

**GENERAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA
AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF
BANGLADESH CONCERNING DEVELOPMENT COOPERATION**

The Government of Canada and the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh (hereinafter referred to as "the Government of Bangladesh"), wishing to strengthen the cordial relations existing between the two countries and moved by the desire to develop mutual cooperation in conformity with the objectives and priorities of economic and social development of Bangladesh, have agreed to the following:

ARTICLE I

The Government of Canada and the Government of Bangladesh will promote a programme of development cooperation between their two countries, which programme will consist of:

- (a) the provision of expert missions to Bangladesh in order to identify, analyse, appraise and evaluate development projects;
- (b) the provision of scholarships to citizens of Bangladesh for training in Canada, Bangladesh or a third country;
- (c) the provision of Canadian experts, instructors and technicians to provide services in Bangladesh through individuals, institutions or firms contracted by the Government of Canada;
- (d) the provision of equipment, materials, goods and services needed for the successful execution of development cooperation projects in Bangladesh;
- (e) the preparation of studies and projects designed to contribute to the economic and social development of Bangladesh; and
- (f) any other form of assistance which may be mutually agreed upon.

ARTICLE II

1. In pursuance of the objectives of this Agreement, the Government of Canada and the Government of Bangladesh may conclude subsidiary arrangements or loan agreements in respect of specific projects involving one or several components of the programme described in Article I.