



**UNITED STATES AGENCY FOR
INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT
USAID/CAMBODIA**

PROGRAM BRIEFING BOOK

INTRODUCTION

This is a summary of on-going, planned and completed activities funded by USAID/Cambodia. As the Mission makes the transition to "Reengineering," this summary contains a statement of the USAID program's Strategic Objectives and descriptions of individual projects or activities toward the achievement of these objectives.

Funding of USAID activities in Cambodia is provided:

- to support the national reconstruction process by promoting and strengthening broad-based economic development;
- to improve maternal/child health and to support the provision of basic services and humanitarian assistance to vulnerable groups such as children, widows, and the disabled in areas of health, sanitation and nutrition;
- improve the overall education system by training primary school teachers, and thereby, increasing equitable access to primary education especially as it relates to girls' education.
- to enhance overall economic development through improving basic infrastructure such as roads, bridges and health facilities;
- to make available technical assistance to the Royal Cambodian Government to help plan and implement development activities; and
- to help formulate sound economic policy and enhance democratic processes.

Funding levels indicated are shown in millions of United States dollars. The "Life of Project Cost" on individual activity sheets refers to the total amount planned over the entire life of the project or activity. In most instances, USAID provides funding on a year-by-year basis, or incrementally, subject to the availability of funds from the United States Congress.

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I. PROGRAM SUMMARY AND HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

BASIC INDICATORS FOR CAMBODIA (1995)

Population

Total population	10.3 million
Population growth rate	2.7%
Percent of population under age of 15	47%
Percent of adult women	53%
Urban/Rural ratio	85:15

Health

Infant Mortality Rate neonatal)	115 deaths per 1,000 births (60%
Child Mortality Rate	181 deaths per 1,000
Maternal Mortality Rate	500 per 100,000 births
Total Marital Fertility Rate	6.7
Contraceptive Prevalence Rate	6.9%
Life expectancy	49 years
Access to safe water (% of population)	20% (urban) 12% (rural)
Access to safe sanitation (% of populaton)	12%
Monthly mine casualty rate	150 persons
No. of amputees	1 per 245 persons

