

the education and training institutes, and the applied research projects -- will be justified many times over in the years to come by making possible direct investment in development on a far vaster scale. We are proud to play our part.

In making this pledge of more than seven million dollars on behalf of the people of Canada, I should like to pay particular tribute to the work of these two great voluntary programmes which were created to assist the developing countries. In particular, I want to emphasize Canada's appreciation for the work of Mr. David Owen, the Chairman of the Technical Assistance Board, and Mr. Paul Hoffman, the Managing Director of the Special Fund.