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AFRICA¹

COUNTRY PROJECTS:

BENIN

* \$40,000 to the Supreme Court to train judges, public prosecutors and legal librarians, and to provide reference texts and assorted equipment.

*Indicates that amount is authorized under the African Human Rights Project (698-9801) or its successor the African Democracy and Human Rights Fund Project (698-0541).

¹ In order to be accountable for project funding, A.I.D. uses a system it developed to code funding for all A.I.D. projects by subject matter. All projects listed in this summary show that their overall goal is to strengthen democracy. However, this list only partially reflects each bureau's activities in democratic development and human rights. Assistance in areas such as education, training of local leaders, and assistance to improve the financial management in government, while impacting on democratic development, are coded to show that there are multiple objectives for each of these projects. To present the clearest picture of A.I.D. funding for democratic development, this summary only includes those projects which are coded showing that their overall goal is to strengthen democracy, and does not include projects with multiple objectives. (The recently created Near East Bureau, which was unable to develop activities during the Gulf War, integrated a number of democratic activities with existing projects. Those projects are cited in the Near East section, though the Bureau totals reflect only those projects whose overall goal is to strengthen democratic development.)

* \$17,000 for an election observation mission, organized by the African-American Institute, for the first round of elections held in mid-March.

* \$16,000 for an election observation mission, organized by the African-American Institute, for the second round of presidential elections held at the end of March.

* \$50,000 for election expenses.

BURKINA FASO

* \$20,000 to the Burkinabe Movement for the Rights of Man and Peoples (MBDHP) to increase journal circulation and outreach activities, and to provide office equipment and training.

BURUNDI

* \$18,000 to provide a consultant to assist with the development of a human rights conference.

* \$18,000 to provide a judicial administration expert to study the Burundi court system and to recommend improvements in the administration of justice.

* \$13,000 to provide a constitutional law expert to consult with the new constitutional commission.

CAMEROON

* \$40,000 to sponsor a journalist training seminar, focusing on assorted issues involving the free press.

* \$55,000 to the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs to conduct a multi-national mission to visit Cameroon to evaluate the democratization process.

CAPE VERDE

* \$12,000 to the Cape Verdean Institute for Minors for a project to promote children's rights.

*Indicates that amount is authorized under the African Human Rights Project (698-9801) or the African Democracy and Human Rights Fund Project (698-0541)

* \$10,000 to help in the establishment of a newspaper dedicated to human rights issues, managed by the National Committee on Human Rights, in cooperation with the National Lawyers Association.

* \$8,000 to support indigenous NGOs in a publicity campaign to reduce violence against women.

CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC

* \$11,400 for a workshop to train union representatives in the Central African Republic.

* \$16,700 for a seminar on the justice system and the civil code.

CHAD

* \$65,000 to support the Chadian Human Rights League.

CONGO

* \$25,000 to support the Comite National des Droits de L'Homme (CONADHO), a human rights group in the Congo dedicated to sensitizing the government and the public to human rights issues.

* \$20,000 to the Association of Women African Communicators of Congo.

* \$20,000 to the Volunteers for the Defense of Democracy (VDD) for a civic education project.

COTE D'IVOIRE

* \$21,000 for a human rights project to translate the Ivorian constitution and basic human rights documents into local languages and to disseminate them through audio-visual means and publications.

*Indicates that amount is authorized under the African Human Rights Project (698-9801) or the African Democracy and Human Rights Fund Project (698-0541).

GABON

* \$15,000 to the Gabon Chapter of the Association of Professional African Women in Communication (APAC-Gabon) to hold two journalism seminars and to provide material support.

GAMBIA

\$1,620,000 for the Financial Sector Restructuring project in FY 1991 in support of rule of law and administration of justice related to the financial sector.

* \$82,000 to the African Center for Democracy and Human Rights Studies (ACDHRS) for a conference facility.

* \$16,000 for a magistrates training program to strengthen district tribunals conducted at ACDHRS.

GHANA

* \$7,000 to the International Federation of Women Lawyers (FIDA) to publish pamphlets in local languages with the aim of promoting increased awareness of widowhood rights and wills.

GUINEA

* \$80,000 to provide books for a law library at the University of Conakry.

* \$10,000 to provide a computer for a library catalogue and legal codes for a law library at the University of Conakry.

GUINEA-BISSAU

* \$42,000 for technical assistance and other support for the constitutional reform efforts organized by the Constitutional Revision Committee.

*Indicates that amount is authorized under the African Human Rights Project (698-9801) or the African Democracy and Human Rights Fund Project (698-0541).

KENYA

- * \$45,000 to the International Federation of Women's Lawyers, Kenyan Chapter (FIDA/K) for an education project to increase government awareness of the needs of women in prison.
- * \$70,000 to the International Commission of Jurists/Kenya (ICJ/K) to hold seminars on human rights and basic freedoms including freedoms of expression, assembly, and association and to publish a quarterly newsletter on democracy and human rights.
- * \$25,000 to the National Council of Women for a rural women's education project.

LESOTHO

- * \$43,500 to the Federation of Women Lawyers for activities in support of women's rights, including training workshops and distribution of materials.
- * \$32,000 for a pre-election assessment performed by the International Foundation for Electoral Systems (IFES.)

MADAGASCAR

- * \$22,000 to the National Assembly to establish a legislative resource center.

MALAWI

- * \$30,000 to the Malawi Law Society to conduct workshops on assorted issues related to the delivery of justice and human rights.
- * \$4,200 to the Journalists Association of Malawi for a journalist training workshop.
- * \$26,000 to the Malawi Law Society for technical equipment.
- * \$16,200 to assist the Journalists Association of Malawi in starting a journal and newsletter.

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MALI

\$1,100,000 for the Mali Democratization project for electoral assistance and broad civic education in support of Mali's democratic transition.

- * \$5,300 to the Malian Association of Young Lawyers (AJAM) for a national forum on legal reform.
- * \$25,000 to the International Foundation for Electoral Systems (IFES) for a pre-electoral assessment.
- * \$25,000 for a constitutional expert.

MAURITANIA

* \$15,000 to the Union des Travailleurs Mauritanien (UTM) to produce booklets for human and workers rights, and a layman's guide to law.

MOZAMBIQUE

\$3,000,000 for the Mozambique Democracy Initiative project in support of free and fair elections, decentralization and an independent judiciary.

- * \$10,000 for a compilation of annual statutes, law codes and related materials for the Justice Ministry's Department of Research and Legislation.
- * \$71,000 for a program to train judges.
- * \$17,000 to provide support to the court system.
- * \$20,000 to the National Institute for Juridical Assistance (INAJ) to put on a public education program about basic civil rights, the results of which are to be translated and distributed throughout the northern provinces of the country.

*Indicates that amount is authorized under the African Human Rights Project (698-9801) or the African Democracy and Human Rights Fund Project (698-0541).

NAMIBIA

- * \$6,000 to the Namibian Legal Assistance Center for the purchase of legal reference materials.
- * \$5,000 to provide legal reference materials to the office of the Attorney General.

NIGERIA

- * \$16,500 to the Nigerian Institute for Advanced Legal Studies (NIALS) to design and implement a rule of law workshop.
- * \$15,000 to the Nigerian Association of University Women for a civic education program.

RWANDA

- * \$20,000 to the Rwandan Human Rights Association (ARDHO) for institutional support.
- * \$10,000 to the Rwandan Council of State to provide legal texts and reference materials.
- * \$10,000 for the publication of Supreme Court decisions.

