

ACTION PLAN: OBJECTIVE THREE - CANADIAN VALUES AND CULTURE

ACTION	MILESTONE INDICATORS
<p>Support international market expansion opportunities for Canada's aboriginal peoples through the CIBS (Canada's International Business Strategy) framework and activities such as trade fairs and missions; organize a follow-up meeting to the first Aboriginal Economic Round Table; finalize work on the UN draft Declaration of Indigenous Peoples; complete work on a draft Inter-American Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples; and contribute to activities and initiatives in the International Decade of the World's Indigenous Peoples (1994-2004).</p>	<p>Incorporated in existing and future CIBS; integrated into 1997 and ongoing trade fairs and missions; organize Round Table meeting for 1998; finalize UN draft by 2004; complete Inter-American draft as soon as possible</p>
<p>Work with CIDA in negotiations on the replenishment of the Global Environment Facility.</p>	<p>Conclude a new replenishment in 1998</p>
<p>Better define the scope and coverage of the Basel Convention on the Transboundary Movement of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal through an amendment.</p>	<p>Passage of an amendment to better define the wastes covered by the Convention in 1997 and subsequent ratification</p>
<p>Integrate Human Rights, Women's and Children's Rights into the agenda of future Team Canada missions; establish a stand-by roster of Canadian human rights experts for UN missions; seek third term as a member of the UN Commission on Human Rights; co-host a meeting of UN human rights treaty experts.</p>	<p>Ongoing</p>
<p>Support UN objective of fully integrating women's rights and equality issues into the programs and agendas of international human rights fora, and support the UN Secretariat's objective of gender equality as well as the work of the UN Special Rapporteur on Violence Against Women.</p>	<p>Integration by 1998 and support for the achievement of gender equality within the UN by 2000</p>