

Lesotho

Bilateral development assistance in recent years has been approximately \$3 million annually with additional CIDA funding through Canadian NGOs and multilateral agencies. The program focuses on the University of Lesotho, small business development, low-income housing, forestry and a dairy processing project which has substantially encouraged private production.

Malawi

CIDA has undertaken a variety of bilateral projects in human resources, transportation, health and agriculture, and has contributed to the work of Canadian NGOs. Bilateral assistance in 1988/89 was \$8.79 million and support for NGOs was \$792,000. Canada also contributed \$3 million worth of food aid and \$1.42 million in humanitarian assistance to help refugees from Mozambique.

Mozambique

Development assistance to Mozambique for 1988/89 was estimated at \$34 million. This included \$20.71 million in food aid and \$2.4 million for bilateral projects. Through the SADCC program, substantial Canadian assistance was provided for the rehabilitation of the Limpopo and Nacala Railways (\$7.0 million). Cooperation Canada Mozambique (COCAMO), a consortium of 20 Canadian NGOs under the auspices of CCIC, is funding a large emergency relief and development project in Mozambique's northern Nampula province.

Swaziland

Bilateral aid in recent years has been about \$2 million annually with additional CIDA funding through NGOs and multilateral agencies. The program focuses on rural water supply, the University of Swaziland, technical and vocational education and dairy development. Swaziland faces reduced Canadian aid spending as a result of the CIDA budget cuts but is better able than most countries to absorb them as a result of its new-found relative prosperity.

Tanzania

Tanzania is the largest single recipient of Canadian development assistance in Africa. It amounted to \$40 million in 1988/89. Major projects have been in the energy, agriculture and transportation (railways) sectors, and balance-of-payments support. Petro-Canada International Assistance Corporation (PCIAC) is also active in Tanzania. The CIDA program in Tanzania is one of the nine major programs that have been decentralized to the field.