

Further projects will be developed in the months ahead as Canadians and Ukrainians identify areas for co-operation, especially through the use of Canadian experts and training programs to assist Ukraine's move towards a market-based economy. Some projects that are under consideration include those to assist the reform of Ukraine's economic regulations and financial institutions.

In addition, Mrs. McDougall also announced four other initiatives being undertaken by the Canadian private sector:

- Landford International of Toronto has announced a multimillion dollar commercial-hotel-office complex in downtown Kiev to be known as Canada Place to commemorate the twinning of Toronto and Kiev on July 29, 1991.
- A Canadian company, DWT International, has made a private corporate donation of \$500,000 in disposable syringes to a Kiev hospital.
- The Alberta Wheat Pool has joined an international consortium of companies proposing a package of technology to aid in the rehabilitation of agricultural lands damaged by the Chernobyl disaster.
- In order to help upgrade the native cattle population in Ukraine, a Ukrainian-Canadian joint venture, called Semex Ukraine, has been established and six Holstein bulls have been sent to Ukraine by the Canadian company, Semex Canada.
- The Canadian Bar Association is opening its 1992 Legal Internship Program to Ukrainian lawyers.

The technical assistance projects will be administered by the Task Force on Central and Eastern Europe of External Affairs and International Trade Canada. The Task Force was established in July 1990 to manage Canada's technical assistance to countries in economic and political transition in the region.

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