Hill, N.Y. 11418	Secretary	12/11/72
MENEGUS, Marthe (née Hébert)	300 East 40th Street Apt. 3V New York, N.Y. 10016	Clerk - Accounting	7/5/ 72
SANZ, Ramiro	45 East 89th Street Apt. 36A New York, N.Y. 10029	Chauffeur	9/18/72
GOLD, Marianne	80 Fuller Avenue Swampscott, Mass. 01907	Assistant Secretary	11/13/72
LEMAY, France	211 Oleander Lafayette, La. 70501	Secretary	8/28/72
TREMBLAY, Pierrette	1380 First Ave. Apt. 2E, New York, N.Y. 10021	Receptionist	10/10/72

## II - FOREIGN PRINCIPAL

8. Has your connection with any foreign principal ended during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes  No

If yes, furnish the following information:

*Name of foreign principal*

*Date of Termination*

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9. Have you acquired any new foreign principal<sup>1</sup> during this 6 month reporting period? Yes  No

If yes, furnish following information:

*Name and address of foreign principal*

*Date acquired*

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10. In addition to those named in Items 8 and 9, if any, list the foreign principals<sup>1</sup> whom you continued to represent during the 6 month reporting period.

N/A

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## III - ACTIVITIES

11. During this 6 month reporting period, have you engaged in any activities for or rendered any services to any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement? Yes  No

If yes, identify each such foreign principal and describe in full detail your activities and services:

SEE ANNEX 1 -

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<sup>1</sup>The term "foreign principal" includes, in addition to those defined in section 1(b) of the Act, an individual or organization any of whose activities are directly or indirectly supervised, directed, controlled, financed, or subsidized in whole or in major part by a foreign government, foreign political party, foreign organization or foreign individual. (See Rule 100(a)(9)).

A registrant who represents more than one foreign principal is required to list in the statements he files under the Act only those foreign principals for whom he is not entitled to claim exemption under Section 3 of the Act. (See Rule 208.)

12. During this 6 month reporting period, have you on behalf of any foreign principal engaged in political activity<sup>2</sup> as defined below?

Yes  No

If yes, identify each such foreign principal and describe in full detail all such political activity, indicating, among other things, the relations, interests and policies sought to be influenced and the means employed to achieve this purpose. If the registrant arranged, sponsored or delivered speeches, lectures or radio and TV broadcasts, give details as to dates, places of delivery, names of speakers and subject matter.

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13. In addition to the above described activities, if any, have you engaged in activity on your own behalf which benefits any or all of your foreign principals?

Yes  No

If yes, describe fully.

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<sup>2</sup> The term "political activities" means the dissemination of political propaganda and any other activity which the person engaging therein believes will, or which he intends to, prevail upon, indoctrinate, convert, induce, persuade, or in any other way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting, or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

IV - FINANCIAL INFORMATION

14. (a) RECEIPTS - MONIES

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received from any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal, any contributions, income or money either as compensation or otherwise?

Yes  No

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies.<sup>3</sup>

<i>Date</i>	<i>From Whom</i>	<i>Purpose</i>	<i>Amount</i>
Fortnightly	Quebec Government	Salaries	\$ 168,670.45
Fortnightly	" "	Personal allowances	104,962.24
When submitted	" "	Travel expenses	10,973.29
Quarterly	" "	Representation Expenses	9,833.65
When submitted	" "	Office expenses (see annex 11)	61,799.54
Monthly	" "	Rent, maintenance, <del>xxx</del> & Electricity	70,519.54
<b>Total</b>			<b>426,758.71</b>

14. (b) RECEIPTS - THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received any thing of value<sup>4</sup> other than money from any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal?

Yes  No

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Name of foreign principal</i>	<i>Date Received</i>	<i>Description of thing of value</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
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N/A

<sup>3</sup> A registrant is required to file an Exhibit D if he collects or receives contributions, loans, money, or other things of value for a foreign principal, as part of a fund raising campaign. See Rule 201(e).

<sup>4</sup> Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks," and the like.

