

- Both the IMF and the World Bank have been active in providing technical assistance to Ukraine.
- The EBRD has undertaken an active lending program in Ukraine and may soon establish a venture capital fund to mobilize private capital. It could commit up to US\$150 million in loans in the next two years.

Bilateral Assistance

- In terms of bilateral assistance from governments, there have been several areas targeted for technical assistance funds, including democratic development and good governance, private sector development, social sector development, agriculture, environment and health.
- Canada's technical assistance program in Ukraine is aimed at supporting political and economic reforms and promoting long-term business links. To date, more than 60 projects, valued at more than C\$27 million, have been undertaken. These have included bringing senior Ukrainian government officials to Canada for training in different areas. Canada has also provided humanitarian assistance to Ukraine, through the Red Cross and the United Nations Children's Fund. It has also extended a C\$50 million line of credit through the Export Development Corporation.