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## PRESENTATION OF CREDENTIALS

His Excellency Shri Yogesh Mohan Tiwari, High Commissioner of the Republic of India and His Excellency Baron Diederik Henricus Maria Speyart Van Woerden, Ambassador of the Kingdom of the Netherlands presented their Credentials to President Wee Kim Wee, at the Istana this morning. The ceremonies were held separately.

His Excellency Shri Yogesh Mohan Tiwari succeeded His Excellency Shri K Sankaran Nair. His Excellency Baron Diederik Henricus Maria Speyart Van Woerden succeeded His Excellency Mr Peiter A Van Buuren.

Their respective CVs are attached.

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SHRI YOGESH MOHAN TIWARI  
INDIAN AMBASSADOR-DESIGNATE TO SINGAPORE

Born: 1 July 1943

Age: 45

Marital Status: Married  
Has three children

Education: M.Sc (Maths)

Career: July 1966 Joined Ministry of External Affairs

Jun 68 - Second Secretary  
Nov 70 (Special Assistant to Ambassador)  
Embassy of India, Moscow

Dec 70- Under Secretary (UK & Commonwealth)  
Jun 71 Ministry of External Affairs

Jun 71- Second Secretary/First Secretary  
Nov 75 Embassy of India, Stockholm

Dec 75- Deputy Secretary (Africa)  
Jul 78 Ministry of External Affairs

Aug 78- First Secretary/Deputy High  
May 81 Commissioner  
High Commission of India, Nairobi

May 81- Counsellor/Minister  
Jul 84 Embassy of India, Jeddah

Jul 84- Joint Secretary  
to date Ministry of External Affairs

Remarks: -

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BARON DIEDERIK HENRICUS MARIA SPEYART VAN WOERDEN  
AMBASSADOR-DESIGNATE OF THE NETHERLANDS TO SINGAPORE

Born: 18 November 1928  
Zutphen, The Netherlands

Age: 59

Marital Status: Married Baroness Hieronyma L J Von Munchhausen

Education: Secondary School, 1946  
Law degree, University of Nijmegen,  
The Netherlands, 1955

Career: 1958-60 Attache in Washington  
1961-64 Second Secretary in Bonn  
1964-68 Second Secretary in Berne  
1968-71 First Secretary in Islamabad  
1972-76 Counsellor in Paris  
1976-79 Consul-General in Istanbul  
1979-83 Consul-General in Montreal  
1983-88 Consul-General in West Berlin

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