15. (a) **DISBURSEMENTS - MONIES**

During this 6 month reporting period, have you

(1) disbursed or expended monies in connection with activity on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement? Yes  No

(2) transmitted monies to any such foreign principal? Yes  No

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies, including monies transmitted, if any, to each foreign principal.

*Date*                      *To Whom*                      *Purpose*                      *Amount*

Same as shown in Item 14 (a)

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**Total**

15. (b) DISBURSEMENTS - THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, have you disposed of anything of value<sup>5</sup> other than money in furtherance of or in connection with activities on behalf of any foreign principal named in items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement?

Yes  No

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Date disposed</i>	<i>Name of person to whom given</i>	<i>On behalf of what foreign principal</i>	<i>Description of thing of value</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
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(c) DISBURSEMENTS - POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

During this 6 month reporting period, have you from your own funds and on your own behalf either directly or through any other person, made any contributions of money or other things of value<sup>5</sup> in connection with an election to any political office, or in connection with any primary election, convention, or caucus held to select candidates for political office? Yes  No

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Date</i>	<i>Amount or thing of value</i>	<i>Name of political organization</i>	<i>Name of candidate</i>
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V - POLITICAL PROPAGANDA

(Section 1(j) of the Act defines "political propaganda" as including any oral, visual, graphic, written, pictorial, or other communication or expression by any person (1) which is reasonably adapted to, or which the person disseminating the same believes will, or which he intends to, prevail upon, indoctrinate, convert, induce, or in any other way influence a recipient or any section of the public within the United States with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party or with reference to the foreign policies of the United States or promote in the United States racial, religious, or social dissensions, or (2) which advocates, advises, instigates, or promotes any racial, social, political, or religious disorder, civil riot, or other conflict involving the use of force or violence in any other American republic or the overthrow of any government or political subdivision of any other American republic by any means involving the use of force or violence.)

16. During this 6 month reporting period, did you prepare, disseminate or cause to be disseminated any political propaganda as defined above? Yes  No

IF YES, RESPOND TO THE REMAINING ITEMS IN THIS SECTION V.

17. Identify each such foreign principal.

<sup>5</sup> Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks," and the like.

18. During this 6 month reporting period, has any foreign principal established a budget or allocated a specified sum of money to finance your activities in preparing or disseminating political propaganda?

Yes  No

If yes, identify each such foreign principal, specify amount, and indicate for what period of time.

19. During this 6 month reporting period, did your activities in preparing, disseminating or causing the dissemination of political propaganda include the use of any of the following:

- Radio or TV broadcasts
- Magazine or newspaper articles
- Motion picture films
- Letters or telegrams
- Advertising campaigns
- Press releases
- Pamphlets or other publications
- Lectures or speeches
- Other (specify) N/A

20. During this 6 month reporting period, did you disseminate or cause to be disseminated political propaganda among any of the following groups:

- Public Officials
- Newspapers
- Libraries
- Legislators
- Editors
- Educational institutions
- Government agencies
- Civic groups or associations
- Nationality groups
- Other (specify) N/A

21. What language was used in this political propaganda:

- English
- Other (specify) N/A

22. Did you file with the Registration Section, Department of Justice, two copies of each item of political propaganda material disseminated or caused to be disseminated during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes  No  N/A

23. Did you label each item of such political propaganda material with the statement required by Section 4(b) of the Act? Yes  No  N/A

24. Did you file with the Registration Section, Department of Justice, a Dissemination Report for each item of such political propaganda material as required by Rule 401 under the Act?

Yes  No  N/A

VI - EXHIBITS AND ATTACHMENTS

25. EXHIBITS A AND B

(a) Have you filed for each of the newly acquired foreign principals in Item 9 the following:

- Exhibit A<sup>6</sup> Yes  No
  - Exhibit B<sup>7</sup> Yes  No
- N/A

If no, please attach the required exhibit.

(b) Have there been any changes in the Exhibits A and B previously filed for any foreign principal whom you represented during this six month period?

