

Development Assistance Co-operation

- The Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA) program in Indonesia is one of its largest, averaging some \$30 million annually. Programs focus on the environment, economic co-operation, human resource development and human rights.
- Canada's bilateral development assistance for 1994-95 totalled \$31.5 million. During his visit last November, Prime Minister Chrétien announced a contribution of \$30 million over the next five years to support three development co-operation projects. The funding expands Canadian development assistance programming in the areas of women in development and gender equity; education and research; and community development and health in East Timor through CARE Canada.
- CIDA is one of the world's largest aid donors to East Timor. Funds are channelled through UNICEF, churches, local grassroots organizations, CARE Canada and the International Committee of the Red Cross.