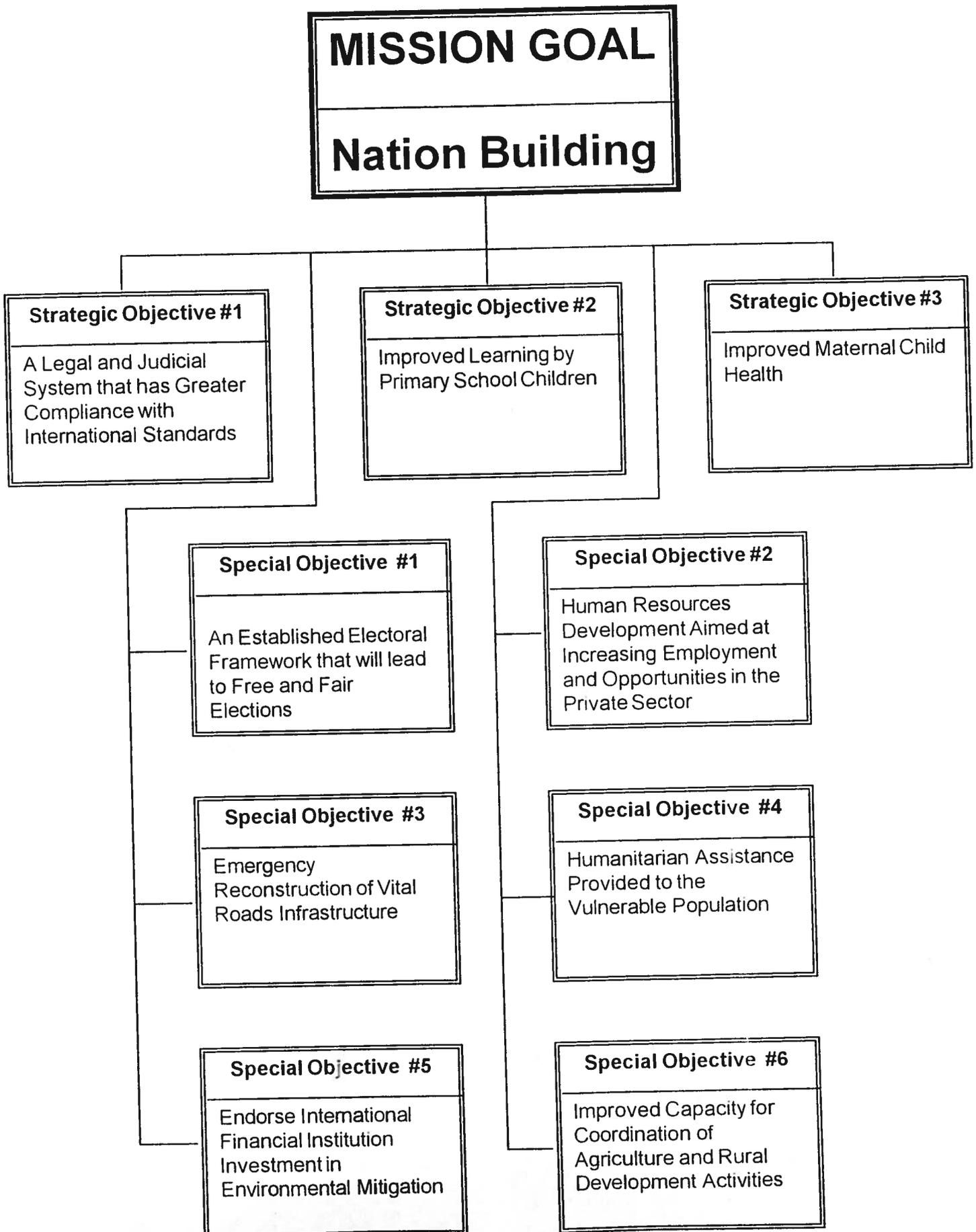
Education

Literacy: Male	77.9% (1993)
Female	49.5 % (1993)

Economic

GNP per capita	\$180
Real GDP growth rate	7.5% (1994)
Shares of GDP:	
Agriculture	44.9%
Industry	19.6%
Services	35.6%

USAID/CAMBODIA



PROGRAM SUMMARY

As Cambodia has evolved toward becoming a democratic state, USAID/Cambodia's program has also evolved from a rapid response program, addressing relief and rehabilitation and supporting the peace process, toward a more traditional bilateral program addressing rehabilitation and growth. The thrust of USAID/Cambodia's program is to support the nation-building effort which is being undertaken by the Cambodian people.

USAID/Cambodia recognizes that significant humanitarian needs remain to be addressed and that the RCG is not yet ready or able to take on responsibility in many of these areas. Therefore, the Mission's program continues to include investment in basic human needs activities. At the same time, the positive developments which have occurred in Cambodia permit the laying of a foundation for eventual Cambodianization of programs as well as for future sustainable development. Thus, major emphasis is being placed on helping to build Cambodian capacity and helping to establish an environment conducive to sustainable growth. Short-term and on-the-job training for indigenous NGOs, key institutions, the private sector and core RCG staff is an underlying theme of USAID/Cambodia's entire program. The transformation of Cambodia's economy from a central planning focus to an outward-looking market orientation will require significant shifts in every sector. All of USAID/Cambodia's projects specifically examine ways to stimulate private sector growth and participation in the economy.

Democracy lacks strong roots in Cambodia. If Cambodia's citizens are to continue to stave off attempts by various factions to seize control, then establishing popular support for democratic governance demands that benefits of this change be visible in the short-term on a national basis. Therefore, a cross-cutting theme of all assistance activities is on placing high priority on rural development.

USAID / Cambodia's programmatic approach emphasizes achieving rapid, high-impact, visible outcomes, while at the same time, making key human resource, infrastructure and institution building investments for the future.