Yes  No

If yes, have you filed an amendment to these exhibits? Yes  No  N/A

If no, please attach the required amendment.

<sup>6</sup> The Exhibit A, which is filed on Form DJ-306, sets forth the information required to be disclosed concerning each foreign principal.

<sup>7</sup> The Exhibit B, which is filed on Form DJ-304, sets forth the information concerning the agreement or understanding between the registrant and the foreign principal.

26. EXHIBIT C

If you have previously filed an Exhibit C<sup>8</sup>, state whether any changes therein have occurred during this 6 month reporting period.

Yes  No

If yes, have you filed an amendment to the Exhibit C? Yes  No

If no, please attach the required amendment.

27. SHORT FORM REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Have short form registration statements been filed by all of the persons named in Items 5 and 7 of the supplemental statement?

Yes  No

If no, list names of persons who have not filed the required statement.

LORTIE, Michèle V. - form ~~will be submitted shortly~~ attached.

No said form required for people listed ~~in #7~~ in #7.

The undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) that he has (they have) read the information set forth in this registration statement and the attached exhibits and that he is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his (their) knowledge and belief, except that the undersigned make(s) no representation as to the truth or accuracy of the information contained in attached Short Form Registration Statement, if any, insofar as such information is not within his (their) personal knowledge.

(Type or print name under each signature)

(Both copies of this statement shall be signed and sworn to before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths by the agent, if the registrant is an individual, or by a majority of those partners, officers, directors or persons performing similar functions who are in the United States, if the registrant is an organization.)



Guy Poliquin  
( Delegate General)

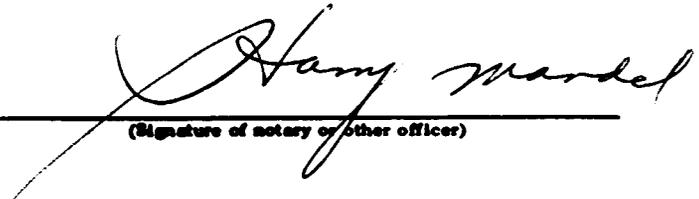
Subscribed and sworn to before me at

New York

this 13 day of

Feb., 1973

HARRY MANDEL  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 41-2504000  
Qualified in Queens County  
to file in New York  
Commission Expires March 30, 1973



(Signature of notary or other officer)

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

<sup>8</sup> The Exhibit C, for which no printed form is provided, consists of a true copy of the charter, articles of incorporation, association, constitution, and bylaws of a registrant that is an organization. (A waiver of the requirement to file an Exhibit C may be obtained for good cause shown upon written application to the Assistant Attorney General, Internal Security Division, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20530.

QUEBEC GOVERNMENT HOUSE  
17 West 50th Street  
New York, N.Y. 10020

## 11. ACTIVITIES

### NEW YORK OFFICE

From July 1st to December 31st, 1972, Quebec Government House in New York City has maintained the close ties already established between the authorities and people of Quebec, on the one hand, and their U.S. neighbours, on the other hand, for the purpose of promoting and enlarging business and financial contacts, as well as tourist and cultural relations, on a mutually profitable basis.

Quebec House is located in the International Building, at Rockefeller Center. Our display windows, on the ground floor, are an excellent tool of promotion, and they were put to good use in the past six months to publicize tourist attractions in the Province, Quebec handicrafts, and especially to show Quebec fashions and designs.

Several Quebec artists had showings and exhibitions in New York. Though not responsible for the organization of these shows, Quebec House gave its support by attending the openings and the exhibitions. This office also gave all the assistance and guidance possible to Quebec students enrolled in colleges and universities in the area.

For his part, during that six-month reporting period, the Delegate General attended the functions of the Canadian Institute of International Affairs (New York Branch), as well as the activities of the Canadian Society of New York. He was invited to address the French Club of Caldwell College, Caldwell, New Jersey, on October 26. Approximately 100 persons were present to hear him talk about "Quebec, To-day...and To-Morrow."

The Delegate General also visited the Exhibition of Manufacturing Services, held November 28-30, at the Hartford State Armory, Hartford, Conn. Several Quebec-based companies found new markets in U.S. as a result of their participation in this show.

