France

- To open the doors of the Ministry of Defence's Engineering Academy in Angers (Ecole Supérieure du Génie) to foreign trainees and members of NGOs.
- To promote the establishment of a world data bank on the world's mined areas.

Germany

- To host an International Experts Conference on Demining, focused on mechanical mine clearance and detection technologies (early June 1998).
- To increase its current level of bilateral funding for demining activity, including mine-related education and awareness building (to approximately DM 20 million per annum).

Italy

- To provide US \$5.9 million for demining in 1998. An additional US \$1.25 million is expected for multilateral demining assistance.

Japan

- Within the framework of the Tokyo Guidelines, to extend ¥10 billion in assistance over the next five years in the fields of demining, vocational assistance and victim assistance.
- To make possible the provision of equipment or technologies necessary for humanitarian mine clearance.

Netherlands

- Commitment to step up efforts at demining, including the launch of a training program for 80 mine clearance instructors for humanitarian mine clearance operations.
- Research and development program looking at new, improved techniques for humanitarian mine clearance; first tangible results expected by the year 2000.

Norway

- US \$100 million contribution over five years, for mine clearance and awareness and mine victim assistance.

Romania

- Donation of demining equipment, a mine-related radiological laboratory and a mobile medical unit, to Angola.

Slovenia

- To assist Bosnia and Herzegovina in demining; and, in the context of mine action in Bosnia and Herzegovina, to establish an International Trust Fund for Demining, Mine Clearance and Assistance to Mine Victims.

Solomon Islands

- To undertake a study, with assistance from the UNDP, to determine the feasibility of removing unexploded ordnance left behind on the seabed from World War II.

Sweden

- Increase funding for demining to approximately Cdn \$28 million.
- Increase funding for R&D (multi-sensor mines detector) by approximately Cdn \$3 million. Start-up R&D project on the use of mine dogs, in cooperation with the Cambodian Mine Action Centre.
- Complete the establishment of a national mine clearance centre.
- Work on a database to complement that of the UN.