

There are still more ways in which the Government can help and it will be giving consideration to them.

Within the United Nations context, the World Disarmament Campaign has important potential in developing an informed public. The World Disarmament Campaign was launched in 1982 at the United Nations Second Special Session on Disarmament. The primary aim of the Campaign is to mobilize public opinion throughout the world on behalf of disarmament. It aims at informing, educating and generating public understanding and support for the objectives of the United Nations in the field of arms control and disarmament. The Campaign is intended to be carried out in all regions of the world in a balanced, factual and objective manner by the United Nations and its agencies, Member States, non-governmental organizations and research institutes. Canada, which played an important part in developing guidelines for the Campaign, will play an even greater role in the days ahead.

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My message to this wonderful meeting of concerned Canadians is a simple one: No rhetoric, no grand designs, no easy solutions. Rather, deep thinking, detailed work, hard slogging.

The days ahead will not be easy -- for me or for you.

But I am encouraged because we have each other in this long struggle for peace with security and freedom and justice.

Nor are we alone in this room. We are joined by Canadians across this land who care just as much as we do. We in Canada are joined by millions more throughout the world who want nothing more, and will accept nothing less, than the assurance of life.

All of us who have this new vision of humanity must work together. So give me your hand. Give me your help. Give me your work. Together we will provide that ray of hope the world longs for.