SAO TOME AND PRINCIPE

- * \$22,000 to the Sao Tome Journalism Association for institutional support.

SENEGAL

- * \$66,000 for the publication of civic instruction booklets covering basic democratic rights and distribution to public schools.

*Indicates that amount is authorized under the African Human Rights Project (698-9801) or the African Democracy and Human Rights Fund Project (698-0541).

SIERRA LEONE

- * \$40,000 for legal reference materials for the courts.
- * \$5,000 for rural courts material support.
- * \$15,000 to provide training for local court personnel.

SOUTH AFRICA ²

SWAZILAND

- * \$3,500 to the Council of Swaziland Churches to assist in the production of brochures and a newsletter for a legal aid education project.

TANZANIA

- * \$12,000 to support the Commission on Multipartyism.

TOGO

- * \$20,000 to provide texts on human rights or comparative legal systems in French for use by the National Human Rights Commission, the Togolese Bar Association, and the University of Benin.
- * \$10,000 to support a series of meetings held by the National Human Rights Commission to encourage greater tolerance among inter-ethnic groups.
- * \$100,000 to publish documents related to the proceedings of Togo's national conference.

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² The program in South Africa, a related but separate activity, appears in a separate section at the end of the Africa summary.

UGANDA

* \$2,000 to the Supreme Court for an uninterrupted power supply system.

ZAIRE

* \$10,000 to the Zairian League for Human Rights (LZDH) for support for human rights reporting, and newspaper publishing.

* \$8,000 to Voice of the Voiceless (VSV) to support the publication of a newsletter.

ZAMBIA

* \$200,800 to the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs and the Zambia Independent Monitoring Team to support a major domestic and international effort to ensure free and fair presidential and parliamentary elections in October.

* \$85,000 to help in the codification of Zambian court rulings.

ZIMBABWE

* \$25,000 for training workshops for regional magistrates conducted by the Harare Legal Resources foundation.

REGIONAL PROJECTS:

\$1,202,000 for the Democracy/Governance Program Development and Support program to provide regional expertise in democracy and governance areas.

\$1,000,000 from the African Democracy and Human Rights Project as an add-on to a cooperative agreement between A.I.D. and the International Foundation for Electoral Systems (IFES.) Thus far, IFES has conducted pre-election assessment missions in the following countries:

- Comoros
- The Congo
- Guinea
- Guinea-Bissau
- Sierra Leone

Upcoming assessments include:

- Angola
- Burundi
- Gabon
- Ghana
- Madagascar
- Senegal
- Togo

In addition, IFES has sent a legal expert to consult with the government on Guinea on its electoral laws, has delivered a small amount of commodities to assist in the holding of the constitutional referendum in the Congo, and plans to send a team of technical advisors to the Congo to observe the upcoming local elections and provide guidance for the future national elections that will follow.

SOUTH AFRICA

Dire Emergency Supplemental:

\$10,000,000 following a Congressional mandate for USAID\South Africa to support negotiations on a new constitution and help lay the foundations for a democratic post-apartheid South Africa. Specific grants include \$1 million to USIA for technical assistance and study tours in such areas as mediation and negotiations; \$1 million to the National Endowment for Democracy (NED) to support NGOs which promote the establishment of a civic culture in South Africa; and approximately \$8 million to the African National Congress (ANC) and the Inkatha Freedom Party (IFP) to help "level the playing field" by providing infrastructure and other support to these two important political organizations\parties.

Human Rights Grants:

\$2,000,000 authorized under the Democratic Alternatives element of FAA Section 116 (g), to support the establishment of a black-led South African "think tank," the Institute for Multi-Party Democracy (IMPD), whose Mission statement is "to promote the establishment and maintenance of multi-party democracy, political tolerance and national reconciliation in South Africa." Activities sponsored by the IMPD include conferences, seminars, workshops, training, and a public information program, all aimed at promoting a culture of tolerance and national reconciliation.

\$175,000 authorized under the Victims of Violence element of FAA 116 (g), to support the International Committee for the Red Cross (ICRC) in its relief efforts directed toward victims of violence and civil unrest in South Africa.

\$1,465,000 authorized under FAA Section 116 (f), 21 individual grants to leading South African law firms, human rights groups, and public interest law organizations in support of legal clinics and case work in areas such as human rights abuses, judicial reform, rural land rights, forced removals, violence, and police brutality.

\$860,000 authorized under FAA Section 116 (e)2, 67 small grants, most for \$10,000 or less, USAID executed to community groups, advice centers and other organizations engaged in grassroots activity concerned with human rights and legal advice issues. Specific examples of the types of activities supported include a series of workshops on continuing legal education and training for black lawyers; a series of conferences on constitutional reform and negotiations issues; a research project on judicial and legal reform; a litigation fund for lawyers involved in human rights cases; and support for 16 legal clinics and community advice centers that provide information and legal support on human rights and civil rights issues.

Community Outreach and Leadership Development:

\$2,000,000, several grants under this project are designed to strengthen the capacity of community organizations and advocacy groups to articulate and represent their members' interest and to increase civic participation at a grassroots level. Examples include \$91,000 for a project on human rights education; \$65,000 for a project on legal placement and education for black lawyers involved in human rights and civic education; and \$120,000 for a rights of black farm workers and their families.

\$650,000, part of a larger grant to the African-American Labor Center (AALC) to support and strengthen an independent labor union movement in South Africa, is targeted directly at civic education at the union level.

\$54,000 to the Imbali Commission for conflict resolution.
(from the African Democracy and Human Rights Fund.)

ASIA

COUNTRY PROJECTS:

BANGLADESH

\$676,000 to the Asia Foundation to support strengthening of Parliamentary offices and operations, administration of justice, and local press coverage of important national issues to increase opportunities for people to exercise their rights as citizens and to increase democratic participation.

\$237,798 for financial support to election observer teams from both the National Democratic Institute and The Asia Foundation during the February 1991 Parliamentary elections. USAID also provided a grant to a local NGO to produce a voter literacy film prior to the election.

INDONESIA

\$150,469 for the Asia Foundation, to provide a complete up-to-date computerized legal research system to citizens groups and the press and training on how to effectively utilize the system.

\$143,110 to support free and independent media. Activities by the Asia Foundation include: workshops on legislative reporting; the publication of the Dr. Soetomo Institute and school of journalism's magazine "Reporter" as well as support for its library and documentation center; training, research and seminars on the role and development of the press; and workshops and training programs at a journalism training center.

\$150,000 to OBOR, Inc. to translate, edit and publish books on democracy, previously unavailable in Indonesia, for bookstores, libraries and homes.

\$146,097 to update the quality of the content, external appearance, marketing capability, and management of several province-based, weekly newspapers. To be implemented by LP3ES.

MONGOLIA

\$424,727 to develop and strengthen an independent judiciary and private legal institutions; strengthen media institutions and journalists; promote advocacy NGOs and economic restructuring interest groups and institutions; and to strengthen Parliament by providing participant training in international economic and international relations for staff of Ministry of External Relations.

NEPAL

\$170,043 to the Asia Foundation to assist the Parliament Secretariat by establishing a responsive information system, strengthening the library, and setting up in-service and orientation training systems.

\$217,054 for assisting a variety of "democracy advocacy NGOs:" SCOPE (Society for Constitutional and Parliamentarian Exercises; SEARCH (Service Extension and Action Research for Communities in the Hills); WEI (World Education, Inc.). In the process this activity is also to provide for the procurement of computers and fax machines for Parliament and the Supreme Court. It will also establish the position of Democracy Program Manager to ensure the coherence and effectiveness of the USAID DPI program.