The activities of our office during the past six months, also included the visit to New York, November 9 and 10, of the Quebec Minister of Finance to meet with representatives of the underwriters handling the Quebec Hydro offerings on the U.S. market. Later on, in December, the Quebec Hydroelectric Commission negotiated a \$125 million loan on the U.S. market.

Our office was instrumental in arranging meetings with officials of the N.Y. State Department of Motor Vehicles, in Albany, on December 6, and of the N.Y. State Department of Insurance, in New York City, on December 8, for Messrs. Claude Belleau and Ewen Rankin, two members of the Special Committee, on the Study of Automobile Insurance, appointed by the Quebec Government.

## 11. ACTIVITIES (Cont'd)

Following most unfavourable remarks made by Mr. Dick Cavett, on his show of November 2nd, on the alleged wolf extermination in Quebec, this office made representations to American Broadcasting Company and to Daphne Productions, Inc. As a result, Dr Gaston Moisan, Ph. D., Director of the Wildlife Service of the Quebec Department of Tourism, Fish and Game, was invited to appear on Mr. Cavett's show of December 27, to express the point of view of the Government of Quebec.

We would like to mention also that Quebec House held several receptions to coincide with the different trade shows in New York City, in which Quebec manufacturers were participating, or/and on the occasion of special tourist and ski promotions. Invitations were addressed to the press, buyers, manufacturers' representatives, etc. On the occasion of the annual visit to New York City in October of the members of "Le Club des Relations internationales" of Montreal University, Quebec House also gave a reception for approximately 50 persons.

### INFORMATION SERVICES

During the past six months, the Information Services have stressed the promotion of French-language literature from Quebec. A large portion of our book collection available to libraries, schools, colleges and universities was loaned to the following organizations:

- 1) VERMONT UNIVERSITY, Burlington, Vt. (in June and July 1972) on the occasion of a series of lectures by a Quebec professor.
- 2) COLGATE UNIVERSITY, Hamilton, New York (in October and November 1972). The books were borrowed by Professor Benoit (teacher of French) to be at the disposal of his students of French in order to familiarize them with the Quebec literature and in expectation of lectures on the French Canadian civilization which the students are scheduled to take at Laval University in January 1973.
- 3) BROOKLYN COLLEGE, Brooklyn, N.Y. (From December 1972 to Mid-January 1973). The books were borrowed by Professor J.C. Martin, further to a lecture on Canadian Modern Literature on October 30, 1972. On that occasion, the writer urged the group of approximately twenty students present to take advantage of the facilities to pursue their studies of French during the summer either in Montreal or Quebec. The film "MARIE-CLAIRE BLAIS" was shown to the group followed by an analysis by Professor Martin of the author's book: "UNE SAISON DANS LA VIE D'EMMANUEL". The group also listened to records of a few poems by Canadian authors such as Eloi de Grandmont, Anne Hébert, Gilles Hénault. They were also invited to avail themselves of the services of our library.

More often than previously, the Information Services have acted as liaison between Headquarters in Quebec and various American Government agencies at the federal, state and municipal levels (as well as international organizations such as the United Nations and private concerns) facilitating thus and expediting the obtention of precious material and

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information required by our Government. The Department in Quebec which have been helped this way include - besides our own Department of Intergovernmental Affairs - the Department of Justice, the Department of Communications, the Department of Municipal Affairs, the National Library, etc.

The Information Services have answered an average of 200 inquiries per month covering a multitude of subjects such as education, taxes, purchase of land, immigration, employment, Quebec social services such as our health insurance, Quebec Pension Plan. Marriage, divorce and adoption are also frequent subjects covered.

Visitors have come to consult the library at a rhythm of thirty a month. This figure is included in the 200 inquiries mentioned in the previous paragraph. Visitors are mostly interested in the Quebec Statutes, the Quebec Taxation system; they wish copies of various bills and laws enacted, want to consult our import and export reports, geological reports, files on our social security system. Students are concerned with our historical background, our language, our education system, criminal and penal matters in Quebec.

