# JOINT CANADA-US GENDER SENSITIZATION TRAINING FOR CIVILIAN AND MILITARY PARTICIPANTS OF PEACE OPERATIONS

## FIRST BILATERAL OFFICIALS MEETING

## OTTAWA, WEDNESDAY 27 MAY 1998 8:30 - 15:00 B3-500

Objectives:

- To agree on the parameters of the joint initiative, ie. scope, substance, time line and process;
- To agree on a work calendar ;
- To agree on roles and responsibilities and next steps.

#### AGENDA

### 8:30

1/ Review the meeting's objectives;

- 2/ Discuss the terms of the joint initiative:
  - a) in general: the deliverable;
  - b) in particular: gender;
    - peace operations;
    - scope: clientele;

### 10:00 \* coffee break

- 3/ Discuss the process:
  - a) establishing a core advisory committee;
  - b) bringing in non-governmental expertise from North and South and OGDs;
  - c) requesting a proposal from the Pearson Peacekeeping Centre (PPC);
  - d) consulting on the proposal received;
  - e) developing the pilot, testing, and revising for delivery.
- 4/ Discuss roles and responsibilities, and time line;
- 5/ Agree on work calendar and next steps.

12:30 \* lunch

#### 13:30

6/ Wrap-up.

7/ Joint review of the draft conclusions of the meeting.