\$95,903 to provide pre-service and in-service technical and ethical training for judges, government attorneys and officers of the judicial system through the Asia Foundation. The Judicial Services Training Center will also receive technical assistance in curriculum development and in the training of instructors as well as books, training materials and equipment.

\$80,000 to provide training for young journalists in the U.S. and in Nepal through cooperative effort between USAID and USIS.

\$210,000 to provide short-term training in the U.S. and the Asian region for parliament and election commission employees, members of parliament, and political and NGO leaders by USAID and USIS.

\$130,000 to SEARCH for an extensive voter education campaign leading up to the May 1991 multi-party election.

SOUTH PACIFIC

\$100,000 for the Asia Foundation to train magistrates and paralegal personnel of the lower courts (i.e., island magistrates, land magistrates, justices of the peace, court clerks).

SRI LANKA

\$134,276 to strengthen the teaching capabilities of the Ministry of Justice's Judges' Institute and expand its programs to include pre-service and in-service training; strengthen the practical and procedural capabilities of the Parliament's committee system; develop and publish a monograph of Sri Lanka media laws and regulations; and organize a related workshop. To be implemented through the Asia Foundation.

\$121,431 with the University of Colombo to establish a Center for the Study of Human Rights that will focus on teaching human rights, increasing public awareness, researching human rights law, and developing a library containing national, international, and comparative materials.

REGIONAL PROJECTS:

\$200,000 for IFES to provide technical electoral assistance to emerging democracies.

EUROPE

COUNTRY PROJECTS:

ALBANIA

\$610,937 to supply depoliticized textbooks to begin to build the foundation for a democratic attitude and orientation within the country.

\$234,500 to the International Republican Institute to support a full range of political parties committed to the democratic process.

\$150,000 to USIA to supply election-related commodities (ballots, stamps, fax machines, copiers, etc.) for the spring elections.

\$146,250 to the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs for a civic education program.

\$100,000 transferred to USIA for the Soros Foundation to supply independent publications with newsprint for the period preceding the spring elections.

\$36,307 to the International Foundation for Electoral Systems to provide technical assistance to the Central Election Commission for the spring elections.

BALTIC STATES

\$700,000 to USIA for work in Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania to support democratically elected local governments and provide assistance to the public administrations of democratically elected governments.

\$400,000 to the International Republican Institute to support a full range of political parties committed to the democratic process.

\$350,000 transferred to USIA for a program in human rights and rule of law in cooperation with the Assistant Secretary of State for Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs.

\$350,000 transferred to USIA for training of independent journalists, primarily in the United States.

\$299,674 to the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs to establish and support a civic education program.

\$99,960 for technical assistance and training to local governments and administration in Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania through the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs.

BULGARIA

\$1,252,000 (approximately) transferred to the Library of Congress to provide equipment and training under the direction of the House of Representatives Special Task Force on the Development of Parliamentary Institutions in Eastern Europe (the "Frost Committee").

\$1,013,987 to the International Republican Institute for a civic education program and support for a full range of democratic political parties.

\$368,750 for the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs for a civic education program with the Bulgarian Association for Fair Elections and Civil Rights.

\$349,835 to the University of South Carolina for work in the area of local government and public administration.

\$60,000 to USIA to provide advisors to the Bulgarian parliament.

\$56,100 to the Free Trade Union Institute for assistance to Podkrepa.

\$45,655 for infrastructure support to the Center for the Study of Democracy through the National Endowment for Democracy.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA

\$1,252,000 (approximately) transferred to the Library of Congress to provide equipment and training under the direction of the House of Representatives Special Task Force on the Development

of Parliamentary Institutions in Eastern Europe (the "Frost Committee").

\$450,000 to the Institute of Public Administration to provide local government training through the Institute for Local Administration.

\$200,000 to the International City Management Association for work in Czechoslovakia to assist the Union of Towns and Communities, a local government association.

HUNGARY

\$1,252,000 (approximately) transferred to the Library of Congress to provide equipment and training under the direction of the House of Representatives Special Task Force on the Development of Parliamentary Institutions in Eastern Europe (the "Frost Committee").

\$749,973 through the University of Southern California to supply technical assistance, training, and some equipment to democratically elected local governments and public administrations of elected governments.

\$392,700 through the Free Trade Union Institute to assist the Democratic League of Free Trade Unions.

\$170,012 to Syracuse University to undertake a series of public forums in Budapest.

\$92,300 to SUNY/Albany to provide assistance to the Hungarian Parliament

POLAND

\$1,570,800 to support NSZZ Solidarnosc through the Free Trade Union Institute.

\$1,299,897 transferred to the State University of New Jersey at Rutgers to assist democratically elected local governments and public administrators working under the direction of elected governments in Poland.

\$1,252,000 (approximately) transferred to the Library of Congress to provide equipment and training under the direction of the House of Representatives Special Task Force on the Development of Parliamentary Institutions in Eastern Europe (the "Frost Committee").

\$750,000 reserved for a presently-outstanding request for proposals to provide the two houses of the Polish parliament with computer equipment.

\$299,874 to the International City Management Association for work in Poland to assist local government associations.

\$84,150 to support the Economic Foundation of NSZZ Solidarnosc through the Free Trade Union Institute.

\$50,490 through the Free Trade Union Institute to assist Rural Solidarity in its program to help farmers to improve agricultural credit, production and delivery systems.

ROMANIA

\$665,466 to the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs to establish a civic education program through Pro Democracy.

\$427,051 to the International Republican Institute for support to a full range of political parties and assistance to the League of Students.

\$341,698 to the International Foundation for Electoral Systems for a civic education program.

\$200,000 transferred to USIA for the Soros Foundation to supply independent publications with newsprint for the period preceding the spring elections.

\$178,840 to the International Foundation for Electoral Systems to provide technical assistance for the spring elections.

\$81,975 through the National Endowment for Democracy and the Institute for Democracy in Eastern Europe for a small grants program for civic organizations.

\$56,100 to support FRATIA through the Free Trade Union Institute.

YUGOSLAVIA

\$281,250 for a civic education program through the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs.

\$271,200 for support to a full range of democratic political parties through the International Republican Institute.

\$173,972 to the International Republican Institute for an election observation mission.

REGIONAL PROJECTS:

\$5,000,000 transferred to USIA for the International Media Fund to supply equipment and training for independent TV and radio stations and for newspapers and independent journalists.

\$2,050,000 transferred to USIA for a program of educational reform directed at de-politicizing curricula in history, civics and the general social sciences at the secondary and tertiary level.

\$2,000,000 to establish with USIA a Books for Democracy program to supply English language and vernacular texts about democracy and its intellectual foundations.

\$2,000,000 for the creation of a citizens networks program through USIA.

\$1,523,460 to the National Endowment for Democracy to continue their program of democratic institution-building.

\$1,500,000 transferred to USIA for training of independent journalists, primarily in the United States.

\$750,000 transferred to USIA for a regional program in human rights and rule of law in cooperation with the Assistant Secretary of State for Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs.

\$589,063 to the German Marshal Fund for a small grants program to address minority issues.

\$312,500 to the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs for political party-building activities.

\$295,996 through the National Endowment for Democracy for a small grants program for independent publications implemented by the Institute for Democracy in Eastern Europe.

\$280,500 for support of a regional office of the Free Trade Union Institute in Bulgaria.

\$238,594 for a technical and policy formation assistance program by the Free Trade Union Institute.

\$198,382 to the Atlantic Council for a program to provide assistance in bringing civilian control over the military.