At present, USAID/ Cambodia's program is being implemented totally through direct USAID contracts, grants and cooperative agreements, with NGOs playing a lead role. This programming mode will continue, although increasing emphasis will be

USAID/Cambodia's intent of building governmental capacity for long-term development. USAID Cambodia's role is envisioned as that of wholesaler with the NGOs carrying out the "hands on" retail function.



placed on building governmental capacity. While there will not be direct assistance to the RCG in many areas, RCG employees will be among the primary beneficiaries of NGO training programs as part of

The Mission's program has been developed taking into account USAID/Cambodia's assessment of Cambodian needs and constraints, the RCG's recently formulated program to rehabilitate and develop Cambodia, other donor assessments and intentions, lessons learned from neighboring countries which have realized significant growth with equity, and USAID's comparative advantage for delivering programs.

USAID HISTORY IN CAMBODIA

- In 1986, USAID initiated humanitarian support to two Cambodian non-Communist (CNC) groups in northwestern Cambodia. Known as the Northwest Area Development Program, the activities were administered by the Office of Khmer Affairs in Bangkok.
- Funding under the Northwest Area Development Program provided economic development support to the CNC groups in the form of medical equipment and supplies, transportation, food, and training to support community development and health care.
- With the signing of the Peace Accords in 1991, the USAID program shifted to a more traditional emphasis, providing humanitarian and rehabilitation assistance to meet the basic needs of Cambodians nationwide.
- Between 1991 and 1993, USAID's objective was to support the Paris Peace Agreement and the process leading up to and immediately following the May 1993 elections. During this period, there were no bilateral relations between the U.S. and Cambodian governments. The USAID program was implemented primarily through private contractors and Private Voluntary Organizations, as well as International Organizations.
- In 1992, responsibility for the USAID/Cambodia program shifted from Bangkok to a newly established office in Phnom Penh.
- With the success of the May 1993 elections, Cambodia emerged with a new democratically elected Constituent Assembly that promptly executed the task of drafting a Constitution. With the formation of a new, internationally recognized government, the United States normalized relations with the Royal Government of Cambodia and upgraded its Mission to a full Embassy in September 1993.
- A USAID bilateral program was formally established in 1994.
- Consonant with the changing political environment, USAID's program gradually shifted its emphasis from emergency relief to reconstruction and long-term development assistance.

CURRENT USAID PROGRAM

The current USAID program is broadly divided into the following areas:

(1) Improved Maternal/Child Health

The USAID/Cambodia program works with Private Voluntary Organizations (PVOs) and International Organizations (IOs) to improve the health and economic well-being of vulnerable groups such as children, orphans, war victims and widows. Activities under our current PVO Co-Financing Project (\$50 million over 7 years) are concentrated in the areas of: community development, health education and sanitation, primary health care, mental health, family planning, vocational training, literacy, credit, and prosthetics. The project administers 22 grants to U.S. and international PVOs, one grant to an International Organization, and one umbrella grant to a U.S. PVO which is currently providing sub-grants to 8 U.S. and international PVOs and 18 indigenous Cambodian PVOs. Within the new

Maternal/Child Health focus, the program will aim at increasing access to and use of quality reproductive and children's health services, particularly birth spacing.

(2) **Infrastructure Development** -- Program emphasis of this \$40 million project is on the rehabilitation of rural and national roads and de-mining. Phase I of the Emergency Roads Repair Project (\$10 million) rehabilitated and de-mined over 500 kilometers of rural roads in the provinces of the Northwest. It facilitated the repatriation of refugees and war victims to their areas of origin. These rehabilitated transport links served to stimulate the local economy and allowed the delivery of humanitarian assistance and basic human services. The 125 meter Pursat Bridge is also being reconstructed using Phase I funding. Phase II of the roads rehabilitation project (\$30 million) will focus on the economically vital southern route linking Cambodia's only deep water port, Sihanoukville, with Phnom Penh and thereby, the rest of the country.

