

Water Resources

A two year rural water supplies project which began in 1978 is being funded with \$16 million in grants for the rehabilitation of water supply schemes in the rural areas of Kenya. CIDA is providing about \$4 million for the project. Called the Isiolo water and rangeland development project, it will develop an adequate supply of livestock watering facilities and some roads in the Isiolo area of northern Kenya. The completion date is scheduled for 1980.

Rangeland Surveys

Another project involving the Kenya Rangeland and Ecological Monitoring Unit will establish the basis for a reliable and continuous flow of information on livestock, wildlife and vegetation in the rangeland areas. CIDA grants and loans total \$2.5 million for this project, which is scheduled for completion by 1980.

Agriculture

The Njoro wheat breeding project is designed to assist Kenya in breeding rust-resistant varieties of wheat. The CIDA contribution to date has included technical advisers and training awards through a \$1.04 million grant.

Public Administration

In the area of public administration, CIDA provided approximately \$4.3 million for the recently completed Project Planning and Evaluation Unit in the Ministry of Finance and Planning. This project has assisted in expanding the economic planning and managerial capabilities of the Kenyan Government. The CIDA contribution included professional and technical advisers, administrative personnel and services, and training awards.

CIDA is also providing technical staff and equipment through a \$1.25 million grant to strengthen the Kenyan Department of Mines and Geology. The project is slated for completion this year.

Education

In the field of education CIDA grants and loans of more than \$21 million provide the bulk of funding for the establishment of a technical teacher training college at Nairobi. The college will produce qualified technical, industrial and business education teachers and is scheduled for completion in 1982.

The Kenyatta National Hospital project was partially funded by a \$3.1 million grant and was completed in 1978. The project was designed to develop the faculties of medicine and paediatrics at the Kenyatta National Hospital through provision of Canadian medical professorial staff from McGill University, as well as postgraduate training for Kenyan doctors in Canada, some equipment, and library research materials.

Various other smaller education projects are also under way in Kenya.