The Information Services have taken a very active part in securing local information for the Economic and Administrative Services. They have also obtained from the various department of the Government in Quebec and the Government in Ottawa and other sources of information in Canada the literature necessary for the promotion of the Economic Section.

The library has acquired twenty new volumes of French Canadian literature during the last six months.

Our Services have also helped a variety of Quebec residents seeking help: starting with students in need of medical care to owners of towed-away cars. The premises of the Delegation were shown and the aims of this Delegation briefly explained to approximately 25 visitors who happened to "drop in" during this period.

INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT

The activities of the Department during this period covered these specific areas:

1) Industrial Development - A second industrial development officer joined the section in late June, 1972. A total of 28 projects involving new or expanded production facilities in Quebec received primary attention during the period.

Assistance was given 12 Quebec-based manufacturers in making contact with American companies who could provide potential affiliation.

2) Trade Development - There was 23 projects involving programs of assistance for Quebec manufacturers wishing to expose their products to the American market.

3) Economic Development - Both the Government of Quebec and its principal utility, Hydro-Quebec, had bond issues on the American market during the period. Promotional activities with the investment community continued.

11. ACTIVITIES (Cont'd)TOURIST OFFICE

During the past 6 months, between July 1st '72 and December 31st '72, the Tourist Office received 19,224 inquiries for travel information to the Province of Quebec.

Visitors: 6,413

Telephones: 5,933

Inquiries by mail: 6,878

The Tourist Publicity Service offered the "Québec Nights" to its members of different associations and officers of ski clubs, which "nights" consisted of wine and cheese tasting. The schedule of the "Québec Nights" was as follows:

Chicago, October 25th  
 Detroit, October 31st  
 Cleveland, November 1st  
 Boston, November 8th  
 New York, November 13th  
 Philadelphia, November 20th  
 Nassau, N.Y., November 21st

The Tourist Office also participated to the Ski Shows in the following cities:

Hartford, from October 19th to 22nd  
 Chicago, from October 26th to 29th  
 Detroit, from November 2nd to 5th  
 Boston, from November 9th to 12th  
 New York, from November 16th to 19th  
 L.I. Nassau, from November 24th to 26th

On November 15th '72, a "Journée du Québec" (Quebec Day) was organized by the Hartford Times in collaboration with the Tourist Office of this delegation, The Canadian Government Travel Bureau and Air Canada. The activities of the day consisted of 15 minutes of radio broadcasting on Quebec, presentation of films and distribution of approximately 4,000 tourist pamphlets on Quebec. For the evening a forum was organized at the West Hartford High School which gathered 800 people.

On November 27th, on the occasion of the visit in New York of representatives of ski centers in Quebec attending the ski show, this office welcomed more than 100 journalists and travel agents for that occasion.

Film Distribution. The Tourist Office who takes care of the films has distributed during the past 6 months 1,874 films reaching an approximate audience of 95,665 people. Those films were shown to different associations: colleges, universities, sporting clubs, religious groups and television groups.

11. ACTIVITIES (Cont'd)

During the same period the Tourism Counsellor met numerous travelling agents and assisted at the monthly luncheon of the Society of American Travel Writers of the National Organization of Foreign Government Tourist Representative (ANTOR) and of the Canadian Society of New York and also assisted at many touristic and social events.

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11. ACTIVITIES (Cont'd)BOSTON OFFICE

During the second semester of the year 1972, the Québec Government Bureau located in Boston and covering the New England States maintained its usual activities with a view to promoting business, financial and commercial contacts, as well as friendly cultural, tourist and general relations on a mutually profitable basis.

1) Industrial Development. This office keeps on assisting corporations and individuals in developing plans for new projects and/or expansion of existing plants located in the Province of Québec. Actually, we have nine of these projects which we can consider as having good potential, and every month we send information on Québec to more than two hundred business leaders in our area.

Two very large investment conglomerates are also interested in investing in Québec and a multi-million dollar project should be announced in the very near future.

