

ZAMBIA FACT SHEET

Official Name Republic of Zambia

Independence Date October 24, 1964

Area 752,614 square kilometres
5% arable and under cultivation,
13% dense forest, 61% scattered
wood and grass

Population (Mid-1986 estimate) - 7.0 million

Capital Lusaka - population (1986) 725,000

Language English (official); 73 indigenous
languages

Economy GNP (1984) US\$ 2.6 billion
GNP (1984) per capita US\$ 470

Government Constitutional Republic,
One party state

Currency Zambian kwacha

Zambian Representation The Zambian High Commissioner to
Canada is His Excellency Humphrey
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Zambia is Miss Marion Macpherson.
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