\$191,274 through the National Endowment for Democracy for a small grants program to address minority issues implemented by the Institute for Democracy in Eastern Europe.

\$182,000 granted to the North Atlantic Assembly (NAA) to support the participation of Eastern European legislators in the NAA's international activities.

\$160,937 to the German Marshall Fund for a small grants program to strengthen citizen participation and democratic practice.

\$157,080 to the Free Trade Union Institute for a multi-lateral democratic education and training program.

\$129,065 for a program by the Free Trade Union Institute to develop independent unions by trade and industry.

\$60,000 to the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs for a program of support to young democratic leaders.

LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

COUNTRY PROJECTS:

ARGENTINA

\$250,000 to improve court administration, train judicial-sector officials, help widen access to justice, and increase public understanding of the justice system. The organizations involved in its implementation are the National Supreme Court, the Supreme Court of the Province of Buenos Aires, the Ministry of Justice, and two private institutions: FORES and Fundación La Ley.

BOLIVIA

\$500,000 for the Justice Sector Project to strengthen the operational structure of the judicial branch to improve enforcement of the rule of law. Institutional reform and improved management and training in the courts and other law-enforcement agencies will aid effective and just prosecution of narcotics crimes.

\$500,000 for the Democratic Institutions Project to provide equipment and technical assistance to the National Electoral Court for an automated voter registry system; training programs for polling-place authorities; voter registration/participation campaigns; technical assistance and equipment to Congress to improve work and data processing applications; and contracted studies on the feasibility of establishing a non-partisan, private, pro-democracy organization.

CHILE

\$500,000 to the Center for Legislative Studies and Assistance (CEAL) at the Catholic University of Valparaiso (UCV), seat of the re-established Chilean Congress, to strengthen and increase the efficiency of the legislative branch. The project is managed and assisted through the State University of New York (SUNY) office of International Programs.

\$600,000 to PARTICIPA, a Chilean NGO doing civic education and voter registration activities aimed particularly at women and youth and with special focus on the several main regions outside the capital.

\$500,000 to the University Promotion Corporation (CPU), an NGO in public policy research and reform projects, to support justice system modernization through a) judicial training, b) strengthening of the public and private-sector legal aid organizations, and d) strengthening and expanding the availability of legal information resources, libraries, and data banks.

\$9,000 to organize and hold a local conference on the administration of justice in Chile.

COLOMBIA

\$20,000 to improve protection for judges and other individuals under threat of narco-terrorist attack; improve the capacity of the justice system to resolve cases effectively; and provide funding for the ongoing International Criminal Investigative Training and Assistance Program (ICITAP). This project is essentially completed, with the total life-of-project funding equalling \$2,134,000.

\$4,250,000 to support overall reform of Colombia's justice sector, especially criminal justice. Activities include operation of a special court system devoted to handling narcotics cases and other major crimes; development of an accusatorial (prosecutorial) system to replace the current inquisitive method; establishment of a public defender's office; improvement and articulation of investigative unit activities; increasing capabilities and administrative independence of judges; and streamlining the system's analytic and planning capacities.

ECUADOR

\$440,000 to assist the Centro de Asesoría y Promoción Electoral (CAPEL) under the Electoral Education and Civil Training (ELECT) project. The project will help inform Ecuador's citizenry of the importance of electoral participation, train poll watchers and provide election observation teams.

EL SALVADOR

\$2,836,000 for the Elections Assistance Project which included three U.S. PVO-organized observer delegations, a U.N. delegation,

and post-electoral evaluations of the election process and civic participation.

\$300,000 for the Special Investigative Unit, which included grants between the U.S. State Department and the Government of El Salvador (\$1,200,000) for continuing U.S. technical assistance to professionalize the Investigative Unit; along with \$300,000 for ICITAP, Department of Justice, for training in priority areas such as anti-kidnapping.

\$1,000,000 for the Strengthening Democratic Processes project, which provides support to a private-sector public policy think-tank (CENITEC) to carry out seminars on priority economic, social, and democratic development issues (e.g. national reconciliation, labor code reforms, the Enterprise for the Americas Initiative).

\$4,607,000 for the American Institute for Free Labor Development (AIFLD), to support training for local union leaders, provide grants for social development projects, and provide technical assistance to foster the development of a Salvadoran PVO dedicated to improving labor-management cooperation.

\$260,000 for the Legislative Assembly Strengthening Project to establish an internal policy analysis unit, expand the Assembly's Data Research Unit, and provide orientation training to newly elected Assembly representatives.

GUATEMALA

All under the strengthening Democratic Institutions Project, total obligation for FY 1991 \$1,500,000:

\$152,000 to the Consortium for Legislative Development to support the Guatemalan Congress in several short-term actions which will modernize and strengthen the Congress as an institution.

\$805,000 to the Office of Human Rights Ombudsman (OHRO) to enhance the ability of the OHRO to track and publicize human rights abuses; promote public education programs in the area of human rights, democratic values and practices; and provide outreach services to rural areas and secondary cities.

\$250,000 to Centro ESTNA for their annual Seminar on National Stability. The eight month seminar is to improve communication among the leaders of different segments of society, including the private sector, academia, campesinos, labor unions, military, and government.

\$140,000 to the Public Ministry and the Attorney General's Office to support the training of prosecutors in improved investigative and reporting techniques and to provide technical

assistance to the Public Ministry to improve administrative systems.

GUYANA

\$450,000 toward general election assistance including election observers and technical training through a number of sub-grantees including the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs (NDI), the International Foundation for Electoral Systems (IFES), and the Carter Center.

HAITI

Under the Democracy Enhancement Project, total FY 1991 obligation \$2,811,389:

\$620,000 under the Democracy Enhancement Project, for the LAC Regional Legislative Development Project being carried out by the Consortium for Legislative Development (CLD). This activity provides: a) orientation seminars for both chambers of the National Assembly; b) visitation/orientation tours for a delegation of legislative leaders to visit U.S. Congress and other legislative entities; and c) work with the National Assembly to analyze training and equipment needs and explore ways in which they can best be met.

\$1,426,589 under the Democracy Enhancement Project, for the National Democratic and Republican Institutes (NDI and NRI) to support their political party-building programs. In addition, NDI will carry out a program to strengthen civilian control of the military; and the NRI will set up a Resource Center on global democratic programs, model legislation, democratic constitutions, etc.

\$264,800 under the Democracy Enhancement Project, for technical assistance to the Permanent Electoral Council (CEP) to establish a permanent electoral registry and to revise electoral logistical processes. Radio and computer equipment used for the 1990-91 elections will be redeployed to the CEP once it is officially constituted.

\$500,000 under the Democracy Enhancement Project, for the American Institute for Free Labor Development (AIFLD) to support its union development program. AIFLD's first task, a needs assessment of rural unions, has been completed. Activities will focus on such fields as independent journalism, human rights advocacy, paralegal training, and civic education.

\$500,000 for continued activities under the Election Management Assistance project.

HONDURAS

\$500,000 for the Strengthening Democratic Institutions Project to strengthen the court system in civil and criminal justice; improve the effectiveness of the Honduran Congress; strengthen electoral institutions (National Elections Tribunal and the National Registry); and provide democratic leadership training.

JAMAICA

\$50,000 for the Jamaican component of the Caribbean Justice Improvement Project, which included selected studies on court efficiency, training needs, justice research, procurement tracking, and accounting.

MEXICO

\$5,000 to videotape the mock trials of a group of lawyers and judges, the Mayo Group, to be distributed throughout Latin America for use as a learning tool.

