

As in previous JCC meetings, there were extensive discussions on international development issues. A progress report showed there has been considerable progress made with ongoing projects. A number of new project proposals were tabled for Canadian consideration.

Given the importance of these meetings, arrangements were made for the ASEAN officials to meet with Canadian media representatives. Questions focussed on the growing importance of Canada-ASEAN trade links, and political and economic conditions in Southeast Asia.

The Fourth Joint Cooperation Committee Meeting will be held in Thailand in November 1986.