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## PARKS CANADA

Parks Canada's ODA activities consist of Canada's annual core contribution to the UN Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization's World Heritage Fund, Canada's membership dues to the International Centre for the Study of the Preservation and Restoration of Cultural Property, and Canada's membership dues to the International Union for Conservation of Nature.

## CANADA POST

Canada Post transmits ODA-assessed contributions to the Universal Postal Union. Part of these contributions are used to provide technical assistance to developing countries to reduce the postal divide between industrialized and developing countries and enable the transfer of know-how.

## CANADIAN FOOD INSPECTION AGENCY

The Canadian Food Inspection Agency contributed to the Global Food Safety Partnership at the World Bank to improve food safety through capacity building and public-private partnership in developing countries. The agency also provided technical assistance to various government departments of developing countries to manage food safety risk and increase their knowledge in food safety. The Canadian Food Inspection Agency also funded technical assistance to address non-compliance issues in foods exported by developing countries and emerging economies to Canada.

## STATISTICS CANADA

Statistics Canada provides technical assistance to strengthen statistical capacity in developing countries by working bilaterally, regionally and through institutions like the Partnership in Statistics for Development in the 21st Century. In 2016-2017, Statistics Canada organized several study visits, seminars and workshops to strengthen the foundation for more evidence-based policy decisions for improved economic growth and socio-economic living conditions in developing countries and regions. Canada's active participation in the Inter-agency and Expert Group on Sustainable Development Goal Indicators (IAEG-SDGs), including hosting the fifth meeting of the IAEG-SDGs, provided necessary expertise for the development of global indicators for measuring the Sustainable Development Goals.

## ROYAL CANADIAN MINT

The Royal Canadian Mint contributed to Canada's ODA in 2016-2017 through the donation of computers to elementary schools in the Philippines via the World Computer Exchange.

## CANADIAN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY OFFICE

The Canadian Intellectual Property Office is responsible for the administration and processing of the greater part of intellectual property in Canada. Areas of activity include trademarks, patents, copyright, industrial designs and integrated circuit topographies. During 2016-2017, the office responded to 13 technical assistance projects. This assistance was provided in the form of search and examination reports for patent applications. The Canadian Intellectual Property Office responded to several requests from Asia and South America, the largest beneficiary regions, as well as from individual countries, such as Antigua and Barbuda.

## HEALTH CANADA

Health Canada works with other federal departments and agencies, NGOs, other countries, Indigenous partners and the private sector to collaborate on regulatory efforts. In 2016-2017, Health Canada assisted the World Health Organization and the African Vaccine Regulatory Forum to build their capacity, and improve their harmonization of practices in developing vaccines.