\$50,000 to sponsor Binational Judicial Conferences. In October 1991 USAID/Mexico completed the first conference which brought together twelve U.S. and twelve Mexican judges to discuss due process procedures in their respective countries. A second conference, which will expand on specific themes introduced in the first, is scheduled for Spring of 1992 in Washington, D.C.

NICARAGUA

All under the Strengthening Democratic Institutions Project, total FY 1991 obligation \$3,000,000:

\$479,000 for contract personnel to manage the various project activities, of which components active in FY 1991 are listed below:

\$526,000 to AIFLD to support the Confederación de Unificación Sindical (CUS) and other independent democratic unions. This project provides these labor unions with technical assistance, training and workshops for union members to assist institution-building, and provides administrative and institutional financing of the AIFLD operations in Nicaragua.

\$95,000 to Planning and Development Collaborative International (PADCO) to conduct an in-depth municipal development assessment including the role of INIFOM and of Nicaragua's 143 municipalities.

\$1,900,000 to America's Development Foundation (ADF) to assist two independent human rights organizations to promote respect for human rights and to monitor, investigate, and report abuses.

PANAMA

Under the Democratic Initiatives Project, total FY 1991 obligation of \$2,310,000:

\$910,000 under the Democratic Initiative Project to assist Panamanian efforts to re-establish and consolidate representative government. Project components are: a) seminars and workshops for journalists and media owners, b) assistance to a private Panamanian foundation to provide non-partisan training in democracy for youth leaders and citizen groups, c) support for the Center for Electoral Assistance and Promotion to provide election assistance in January 1991 and for the constitutional referendum, and d) support for the Panamanian legislative assembly.

\$500,000 under the Democratic Initiatives Project to USIA to support democratic initiatives activities including country-specific International Visitor, American Specialist, and American Participant programs for justice-sector officials, legislators, and private sector groups.

\$7,070,000 for the ICITAP program to promote the civilianization, professionalization, and integration of the Panamanian National Police and the Judicial Technical Police into the criminal justice system.

\$138,000 through AIFLD to support activities aimed at strengthening democratic labor in collective bargaining, organizing union participation, and assisting administrative and financial management.

\$4,500,000 for the Financial Management Reform Project to improve and integrate Government of Panama financial management and audit systems and promote accountability of government officials in managing public resources.

PARAGUAY

\$100,000 to USIS in Paraguay to plan and carry out a program to expose Paraguayans working in the judicial system to relevant judicial institutions, expertise, and experience.

\$50,000 granted to the Instituto de Ciencias Penales, a local PVO, to provide assistance to the Supreme Court in the creation of a Judicial School in Paraguay, including a training needs assessment and training plan for judges.

\$104,405 to the American University for activities to improve civilian-military relations.

\$90,000 for initial technical assistance in preparation for 1992 elections.

URUGUAY

\$225,689 to improve judicial administration and procedures, and to develop the institutional capacity of the Uruguayan Center for Judicial Education to train judicial system personnel.

REGIONAL PROJECTS:

CARIBBEAN

\$1,508,315 for the Caribbean Justice Improvement Project to support the improvement of legal systems in the Commonwealth Caribbean, including courthouse renovations, printing of revised laws, law library development, continuing legal education, and various training and technical assistance activities.

LATIN AMERICA

\$2,000,000 to ILANUD under the Regional Administration of Justice Program. Under the program ILANUD has provided technical assistance for the establishment and development of judicial schools; carried out judicial training programs; established law libraries; assisted in the drafting of reform legislation; sponsored regional seminars on specific topics in the area of judicial reform; and provided technical assistance to improve court administration in countries throughout the region. Funds have also been directed toward the institutional strengthening of ILANUD.

\$4,506,780 for the Central American Journalism Project (CAJP), implemented by Florida International University, to enhance the professional skills of journalists in Central America, improve the quality of university journalism education, and establish a permanent, self-sustaining mass media training and research center in the region.

\$450,000 to the Inter-American Institute for Human Rights (IIDH) to continue support for teaching, research, conferences, and

information dissemination that promote wider observance in the region of internationally accepted human rights.

\$700,000 to the Center for Electoral Assistance and Promotion (CAPEL) to continue its regional technical assistance programs. CAPEL provides training, technical assistance and information aimed at promoting free fair elections and improving electoral administration in Latin America and the Caribbean.

\$79,745 to Creative Associates, Inc. for a final evaluation of both IIDH and CAPEL.

\$200,000 to the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs to provide support for bipartisan election activities in Latin America and the Caribbean.

\$267,440 for the civilian-military relations activity to deepen knowledge, promote new scholarly research, and encourage discussion of civil-military relations among military and civilian leaders in Latin America. This project is implemented by the American University in collaboration with PIETHO, a private Uruguayan research organization.

\$200,000 through the Florida International University (FIU) Center for Administration of Justice to provide technical assistance to the RAJO in Costa Rica, LAC/DI, and USAIDs.

\$1,000,000 for legislative strengthening through the Consortium for Legislative Development. The program provides resources for: assessments of the institutional development needs of LAC legislatures; training through regional workshops; on-site Master's degree programs; and technical and limited commodity assistance to increase the management capacity of assisted legislatures.

\$4,000,000 to ICITAP to support police strengthening activities throughout the region. Activities include investigative training, curriculum development for police academies, regional seminars for heads of police agencies, and country specific interagency seminars for police chiefs, Supreme Court presidents, and prosecutors.

\$450,000 for the regional Administration of Justice Support Project. The National Center for State Courts will provide technical assistance for project design, implementation, and evaluation; consolidate AID's experiences in the area; and improve communication among those working in this field.

\$129,105 to the Inter-American Bar Foundation to strengthen the Central American Regional Bar Association; to provide technical assistance for the implementation of project activities with national associations of lawyers; and to take the first steps

toward establishing a regional bar association within the Andean countries.

\$1,341,611 for the Regional Financial Management Improvement Project. This project seeks to improve financial management practices in LAC governments by: a) developing regional and country strategies for long-term improvement of financial management, reporting and auditing; b) supporting and developing conferences, courses and meetings of key governmental financial management officials; c) improving donor coordination and collaboration including a data base of all donor activities; d) providing technical support for specific improvements; and e) holding conferences, producing publications, and carrying out activities to combat corruption in government and promote ethical conduct among public servants. The project is implemented through a contract with Price Waterhouse.

\$953,000 for the AIFLD Union-to-Union project to support the activities of eight AFL-CIO affiliated unions in providing training and technical guidance to their counterpart unions in the region. The eight unions are: Amalgamated Clothing and Textile Workers; American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees; American Federation of Teachers; Communication Workers of America; Department of Professional Employees; Glass, Molders, Pottery, Plastics and Allied Workers; Transportation/Communications Union; and the United Food and Commercial Workers.

\$7,487,000 for the AIFLD core grant to support AIFLD's bilateral assistance programs to democratic labor movements and organizations in 19 LAC countries, and AIFLD's U.S. departments of education, agrarian development and social projects, and information services/evaluation. In-country and U.S training are provided in such areas as union organizing, labor-management relations, labor history and organization, and economic issues (e.g. adapting to structural adjustment).

\$10,000 for the development of a democratic initiatives strategy for South America.

\$17,000 to the World Peace Foundation for translation of the book "Democratic Transitions in Central America and Panama" into Spanish.

NEAR EAST

COUNTRY PROJECTS:

EGYPT

\$35,000 for a study tour of U.S. congressional institutions for key National Assembly members and staffers.

