

National Defence

The department of National Defence's ODA activities consist of the provision of Canadian Armed Forces support to Canada's response to the Ebola outbreak in Sierra Leone, costs associated with the reconstitution of the Disaster Assistance Response Team (DART) after its operation in the Philippines, and the cost of Operation PROTEUS, through which the Canadian Armed Forces have continued to build the capacity of Palestinian security forces.

Transport Canada

Transport Canada, through Canada Post, contributed to the Universal Postal Union to support the provision of technical assistance in developing countries.

Parks Canada

Parks Canada's official development assistance included its annual core contribution to UNESCO's World Heritage Fund and membership dues to the International Centre for the Study of Preservation and Restoration of Cultural Property (ICCROM) and the World Conservation Union (IUCN).

Employment and Social Development Canada

Employment and Social Development Canada, through the Labour Program, funded activities that promote better enforcement of national labour laws and greater respect for internationally recognized labour rights and principles. For example, it provided funding to the International Labour Organization for the implementation of a project in Colombia to support the development of the new National Strategy for the Prevention and Elimination of the Worst Forms of Child Labour. Officials from 10 leading government departments and institutions, in addition to trade unions, will receive training to develop the new strategy.

In addition, work undertaken since fiscal year 2013-2014 by the Costa Rica-based non-governmental organization Fundación para la Paz y la Democracia has led to upgraded and integrated electronic child labour case management systems in Panama and Honduras. Over 200 officials from both countries were trained on labour rights, child labour and women's rights.

Industry Canada

Industry Canada contributed to universal access to communications and information systems through its involvement with the International Telecommunication Union.

Canadian Revenue Agency

As a member of both international and regional tax organizations, the Canada Revenue Agency (CRA) promotes and influences the adoption of international tax standards and principles; promotes compliance and addresses issues of non-compliance; improves tax programs and services; and supports the development of sound tax administrations.

Statistics Canada

Statistics Canada hosted several study visits, during which representatives from Botswana, Cap Verde, China (Shanghai), India, Mexico and Senegal improved their understanding of such topics as census, price indices, quality assurance and time-series surveys. Statistics Canada chaired a task team at PARIS21 that produced new guidelines for national statistical development strategies, to be used by developing countries toward building more robust and accountable statistical systems.

Health Canada

Health Canada has been assisting the World Health Organization and African countries affected by Ebola in the review of vaccine clinical trials and other regulatory activities associated with the approval of potential therapies and vaccines.

Canadian Intellectual Property Office

The Canadian Intellectual Property Office (CIPO) contributed to the World Intellectual Property Organization's (WIPO) technical cooperation activities. In 2014–2015, CIPO, in partnership with WIPO, organized and delivered specialized training courses in the area of trademarks and patents to senior intellectual property executives in developing countries.