

Office of the High Representative and as deputy to the national ombudsman. Canada has also provided financial support for the Bosnian Human Rights Commission and for the Commission for Real Property Claims of Refugees and Displaced Persons.

- Canada helps finance the War Crimes Tribunal through its assessed contribution to the United Nations budget. In addition, Canada has voluntarily contributed about \$1.8 million, including \$600,000 for exhuming mass graves and building additional courtrooms. Canada's earlier contributions helped the tribunal establish a process for reviewing individual cases and ensure that arrests of suspected war criminals are consistent with international legal standards.
- Canadians appointed to the International Criminal Tribunal in The Hague include the chief prosecutor, a member of the appellate chamber, and the chief international legal adviser to the prosecutor. Canadians also work for the tribunal in other capacities.
- Canada supports the Open Broadcast Network through direct funding, training undertaken by experts from Radio-Canada, and the assignment of a media training co-ordinator to work in Bosnia-Herzegovina. Additional funds are being provided to the public information media campaign of the Office of the High Representative in an effort to increase the information flow on the peace process.
- Canada has provided funds and RCMP officers to the International Police Task Force and has financially supported the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights.

Anti-Personnel Mines

- Canada's objective is to work with national authorities and the international community, including non-governmental organizations and donor countries, to substantially reduce within five years the risk posed by anti-personnel mines to the people of Bosnia-Herzegovina.
- Through CIDA's Reconstruction Assistance Program, Canada has provided \$1 million to fund the entire mine awareness component of the World Bank's Land Mines Clearance Project.
- Canada provided \$500,000 through the UN for the Mine Action Centre in Bosnia-Herzegovina. In response to a request from the UN Department of Humanitarian Affairs, Canada also provided experts from the Defence Research Establishment in Suffield, Alberta, to field test hand-held detection equipment. In addition, six military officers were assigned to the Mine