2) Trade and Commerce Promotion. The Boston Office has put a great emphasis on this section because the New England area constitutes a natural market for all Québec products. We worked it both ways, trying to find distributors and dealers for our Québec companies and helping American importers to find sources of supply. We accompanied 75 buyers to the Montréal Furniture Market Show, and we were successful in bringing several buyers to the Montréal International Shoe Show and the Exhibition of Manufacturing Services in Hartford, Connecticut.

Our active participation in other shows such as the Newport International Sailboat Show, the Five-Flag Expo and a few others revealed to be very productive. The statistics readily show that Québec exports have increased tremendously in almost every field of activity, and we think that this office has contributed a lot to this situation.

3) Tourist Information. In spite of the fact that a Tourist officer has not been hired, we have been very active in this sector. Two of our major realisations, other than the usual information released through this office, were the Québec Day in Hartford and the Québec Night in Boston. Both events proved very successful.

4) Cultural Relations. The State of Rhode Island has set up a Commission to foster the relations between French Canada, i.e. Québec and the numerous Franco-Americans and Francophiles living in that state. This office has also assisted some universities in organizing lectures, conferences and regular courses on the French-Canadian culture, and several teachers from high schools and other levels of learning were in contact with the Boston office in order to obtain information and other materials for their teaching.

5) General Data.

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| a) Participation at reunions, meetings, committees, conventions, etc.                  | 22  |
| b) Various contacts (telephone calls, letters, office visits) on all kinds of subjects | 721 |

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| c) Tourist information (office visits, mailing of brochures, etc) | 196              |
| d) Speeches and conferences delivered to various organizations    | 14               |
| e) Industrial and commercial shows                                | 14               |
| f) Entertainment (as hosts or guests)                             | 127 appearances. |

Finally, the Boston Office organized a two-day visit to Boston for all the members of the Committee of Inquiry on Automobile Insurance in Québec. They had fruitful meetings with local executives of the insurance companies, the higher civil servants of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts involved in safety, insurance, registration, etc., and also with some professors of the Law School of Harvard University.

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11. ACTIVITIES (Cont'd)CHICAGO OFFICE

The Québec Government Office in Chicago continues to expand its activities in the fields of industrial and commercial promotion, and has added a Tourist Counsellor who will develop and serve the rich tourist market in the Midwest. The Economic Counsellor in charge of the office reports the following activities during the last 6 months of 1972:

Industrial Development. A major Chicago pharmaceuticals firm effected a \$3 million expansion in Montréal. The office has worked closely with 11 Midwestern firms who are seriously considering establishing manufacturing operations in Québec, and has assisted 11 companies who are contemplating acquisition of or association with Québec firms. The Economic Counsellor visited 3 of the 11 states covered by the office, calling on some 60 companies to whom he made presentations on Québec. In addition to these companies, industrial promotion letters and material on Québec were addressed to 110 industries in 8 states.

Trade & Commerce. The Commercial Counsellor, in cooperation with the Montréal office, organized a 10-day in-store promotion in two stores in Madison, Wisconsin. This promotion -- the first of its scope put on by Québec in the U.S. -- featured leather and suede outerwear from Québec, and resulted in substantial sales as well as an upsurge of interest and awareness of Québec as a tourism center on the part of the people of Madison. The office also organized two major Missions: a Menswear Mission which brought 5 manufacturers to Chicago and Minneapolis where their on-the-spot sales totalled \$70,000; and a Food Mission which brought 6 manufacturers to Chicago where they accepted several orders and negotiated agreements with brokers and agents who will sell their products in the Midwest. The Commercial Counsellor generated and helped coordinate trips to Montréal for buyers from 7 Midwest stores, and also promoted the Montréal Footwear and Furniture shows through mailings to Midwest buyers. The office worked with 6 Québec manufacturers looking for outlets in this area, and with 5 American companies looking for sources of supply in Québec. The Commercial Counsellor also cooperated with Québec manufacturers who exhibited at the NOPA and EMS Shows, and organized a reception for 150 agents and buyers on the occasion of the NOPA Show.

