* Nigerian Peacekeeping	1979	Chad
Commonwealth Monitoring	1980	Rhodesia (now Zimbabwe)
Multinational Force	1982	Beirut
Multinational Force	1982-1983	Beirut
	Commonwealth Monitoring Multinational Force	Commonwealth 1980 Monitoring Multinational Force 1982

*This operation is generally considered as an African regional operation but not sponsored by the OAU.

ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES (OAS) PEACEKEEPING AND PEACE OBSERVATION OPERATIONS

Investigating Committee Military Experts	Date 1955	Location Costa Rica/ Nicaragua
Observation Team of Military Attachées	1955	Ecuador/ Peru
Investigating Committee of Military Advisors	1957	Honduras/ Nicaragua
Investigating Committee with Military Advisors	1959	Panama/Cuba
Investigating Committee with Military Advisors	1963-64	Cuba/ Venezuela
Inter-American Peace Force	1965-66	Dominican Republic
Supervision of Cease Fire Militarized Zone	1969-71	Honduras/ El Salvador
Verification of British Troop Strength	1972	Great Britain/ Guatemala
Military Observation	1976	Honduras/ El Salvador

ORGANIZATION OF AFRICAN UNITY (OAU) PEACEKEEPING AND PEACE OBSERVATION OPERATIONS

Date

Supervision of Cease-Fire & 1980 Restoration of Law & Order

Chad

Location

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CANADIAN PEACEKEEPING COMMITMENTS IN 1986*

Canada is presently committed to five UN-sponsored activities: Korea: The Canadian Forces Attaché in Seoul represents Canada on the Participating Nations Advisory Group as part of the United Nations Command Military Armistice Commission (UNMAC).

India-Pakistan: Canadian Participation in the United Nations Military Observer Group in India/Pakistan (UNMOGIP) involves the provision of a Hercules aircraft to assist in the twice yearly moves of UNMOGIP Headquarters between Sringar, India and Rawalpindi, Pakistan.

Cyprus: Canada has contributed peacekeeping troops to the United Nations Forces in Cyprus since 1964. During 1985, Cyprus continued to be the Canadian Forces' largest peacekeeping task, with 515 Canadian soldiers serving as peacekeepers on the island.

The Canadian contingent (CCUNFICYP) is responsible for a sector which includes the city of Nicosia where opposing factions are often only metres apart. Contingent operations involve manning observation posts along the ceasefire lines, conducting mobile patrols within the sector, investigating ceasefire violations, mediating disputes between the opposing forces and conducting humanitarian relief tasks.

Middle East: Canadian Forces continue to participate in two UN operations in the Middle East: the United Nations Truce Supervisory Organization (UNTSO) and the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (UNDOF).

In addition in 1985, responding to a specific request by the governments of Egypt and Israel, Canada agreed to participate in the Multinational Force and Observers based in the Sinai Peninsula. In order to meet this request, the Canadian government has sent 140 service personnel and nine Twin-Huey helicopters modified for desert operations to the area. The Canadians deployed in March 1986 to replace an Australian helicopter unit.

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