*** \$1,000,000 for the AALC (AFL-CIO) labor union development activities.

\$3,500,000 for the Local Development II Project for strengthening a network of local elected councils.

REGIONAL PROJECTS:

*** \$1,600,000 for the Developing Democratic Institutions cooperative agreement with the AMIDEAST to improve the design and implementation of NE democracy activities and to implement specific host country activities. The latter includes assistance in Tunisia for strengthening parliament, supporting women's rights advocacy groups, and conducting seminars on constitutional checks and balances through the Academy of Constitutional Law; and in Lebanon to conduct an assessment of priority democratic and legal institutions needs and to initiate interim pilot activities identified in the assessment.

***Indicates that funding for the project is classified 100% Democracy. This applies only to the Near East Bureau; all projects listed in other bureaus are 100% democracy funded. However, only 100% democracy funded projects are included in the Near East project totals for FY 1991 and FY 1992 on pages 35 and 53.

MAGREB COUNTRIES

\$210,000 for a Municipal Government Development program covering Tunisia, Morocco, and Algeria. This activity is aimed at improving the ability of elected municipal officials, civil servants, and the local private sector to work together to achieve development results.

CENTRAL BUREAU FUNDING

PROGRAM AND POLICY COORDINATION BUREAU

\$3,500 for a paper on exploring the foundations of Democracy to provide guidelines for policy development by senior A.I.D. management.

\$8,300 for a study by Raymond Gastil to provide advice on current efforts by the DAC to conceptualize the areas of participatory democracy, democratic development and governance.

\$400,000 to the International Foundation for Electoral Systems (IFES) to provide A.I.D., in cooperation with the Department of State, support for elections through: technical assistance, equipment, assessments, and observation and monitoring teams.

\$75,000 for DAC participants to conduct a workshop sponsored by the National Academy of Sciences (NAS) on assessing progress towards democracy. The workshop is planned for the first quarter of 1992.

\$25,000 for a paper summarizing the current academic literature on the relationship between Islam and democracy.

\$47,580 to fund a National Academy of Sciences workshop, May 1991, on "Assessing Progress to Democracy."

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT/SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

BUREAU

\$100,000 provided for core funding in a cooperative agreement with the National Academy of Sciences for a series of workshops and expert sessions on issues of democratization. In the first year under the agreement, PPC funded as an add-on an expert session on indicators of democracy; Africa Bureau bought in for a major series of workshops; and planning began for the S&T workshops in FY 1992. The grant also helped fund the NAS's Panel on Democratization, which oversees A.I.D./NAS activity in democracy.

\$553,430 provided by the Africa Bureau in an OYB to S&T to be used as an add-on to the National Academy of Sciences cooperative agreement, for one NAS expert session and a series of three NAS workshops in Africa. The expert meeting was held in FY 1991 with the purpose of bringing A.I.D. staff together with scholars engaged in research on democratization and governance in Africa. The three NAS workshops are to be held in FY 1992 in different locations in Africa. They will take place West, South and East Africa, and each workshop will bring together A.I.D. staff with Africans working on issues in democratization.

**DEMOCRACY INITIATIVE SUMMARY
FUNDING FIGURES FOR FY 1991**

TOTAL AFRICA BUREAU	\$ 9,879,100
TOTAL SOUTH AFRICA	\$17,204,000
TOTAL ASIA BUREAU	\$ 3,386,908
TOTAL EUROPE BUREAU	\$37,044,614
TOTAL LATIN AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN BUREAU	\$65,325,479
TOTAL NEAR EAST BUREAU	\$ 2,600,000
TOTAL PROGRAM AND POLICY COORDINATION BUREAU	\$ 559,380
TOTAL SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY/ RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT BUREAU	\$ 653,430
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A.I.D. SUMMARY TOTAL	\$136,652,911

**FY 1992 PROJECTED DEMOCRATIC INITIATIVES
AND HUMAN RIGHTS PROGRAMS**

AFRICA³

COUNTRY PROJECTS:

ANGOLA

\$4,500,000, subject to a Section 614 waiver and the Congressional Notification process, to support the democratization and electoral process in Angola.

ETHIOPIA

\$2,000,000 for the Support for Democracy and Governance project to provide targeted assistance during the democratic transition period.

MOZAMBIQUE

\$1,000,000 incremental funding for the Mozambique Democracy Initiative project started in FY 1991 in support of free and fair election, decentralization and an independent judiciary.

³ Again, the numbers for South Africa are separate from the rest of Africa and appear after the Africa figures.

RWANDA

\$1,000,000 for the Democratic Initiatives project to support Rwandan initiatives to build a pluralistic, democratic society.

REGIONAL PROJECTS:

\$2,000,000 for the Democracy and Human Rights Fund project to support improved human rights and increased rule of law throughout sub-Saharan Africa.

\$2,900,000 for the Democracy/Governance Program Development and Support program to provide regional expertise in democracy and governance areas and a broad array of support to hear African voices, carry out related research and develop appropriate assistance strategies.

\$7,500,000 for the Africa Regional Electoral Assistance Fund to support free and fair elections throughout sub-Saharan Africa.

SOUTH AFRICA

Human Rights Grants:

\$5,000,000 total planned level with grants planned in FY 1992, very much along the lines of those executed in FY 1991. Small grants and other legal assistance will likely include an increased proportion going toward rural areas.

Community Outreach and Leadership Development:

\$6,000,000 targeted for activities that respond directly to human rights and democracy concerns in South Africa. It is expected that grants similar to those made in FY 1991 will be made in FY 1992.

ASIA

COUNTRY PROJECTS:

BANGLADESH

\$835,000 for institutional strengthening and civic participation focusing on: strengthening civil society/pluralism, electoral and legislative assistance, media information and rule of law, and administration of justice assistance/education.

NEPAL

\$751,000 to support democratization in Nepal through electoral assistance, financial management, legislative assistance and rule of law and administration of justice assistance/education.

ASIA/DI/TR

1,300,000 projected funding for democracy projects assisting Asia missions in strengthening and supporting democratization and independent assessment teams.

EUROPE

REGIONAL PROJECTS:

\$6,000,000 to support the establishment of institutions (democratic political parties, independent trade unions, citizen's groups, etc.) and processes (free and fair elections, civic education, etc.) central to a democratic system.

\$3,000,000 to supply technical assistance, training and limited equipment to elected local governments and to public administrators (national and local) under the direction of democratically elected governments.

\$9,750,000 to supply equipment to the elected legislatures and provide training to its members.

\$1,000,000 to support the establishment of laws, regulations and procedures based on the rule of the majority and the protection of the personal, political and commercial rights of individuals and minorities.

\$5,000,000 to support the construction (or reconstruction) of a democratic attitude and orientation among the citizens of Central and Eastern Europe by laying an intellectual and emotional understanding of the market, democracy and a civil society.

\$4,500,000 to provide equipment for independent TV, and radio stations and newspapers as well as training for independent journalists.

LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

COUNTRY PROJECTS:

ARGENTINA

\$350,000 for continuing administration of justice activities.

\$150,000 for small activities in strengthening democratic institutions.

BOLIVIA

\$2,000,000 for the Strengthening Democracy project to begin in FY 1992.

BRAZIL

\$100,000 for new activities in strengthening the administration of justice.

CHILE

\$500,000 to the Center for Legislative Studies and Assistance (CEAL) at the Catholic University of Valparaiso (UCV), seat of the re-established Chilean Congress, to strengthen and increase the efficiency of the legislative branch. This project is managed and assisted through the State University of New York (SUNY) Office of International Programs, and draws on the entire SUNY system, the New York State Legislature, and the Congressional Research Service for training and technical assistance activities.

