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## INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT RESEARCH CENTRE

| OPERATIONAL UNIT                              | ACTIVITIES  | STAFF                                      | TRAINING INTERESTS    | CURRENT TRAINING AND<br>COMMENTS   |
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| ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL<br>RESOURCES DIVISION | <ul> <li>Manages and coordinates projects and programs related to<br/>environment and natural resources</li> <li>Gov't. to gov't interaction</li> </ul>   | - 1 Director General<br>- 15 Professionals | - No needs identified | <ul> <li>No specific training program in<br/>place</li> <li>Staff highly educated, with<br/>considerable field experience</li> </ul> |
| SOCIAL SCIENCES DIVISION                      | <ul> <li>Manages and coordinates projects and programs related to<br/>social sciences and macroeconomic policy</li> <li>Gov't to gov't interaction</li> </ul>   | - 1 Director General<br>- 9 Professionals  | - No needs identified | <ul> <li>No specific training program in<br/>place</li> <li>Staff highly educated, with<br/>considerable field experience</li> </ul> |
| HEALTH SCIENCES DIVISION                      | <ul> <li>Manages and coordinates projects and programs related to<br/>health sciences</li> <li>Gov't to gov't interaction</li> </ul>  | - 1 Director General<br>- 9 Professionals  | - No needs identified | <ul> <li>No specific training program in<br/>place</li> <li>Staff highly educated with<br/>considerable field experience</li> </ul>  |
| INFORMATION SCIENCES AND<br>SYSTEMS DIVISION  | <ul> <li>Manages and coordinates projects and programs related to<br/>information science and systems</li> <li>Gov't to gov't interaction</li> </ul>  | - 1 Director General<br>- 8 Professionals  | - No needs identified | <ul> <li>No specific training program in<br/>place</li> <li>Staff highly educated, with<br/>considerable field experience</li> </ul> |
| CORPORATE AFFAIRS                             | <ul> <li>Manages and coordinates projects and programs in<br/>partnerships, and management practices</li> <li>Gov't to gov't interaction</li> <li>Matches Canadian researchers with researchers in a foreign<br/>country</li> </ul> | - 1 Director General<br>- 7 Professionals  | - No needs identified | <ul> <li>No specific training program in<br/>place</li> <li>Staff highly educated, with<br/>considerable field experience</li> </ul> |
| FOREIGN OFFICES                               | <ul> <li>The IDRC has 7 offices abroad who assist with the projects and ongoing activities.</li> <li>Provide liaison with foreign government</li> </ul>   | - 40 Posted abroad                         |                       | - Foreign offices in Singapore, New<br>Delhi, South Africa, Nairobi, Cairo,<br>Senegal, and Uruguay                                  |



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