Tourism. The Tourist Counsellor joined the office late in the year, but has contacted 20 Travel Agencies to whom she made presentations on Québec. The Tourist Counsellor was also involved in "Québec Night", a reception given for officers of 60 local ski clubs on the occasion of the Chicago Ski Show, and wrote follow-up letters to these clubs.

11. ACTIVITIES (Cont'd)DALLAS OFFICE

During the last semester of 1972, the main activities of the Quebec Government House in Dallas, covered the following fields:

1) Industrial Development. Attracting new industries and capital investments to the Province of Québec, remain our principal endeavour; the creation of additional jobs and the increase of employment being the main objective. After many months of negotiations, a metallurgic industry from Tennessee, finalized its project and established a plant in Quebec. The investment involved is in the order of \$700,000.00. This company will provide employment for 15 persons at the start of its operations, with an estimated increase to 25 after the first year.

During the last six months, the Director visited ten of the twelve States assigned to the Dallas Office, contacting about 100 potential investors. The constantly growing interest in Quebec, of the manufacturers in the Southern States, has enabled us to open 26 new files on companies considering manufacturing operations in our Province. Of the contacted firms, eighteen showed an interest in the possibility of granting manufacturers in Québec. Others, seem to show preference towards a joint venture with existing Canadian companies.

During November, the Director spent approximately two weeks in Montreal and Québec, at the occasion of the annual meeting of the Quebec Government Representatives abroad, and met with officers from the Department of Industry and Commerce, as well as from the Department of Intergovernmental Affairs. He also met with the members of the Quebec Association of Industrial Commissioners, during their annual convention in Quebec City.

2) Trade Promotion. Because of the limited time we can devote to this activity, we must rely to a great extent on the close cooperation of the Canadian Consulates located in our territory. We were indeed encouraged by the opening of a new Consulate General in Atlanta, Ga., bringing to three the number of Canadian Consulates in the 12 States assigned to this office.

Through our efforts and with the sustained support of the Canadian Consulates, we are able to supply adequate trade information to Quebec manufacturers interested in marketing their products in the American Southern States which comprise our territory.

During the period covered by this report, we have attended various trade shows, where our Quebec manufacturers have proven themselves, and were able to appoint responsible representatives as distributors and manufacturers' agents, which should lead to a profitable trade.

At their request, we have also supplied American companies, interested in exporting to Canada, lists of Canadian distributors of various merchandise and products.

3) Tourism. In this field of activities, the demand seems to be increasing constantly. Even though our office is not adequately equipped or sufficiently staffed to qualify as a Quebec Travel Bureau, we try to answer as efficiently

11. ACTIVITIES (Cont'd)

as possible the various inquiries received, not only from different parts of the U.S., but occasionally from Europe. We keep on hand an up-to-date stock of brochures, provided by our Quebec Department of Tourism, on the most frequently visited cities in our Province: Montreal and Quebec. To complete our documentation, we also have literature on the various regions of Quebec, the Provincial Parks, regulations on fishing and game hunting, winter sports, etc.

A few days after the closing of the Munich Olympics, we received a few phone calls asking us for hotel reservation for the 1976 Summer Olympics to be held in Montreal. Needless to say that we could not comply with such requests, however, this leads us to believe that we will surely receive in the future, many more inquiries on this event, and we must plan accordingly.

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11. ACTIVITIES (Cont'd)LOS ANGELES OFFICE

During the last six months of the year the Los Angeles Office has concentrated its efforts in the following areas:

1) Industrial Development. Mr. Maurice Lalonde, Director of Economic Counsellor, has contacted American firms daily in order to carry out discussions and negotiations with interested parties who would like to invest in Quebec.

Business promotion letters and promotional material are mailed monthly to executives of major companies located in the ten Western States. During the month of September, 8 firms were brought to Los Angeles on a sales mission. The purpose of this mission was to contact American firms dealing in defense contracts in order to offer their services as a subcontractor. Mr. Lalonde attended the Mining Congress held in San Francisco during the month of September, so he could meet and discuss with interested parties the mining activities in Quebec.