\$800,000 to PARTICIPA, a Chilean NGO doing civic education and voter registration activities aimed particularly at women and youth and with special focus on the several main regions outside the capital.

\$1,000,000 to the University Promotion Corporation (CPU), an NGO in public policy research and reform projects, to support justice system modernization through a) judicial training, b) court administration upgrading and decentralization, c) strengthening of the public- and private-sector legal aid organizations serving the poor (especially indigenous groups and low-income women), and d) strengthening and expanding the availability of legal information resources, libraries, and data banks. The program supports major GOC efforts in legislative and constitutional reform.

EL SALVADOR

\$900,000 for the Strengthening Democratic Processes project, which provides support to a private-sector public policy think-tank (CENITEC) to carry out seminars on priority economic, social, and democratic development issues (e.g. national reconciliation, labor code reforms, the Enterprise for the Americas Initiative, etc.).

\$1,555,000 for the American Institute for Free Labor Development (AIFLD), which supported training for local union leaders, grants for social development projects, and technical assistance to foster the development of a Salvadoran PVO dedicated to improving labor management cooperation.

\$2,600,000 for the Judicial Sector Strengthening Project, to provide technical assistance and training to improve professional skills, court administration, and the legal culture in El Salvador, thereby facilitating the evolution of the Salvadoran justice system into a more just and equitable system.

GUATEMALA

Under the existing Strengthening Democratic Institutions Project, total obligation for FY 1992, \$2,700,000:

\$1,700,000 to support the medium-term institutional development of the Guatemalan Congress through strengthening the Committee system, technical legislative capacity, permanent personnel development, and coordination with other institutions.

\$200,000 to design, field test, and implement a nationwide Democratic Indicators Monitoring System that will allow USAID/Guatemala to track certain indicators (including public attitudes) that measure the evolution of democracy in Guatemala. The baseline will be established in FY 1992 for this multi-year effort.

\$140,000 to the Public Ministry and the Attorney General's Office to support the training of prosecutors in improved investigative and reporting techniques and to provide technical assistance to the Public Ministry to improve their administrative

systems. Follow-on to this activity will be done under the Justice Sector Reform Project, now planned to start in FY 1993.

⁴ \$ to the Consortium for Legislative Development to support the Guatemalan Congress in several short-term actions which will modernize and strengthen the Congress as an institution.

\$ to the Office of Human Rights Ombudsman (OHRO) agreement to enhance the ability of the OHRO to track and publicize human rights abuses, promote public education programs in the area of human rights, democratic values and practices (both formally and informally), and provide outreach services to rural areas and secondary cities.

\$ to Centro ESTNA for their annual Seminar on National Stability. This eight-month seminar is to improve communication among the leaders of different segments of society, including the private sector, academia, campesinos, labor unions, military, and government in order to reduce Guatemala's historical inter-sectoral conflicts which have led to violence.

\$ to the Public Ministry and the Attorney General's Office to support the training of prosecutors in improved investigative and reporting techniques and to provide technical assistance to the Public Ministry to improve their administrative systems.

HAITI ⁵

\$2,200,000 for continued activities under the Democratic Enhancement Project.

HONDURAS

\$3,000,000 for the Strengthening Democratic Institutions Project to strengthen the court system in civil and criminal justice; improve legislative effectiveness of the Honduran Congress; strengthen electoral institutions (National Elections Tribunal and the National Registry); and provide democratic leadership training.

⁴ For the following projects without numbers, project amount and specific activities under the Strengthening Democratic Initiatives Project are unconfirmed with the mission.

⁵ All activities suspended after the coup d'etat.

JAMAICA

\$500,000 for the Sustainable Justice Reform Project, to be designed as a follow-on to the Jamaican Component of the Caribbean Justice Improvement Project. The new project will seek to improve the effectiveness and sustainability of the justice system in Jamaica.

MEXICO

\$100,000 for continuing activities to strengthen the administration of justice.

NICARAGUA

\$2,000,000 for the Public Sector Financial Management Reform Project, which will provide technical assistance, equipment, and training to strengthen the government of Nicaragua's financial management, procurement, and audit oversight functions; and to promote accountability of government officials in managing public resources.

\$3,000,000 under the Strengthening Democratic Institutions Project, specific sub-activities unknown for 1992.

PANAMA

\$10,000,000 for the ICITAP program to promote the civilianization, professionalization, and integration of the Panamanian National Police and the Judicial Technical Police into the criminal justice system while operating under the fundamental principals of the rule of law and respect for human rights.

\$1,800,000 for the Financial Management Reform Project to improve and integrate Government of Panama financial management and audit systems and promote accountability of government officials in managing public resources.

PARAGUAY

\$125,000 to assist the newly reorganized Contraloría General in upgrading its national and local capacity to audit state budget and human resources, and to assist the Superintendent of Banks in carrying out a comprehensive audit of commercial banks.

\$75,000 to begin the process of strengthening the legislative branch, including training of career staff, information management, research service, and general operations of a legislature. This

project most likely will entail technical assistance of the Consortium for Legislative Development and the Office of Kansas-Paraguay Partners, a registered NGO.

\$100,000 through the Regional Housing Office of A.I.D. (RHUDO) in Quito to assist the Municipal Development Institute of Paraguay in carrying out a series of seminars and workshops to define a strategy for decentralization of government services, including local government organization, financial planning, and community relations.

\$140,000 to the Organization of American States for an international observer team during the Constituent Assembly elections in November 1992.

\$60,000 for pre-election technical assistance in preparation for elections in 1993.

\$200,000 for continuing administration of justice activities.

PERU

\$1,155,000 for the new Democratic Initiatives Project, to continue support to the Justice Ministry, Judiciary, and Prosecutor's Office to counter the negative impacts of the narcotics trade on Peruvian Society. The project focus is to improve the legal system in its capacity to prosecute narcotics-related crimes fairly and effectively.

URUGUAY

\$400,000 to improve judicial administration and procedures, and to develop the institutional capacity of the Uruguayan Center for Judicial Education to train judicial system personnel. The organization involved are the Supreme Court of the Nation and the Uruguayan Center for Judicial Education (CEJU). The main activities planned or already under implementation are the development of a statistical system, organizational support to the Supreme court of the Nation, and training activities such as curriculum development, training needs assessments, faculty development, and administrative support for CEJU.

\$100,000 for small activities to strengthen democratic institutions.

REGIONAL PROJECTS:

CARIBBEAN REGIONAL

\$1,200,000 for the Caribbean Justice Improvement Project to support the improvement of legal systems in the Commonwealth Caribbean, including courthouse renovations, printing of revised laws, law library development, continuing legal education, and various training and technical assistance activities.

LATIN AMERICAN REGIONAL

\$1,000,000 to continue and expand efforts to strengthen civilian control over the military, by providing technical assistance and training to: improve host governments' and civilian policy analysts' expertise in military and intelligence affairs; continue to improve consensus on appropriate civilian and military roles; and help civilian leaders design and implement strategies and programs to narrow military involvement in internal security and economic activities, enhance military professional capacities, and build effective procedures for civilian control.

\$1,000,000 to initiate a Democratic Development Support project to provide funds for program design and evaluation, research, improved communication and information exchange, and pilot activities.

\$2,000,000 for the Accountability and Financial Management Improvement Project, to instill financial and managerial accountability; improve financial management systems; and build capacity for legislative audit oversight in Latin America and the Caribbean.

