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VICTORIA CROSS WINNER BEING HONOURED IN TORONTO

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On **WEDNESDAY, 21 AUGUST 1996**, a commemorative service will be held at Branch 360 of The Royal Canadian Legion (326 Queen Street West) in honour of Canadian **VICTORIA CROSS** recipient, Filip **KONOWAL**. Among the honoured guests attending are His Excellency, Volodymyr Furkalo, Ukraine's Ambassador to Canada, the Honourable David Collette, MP, Canada's Minister of National Defence, and Major General B.E. Stephenson. The event begins at **11:00 am**. The public is cordially invited to the outdoor installation ceremony and consecration of a trilingual historical marker in Konowal's honour.

The honorary patron of Branch 360 of The Royal Canadian Legion was the late Filip Konowal. A trilingual booklet about Konowal's life and wartime valour, co-authored by Messrs Luciuk and Sorobey, entitled **KONOWAL**, will also be released in Toronto on this date.

These events are co-sponsored by the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 360 and the Ukrainian Canadian Civil Liberties Association.

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