Development assistance

- Although Canada does not have a formal aid program for the Dominican Republic, it provided \$2.3 million in 2001–2 for development initiatives through the Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA).
- In April 2002, CIDA approved a five-year, \$5 million Haiti-Dominican Republic border initiative. It focuses on local governance, including management of natural resources and food security, basic health services, and education.