2) Commercial Development. The Commercial Counsellor, Mr. Carl Light, in cooperation with Montreal Office and the Canadian Consulate in Los Angeles, San Francisco and Seattle, was able to send several buyers into Quebec for the various trade shows. A mission of eight manufacturers was sent to Los Angeles for the 75th California Gift Show which was held in July.

3) Travel and Tourism. The Los Angeles Office receives many inquiries weekly regarding travel and tourist attractions that are available in Quebec. Informational brochures along with suggested agendas are mailed to the requesters. Mr. Lalonde attended the ASTA Convention held in Las Vegas during the month of November. He was accompanying Mr. Claude Simard, Minister of Tourism and Mr. Robert Letendre in order to further promote tourism in Quebec.

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11. ACTIVITIES (Cont'd)

LAFAYETTE OFFICE

Continued activities of previous six months without finalization and without inaugurating new ones. The role of the Lafayette Office is principally to promote cultural and educational exchanges between U.S. and Quebec.

The contacts of the officer in charge are mainly with government officials, universities, colleges, and with representatives of CODOFIL.

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14. (a) RECEIPTS - MONIES

BREAKDOWN OF OFFICE EXPENSES

Postage	\$ 6,716.88
Messenger & Freight Service	2,036.90
Taxis, Car rentals	851.24
Telephone	18,824.97
Telex, Telegrams	958.19
Miscellaneous (incl. petty cash)	2,781.08
Office equipment (incl. rent and maintenance for same)	8,864.71
Printing & Stationery	6,092.94
Publications, Magazine & Newspaper Subscriptions	5,733.71
Car expenses (parking, repairs, gasoline)	2,668.13
Receptions	<u>6,270.79</u>
TOTAL	<u><u>\$ 61,799.54</u></u>

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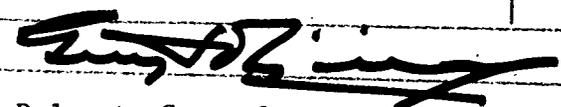
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REGISTRATION SECTION

Section A

The Department records list active short-form registration statements for the following persons of your organization on the date indicated with each name. Please show below whether each person is still functioning in the same capacity as indicated. If not, show date of termination.

(Use separate sheet is necessary to explain "yes" answers.)		ACTIVE?		IF YES- ANY MAJOR CHANGES?		IF NO- DATE ENDED
		Yes?	No?	Yes?	No?	
Richard H. Baum	Filed 9/20/71 Officer	X			X	
William G. Brayley	Filed 9/16/70 Director, Industry & Commerce	X			X	
Charles Chartier	Filed 9/2/64 Agent General		X			Sept. 30/69
Donald F. Clairmonte	Filed 2/3/72 Commercial Attache	X			X	
F. Alfred Dansereau	Filed 5/7/70 Counsellor	X			X	
Rene F. Duchesne	Filed 4/20/71 Dir. of Tourism	X			X	
Edward J. Ives	Filed 9/16/70 Consultant	X			X	
Maurice R. Lalonde	Filed 5/7/70 Counsellor	X			X	
Leo A.J. Leblanc	Filed 5/7/70 Counsellor	X			X	
Carl W. Light	Filed 4/10/72 Officer	X			X	
Paul Lussier	Filed 4/20/71 Counsellor		X			March 1st/72
Jean-Guy Monfette	Filed 8/9/72 Admin. Director	X			X	
Guy Poliquin	Filed 2/3/72 Delegate General	X			X	
Jean-Marc Roy	Filed 9/11/67 Admin. Officer		X			June 15/72
Fernand Renault	Filed 4/20/71 Info. Director		X			March 31/72
Roger Therien	Filed 9/16/70 Counsellor		X			Dec. 31/71
Jean M. Tremblay	Filed 5/7/70 Counsellor	X			X	
Michèle V. Lortie	Filed 1/2/73 Tourist Counsellor	X			X	

Signature 

Date February 15, 1973

Title Delegate General