\$1,850,000 to ILANUD under the Regional Administration of Justice Program. Under the program ILANUD has provided technical assistance for the establishment and development of judicial schools; carried out judicial training programs; established law libraries; assisted in the drafting of reform legislation; sponsored regional seminars on specific topics in the area of judicial reform; and provided technical assistance to improve court administration in countries throughout the region. Funds have also been directed toward the institutional strengthening of ILANUD.

\$1,423,000 toward the Central American Journalism Project (CAJP), implemented by Florida International University, to enhance the professional skills of journalists in Central America, improve

the quality of university journalism education, and establish a permanent, self-sustaining mass media training and research center in the region. Training seminars, held mostly in the Central American region, are being offered covering such areas as writing for mass media, radio/TV news production, journalism education, and ethics. A total of thirty individuals will undertake graduate training, many of whom are expected to become journalism educators in their own countries.

\$550,000 to the Inter-American Institute for Human Rights (IIDH) to continue support for teaching, research, conferences, and information dissemination that promote wider observance in the region of internationally accepted human rights.

\$550,000 to the Center for Electoral Assistance and Promotion (CAPEL) to continue its regional technical assistance programs. CAPEL provides training, technical assistance, and information aimed at promoting free and fair elections and improving electoral administration in Latin America and the Caribbean.

\$621,000 for support for free and fair elections in Latin America and the Caribbean. Assistance includes pre-election observer missions, advance teams, election-day observer missions, logistical support for program activities, briefing materials and arranging itineraries, and other technical and follow-on assistance.

\$1,227,000 for legislative strengthening through the Consortium for Legislative Development, which is comprised of three private institutions: The Center for Democracy, the State University of New York at Albany, and Florida International University. This program provides resources for: assessments of the institutional development needs of LAC legislatures; training through regional workshops, on-site and Master's degree programs; and technical and limited commodity assistance to increase the management capacity of assisted legislatures.

\$5,000,000 to ICITAP to support police strengthening activities throughout the region. Activities include investigative training, curriculum development for police academies, regional seminars for heads of police agencies, and country specific interagency seminars for police chiefs, Supreme Court presidents, and prosecutors.

\$700,000 under the regional Administration of Justice Support Project. The National Center for State Courts will provide technical assistance for project design, implementation, and evaluation; consolidate AID's experiences in the area; and improve communication among those working in this field.

\$500,000 to various private-sector organizations seeking to strengthen the administration of justice in Latin America and the Caribbean.

\$79,000 for managerial support and technical assistance in the implementation of LAC/DI project portfolio.

\$953,000 for the AIFLD Union-to-Union project to support the activities of eight AFL-CIO affiliated unions in providing training and technical guidance to their counterpart unions in the region. The eight unions are: Amalgamated Clothing and Textile Workers; American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees; American Federation of Teachers; Communication Workers of America; Department of Professional Employees; Glass, Molders, Pottery, Plastics and Allied Workers; Transportation/ Communications Union; and the United Food and Commercial Workers.

\$7,487,000 for the AIFLD core grant to support AIFLD's bilateral assistance programs to democratic labor movements and organizations in 19 LAC countries, and AIFLD's U.S. departments of education, agrarian development and social projects, and information services/evaluation. In-country and U.S training are provided in such areas as union organizing, labor-management relations, labor history and organization, and economic issues (e.g. adapting to structural adjustment).

NEAR EAST

COUNTRY PROJECTS:

EGYPT

\$150,000 for design of a major new initiative establishing a Governance and Democracy Program to support development of democratic and legal institutions and organizations.

*** \$1,000,000 for AALC (AFL-CIO) labor union development activities.

\$2,500,000 for the Local Development II Project for strengthening a network of local elected councils.

\$615,000 for a program to strengthen judicial and legal institutions, including the training of judges and High Court Justices through the Judicial Training Institute, and for initial steps in the establishment of a computerized law database for use by the legal system and the National Assembly.

JORDAN

\$150,000 under the Technical Services & Feasibility Studies Project for short-term activities to improve information systems capacity in the parliament and in the Ministry of Justice.

*** \$150,000 under the Legal Education & Training grant with AMIDEAST to strengthen legal rights, especially those of Jordanian women.

***Indicates that funding for the project is classified 100% Democracy. This applies only to the Near East Bureau; all projects listed in other bureaus are 100% democracy funded. However, only 100% democracy funded projects are included in the Near East project totals for FY 1991 and FY 1992 on pages 35 and 53.

LEBANON

\$300,000 for activities supporting development of Lebanese democratic institutions, possibly including the judicial and legal institution, national and/or provincial legislatures, electoral institutions, political parties, and selected NGOs. (obligations for this activity will depend on the outcome of the DI assessment now in progress).

MOROCCO

\$5,000 to send participants to the Rule of Law/Human Rights Conference in January 1992.

\$150,000 to fund an assessment of priority development needs in the legal/judicial institutions sector and in institutions underlying democratic representation in government. The result will be a sound and well-targeted strategic program in these sectors which is closely integrated with USAID/Morocco's broader program objectives.

\$600,000, possibly, to establish a Moroccan Business Center which will provide technical assistance to small and medium enterprises to provide services and as a forum for pressing small and medium business interests in policy formation contexts.

TUNISIA

*** \$14,000 for the Rule of Law/Human Rights Conference in January 1992. This Conference, in which several USG agencies and several NE countries participated, brought together academicians, judges, lawyers, government officials, and human rights advocates to discuss the role of democratic institutions in furthering human rights guarantees.

REGIONAL PROJECTS:

*** \$241,000 for design of a Near East Bureau regional project, and for a series of special studies and workshops to examine key issues critical to implementation of an effective NE DI program (such as consideration of the affects of Islamic resurgence on prospects for democratic programs).

*** \$2,500,000 for a Near East Bureau regional project (4 yr., \$10,000,000 LOP) to support DI activities across the region, particularly in Morocco, Tunisia, Jordan, Yemen, Egypt, and Lebanon. The project will focus on legislative development, elections support, printed/electronic media development, judicial/legal institutions development, and strengthening advocacy-oriented NGOs (e.g., unions, private sector associations, human rights advocates).

*** \$340,000 for a Near East Human Rights (116 e) program, probably targeted specifically on human rights education and human rights advocacy activities. The FY 1992 obligations will be preceded by an evaluation of the impact of 116 e funding between 1988 and 1991.

CENTRAL BUREAU FUNDING

SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY/RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT BUREAU

\$150,000 was provided for the cooperative agreement with the National Academy of Sciences for one expert session on "The Process of Democratization" and a workshop on "Managing Ethnic Conflict." The purpose of these sessions was: to improve the Agency's understanding of the processes leading to democratization; to examine various institutional arrangements that facilitate the evolution of democratic governance systems; and to improve A.I.D.'s ability to design, evaluate and sustain interventions that impact positively on democratic development.

\$600,000 was provided for the cooperative agreement with the International Foundation for Electoral Systems to provide A.I.D. support for elections through: technical assistance, equipment, election assessments, and observation and monitoring teams.

**DEMOCRACY INITIATIVE PROJECTED SUMMARY
FUNDING FIGURES FOR FY 1992**

TOTAL AFRICA BUREAU	\$20,900,000
TOTAL SOUTH AFRICA	\$11,000,000
TOTAL ASIA BUREAU	\$ 2,886,000
TOTAL EUROPE BUREAU	\$29,250,000
TOTAL LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN BUREAU	\$63,750,000
TOTAL NEAR EAST BUREAU	\$ 4,245,000
TOTAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT BUREAU	\$ 760,000
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AID SUMMARY TOTAL	\$132,791,000