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STATISTICS FOR 1981 REPORTED UNDER
ARTICLE VI:9 OF THE AGREEMENT

Report by Canada

The delegation of Canada has submitted its statistical report for 1981.
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Canada

Statistical Report required under Article VI:9 of the
Agreement on Government Procurement (1981)

- a) Global statistics on the estimated value of contracts awarded, both above and below the threshold of Canadian \$228,000, by entities covered by the Agreement.

Above the threshold	Can. \$	536.4 million
Below the threshold		621,9 million
Total		<u>Can. \$1,158.3 million</u>

- b) Number and total value of contracts awarded above the threshold value, broken down by entities, categories of products and either nationality of the winning tenderer or country of origin of the product.

- i) In 1981, 319 contracts valued at \$536.4 million were awarded by entities covered by the Agreement. Of these, 265 contracts valued at \$411.7 million were awarded to vendors located in Canada i.e. Vendor Supply Point (the geographic location where goods are manufactured or services performed or shipping point) in Canada. It should be noted that the value of contracts with VSP in Canada contains a high proportion of foreign content. A substantial number of contracts were supplied by Canadian based importers from warehouses in Canada and, as such, were coded with VSP in Canada.

The remaining 54 contracts valued at \$124.7 million were awarded to foreign vendors i.e. VSP abroad. Of these contracts 53 were awarded to vendors in signatory countries. (Table I refers). One contract valued at \$.4 million was awarded to a Vendor located in Ghana.

- ii) Value of contracts above the threshold awarded by categories of products (Table II refers). No contracts valued above the threshold were awarded in the following groups:

- 10 - Non-Ferrous Metals and Articles
- 18 - Railway Vehicles and Associated Equipment
- 21 - Sanitary, Plumbing, Heating and Lighting Fixtures, and Fittings, NES.

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- Value of contracts above the threshold awarded by entities. (Table III refers). No contracts valued above the threshold were awarded by the following entities:
 - Department of Consumer and Corporate Affairs
 - Department of Finance including: Department of Insurance, Anti-Dumping Tribunal, Municipal Development and Loan Board, Tariff Board
 - Department of Labour including: Canada Labour Relations Board
 - Auditor General of Canada
 - Privy Council Office including: Canada Intergovernmental Conference Secretariat, Commissioner of Official Languages, Economic Council, Public Service Staff Relations Board, Federal Provincial Relations Office, Office of the Governor General's Secretary
 - National Capital Commission
 - Ministry of State for Science and Technology including: Science Council
 - National Battlefields Commission
 - Office of the Chief Electoral Officer
 - Treasury Board
 - Canadian International Development Agency (on its own account)
 - Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council
 - Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council
 - Fisheries Price Support Board

- C) Statistics on the total number and value of contracts awarded under each of the provisions of Article V:15 (Table IV refers). Of the 319 contracts valued at \$536.4 million, 144 contracts valued at \$230.1 million were awarded under the single source provisions of Article V:15. Of these, 32 contracts valued at 79.7 million had been let prior to the entry into force of the Agreement.

TABLE I

Country	Number of Contracts	Value of Contracts	% of Value
		\$(000)	
United States	38	103,019	82.6
European Communities	13	20,687	16.6
Switzerland	<u>2</u>	<u>608</u>	<u>.5</u>
Sub-total	53	124,314	99.7
Ghana	<u>1</u>	<u>410</u>	<u>.3</u>
Total	<u>54</u>	<u>124,724</u>	<u>100.</u>

TABLE II
Contracts awarded above the Threshold

Product Groups	Description	Vendor Supply Point		Total
		Canada	Abroad	
		\$(000)	\$(000)	\$(000)
1	Products from Agriculture and from agricultural and food processing industries	304	-	304
2	Mineral products	250,614	8,281	258,895
3	Chemicals and chemical allied industries	2,151	-	2,151
4	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	295	-	295
5	Artificial resins, plastic materials, cellulose esters, rubber, leather, furskins	2,331	-	2,331
6	Wood and articles of wood	9,286	6,278	15,564
7	Textiles and textile articles	5,254	-	5,254
8	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos	325	-	325
9	Iron and steel products	544	571	1,115
10	Non-ferrous metals and articles thereof	-	-	-
11	Power generating machinery and equipment	2,111	-	2,111
12	Machinery specialized for particular industries	6,155	-	6,155
13	General industrial machinery and equipment	14,842	6,255	21,097
14	Office machines and automatic data processing equipment	21,614	2,192	23,806
15	Telecommunications & sound recording reproduction apparatus and equipment	1,983	1,726	3,709

TABLE II (continued)

Product Groups	Description	Vendor Supply Point		Total
		Canada	Abroad	
		\$(000)	\$(000)	\$(000)
16	Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances and electrical parts thereof	2,778	417	3,195
17	Road vehicles	19,886	10,273	30,159
18	Railway vehicles and associated equipment	-	-	-
19	Aircraft and associated equipment	49,395	55,918	105,313
20	Ships, boats and floating structures	380	-	380
21	Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, NES	-	-	-
22	Medical, dental, surgical and Veterinary equipment	1,539	305	1,844
23	Furniture and parts thereof	4,153	242	4,395
24	Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus	8,049	2,362	10,411
25	Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods watches and clocks	1,420	731	2,151
26	Miscellaneous articles	6,260	29,173	35,433
	Total	411,669	124,724	536,393

TABLE III
Contracts awarded above the Threshold

Entity	Vendor Supply Point				TOTAL	
	Canada		Abroad			
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
		\$(000)		\$(000)		\$(000)
Dept. of Agriculture	2	742	2	816	4	1,558
Dept. of Energy, Mines and Resources	9	3,962	2	680	11	4,642
Dept. of Employment and Immigration	7	2,772	-	-	7	2,772
Dept. of External Affairs	-	-	3	1,128	3	1,128
Dept. of the Environment	8	5,742	3	1,351	11	7,093
Dept. of Indian Affairs and Northern Development	5	2,778	-	-	5	2,778
Dept. of Industry, trade and Commerce	3	2,141	-	-	3	2,141
Dept. of Justice	1	293	-	-	1	293
Dept. of National Defence	153	326,475	41	117,928	194	444,403
Dept. of National Health and Welfare	2	548	-	-	2	548
Dept. of National Revenue	4	3,653	-	-	4	3,653
Dept. of Post Office	26	26,208	1	2,336	27	28,544
Dept. of Public Works	13	19,067	-	-	13	19,067
Dept. of Regional Economic Expansion	1	304	-	-	1	304
Secretary of State of Canada	3	963	1	249	4	1,212
Solicitor General	15	7,132	-	-	15	7,132
Dept. of Supply and Services	9	7,330	-	-	9	7,330
Dept. of Veterans Affairs	1	404	-	-	1	404
National Research Council	3	1,155	1	236	4	1,391
Total	265	411,669	54	124,724	319	536,393

TABLE IV
Single Tendering (Article V:15)

Sub-paragraph	Number of Contracts	Value	%
a)	5	1.6 million	1.1
b)	56	114.9 million	76.4
c)	6	9.3 million	6.2
d)	41	21.8 million	14.5
e)	1	2.8 million	1.8
Total	109	150.4 million	100.0