

Travel Stabilization Fund

A travel fund of \$1 million, built up over the four-year period preceding the Games, will provide the additional financial support necessary to ensure that all Commonwealth Games Associations are in a position to send their full team to the Games. Donor countries might wish to provide support in the form of airline charters or reduced fares on national airlines.

Approximate cost: \$1 million over games quadrennial

Sport Development Assistance

Individual sport development projects are relatively inexpensive. A great many projects can be carried out for the proposed amount of \$2.5 million per annum. To begin with, it is necessary to establish the kinds of assistance donor countries are willing to contribute. It is also essential that developing countries identify and prioritize their greatest needs. In this area, it is desirable to have activities which will produce the greatest multiplier effect in the recipient country.

Costs will often be tied to transportation costs and can range from the provision of equipment at \$1,000, to a coaching clinic at approximately \$2,500, and a three-year coaching certification programme at \$45,000. At the highest end of the scale, the cost of construction of a facility could fall anywhere between \$5 million and \$50 million.

Corporate sponsors will be encouraged to play a much greater role in the funding of these projects.

Approximate cost: \$2.5 million per annum