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NATIONAL LIBRARY PRESS RELEASE**FOR IMMEDIATE DISTRIBUTION****National Library Children's librarian awarded
Colombo Plan Fellowship for Advanced Training
in Librarianship**

Mrs. V. Perumbulavil, Higher Library Officer and Head of the Children's Section of the National Library has been awarded a Canadian Colombo Plan Fellowship for advanced training in librarianship.

Mrs. Perumbulavil leaves for Canada on Sunday and will spend three months in the Toronto Public Libraries Boys and Girls House. She will undergo practical training in advanced librarianship with particular emphasis on library services to children and teenagers. Her course of training will include book reviewing and selection, storytelling, puppetry, book talks and classes in book presentation as part of the library staff training programme and participation in staff meetings.

Mrs. Perumbulavil, B.A. Hons. and Dip. Ed., from the University of Singapore joined the library service in 1959 and has been head of the Children's Section since 1964. She was first awarded a Colombo Plan Scholarship in 1963 to study librarianship at the New Zealand Library School in Wellington.

Mrs. Hedwig Anuar
Director,
National Library.

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