(3) **Democratic Initiatives** -- Through the Democratic Initiatives Project (\$30 million over six years), USAID/Cambodia aims to strengthen public and non-governmental institutions in the transition to a more democratic society, while also working to ensure that free and fair local and national elections are held in 1997 and 1998. The project provides training and technical assistance in the legal sector, Parliament, media, and among human rights and public policy organizations. Prior to the successful May 1993 elections, USAID supported the National Democratic Institute (NDI) and the International Republican Institute (IRI) by providing training in campaign techniques to leaders and staff from 20 registered parties. The USAID Democracy Initiatives Project is currently providing support to The Asia Foundation to help strengthen the National Assembly and local human rights and public policy organizations. Other ongoing activities include: legal training of judges, prosecutors, public defenders, and court staff through the International Human Rights Law Group; legal education through the University of San Francisco; establishment of a labor law relations system through the Asian-American Free Labor Institute; and the provision of technical support, through the American Bar Association, for the newly established Bar Association of the Kingdom of Cambodia.

(4) **Promoting Broad-based Economic Growth** -- Challenged with severely depleted physical and human resources, the Cambodian government is faced with effecting the transition from a centrally-controlled economy to a free market economy. The USAID program aims to strengthen the institutional capacity of the government sector to manage and implement this economic transition. Through the Technical Support Project (\$20 million over 7 years) USAID/Cambodia will provide technical advisors in the areas of development and macroeconomic planning, fiscal and monetary policy, and donor resource management.

REENGINEERING

USAID as an agency is undertaking the worldwide transition of *Reengineering*. Reengineering will entail fundamental changes in USAID's approach to addressing development problems and overall organizational management. Its underlying precept is based on four core values: 1) Customer Focus; 2) Managing for Results; 3) Teamwork and Participation; and 4) Empowerment and Accountability. A key feature will be the redesign of USAID's organizational and management structures around desired *Strategic Objectives* and *Results*.

**USAID/CAMBODIA PROGRAM
1994 - 2000**

USAID/Cambodia Strategic Objectives

- Strategic Objective 1 (SO1):* Legal and judicial system that has greater compliance with international standards;
- Strategic Objective 2 (SO2):* Improved learning by primary school children;
- Strategic Objective 4 (SO4):* Improved maternal and child health.

Special Objectives

While focus is upon the four Strategic Objectives above, the program also has "Special Objectives," which are smaller in scope, but support other U.S. Government assistance objectives. The four Special Objectives (SpO) are listed below:

- SpO1:* An established electoral framework that will lead to free and fair elections;
- SpO2:* Human resources aimed at increasing employment and opportunities in the private sector;
- SpO3:* Emergency reconstruction of vital roads infrastructure;
- SpO4:* Improved services for war victims;
- SpO5:* Adoption of and assured funding for a national Environmental Action Plan;
- SpO6:* Improved capacity for coordination of agriculture and rural development activities.

Projects

Existing Projects	Year Authorized	Total Funding (\$ millions)	Final Year
Democratic Initiatives	1992	30.0	2000
Primary Education	1995	30.0	1999
PVO Co-Financing	1993	50.0	2000
Family Health/Birth Spacing	1994	20.0	1998
Emergency Roads Repair	1992	40.0	1996
Technical Support	1992	20.0	1998
Planned Projects			
Rural Roads and Infrastructure	1996	20.0	1999

PROJECT ACTIVITIES:

Existing Projects:

- *PVO Co-Financing* addresses basic human needs in health, vocational education, community development, care for displaced children and orphans, prosthetics and demining.
- *Democratic Initiatives* supports better governance and helps political institutions (including political parties and unions) to function better.
- *Technical Support* helps to improve government's analytic capability and policy-making, with a component to provide technical assistance and material support for environmentally-related planning and advocacy.
- *Emergency Roads Repair* links economic growth centers, and supported the repatriation effort prior to elections.
- *Family Health and Birth Spacing* will provide commodities, training, information, education and communication support for maternal health and birth spacing.
- *Assistance to Primary Education* will train primary school teachers and provide textbooks and materials for primary education.

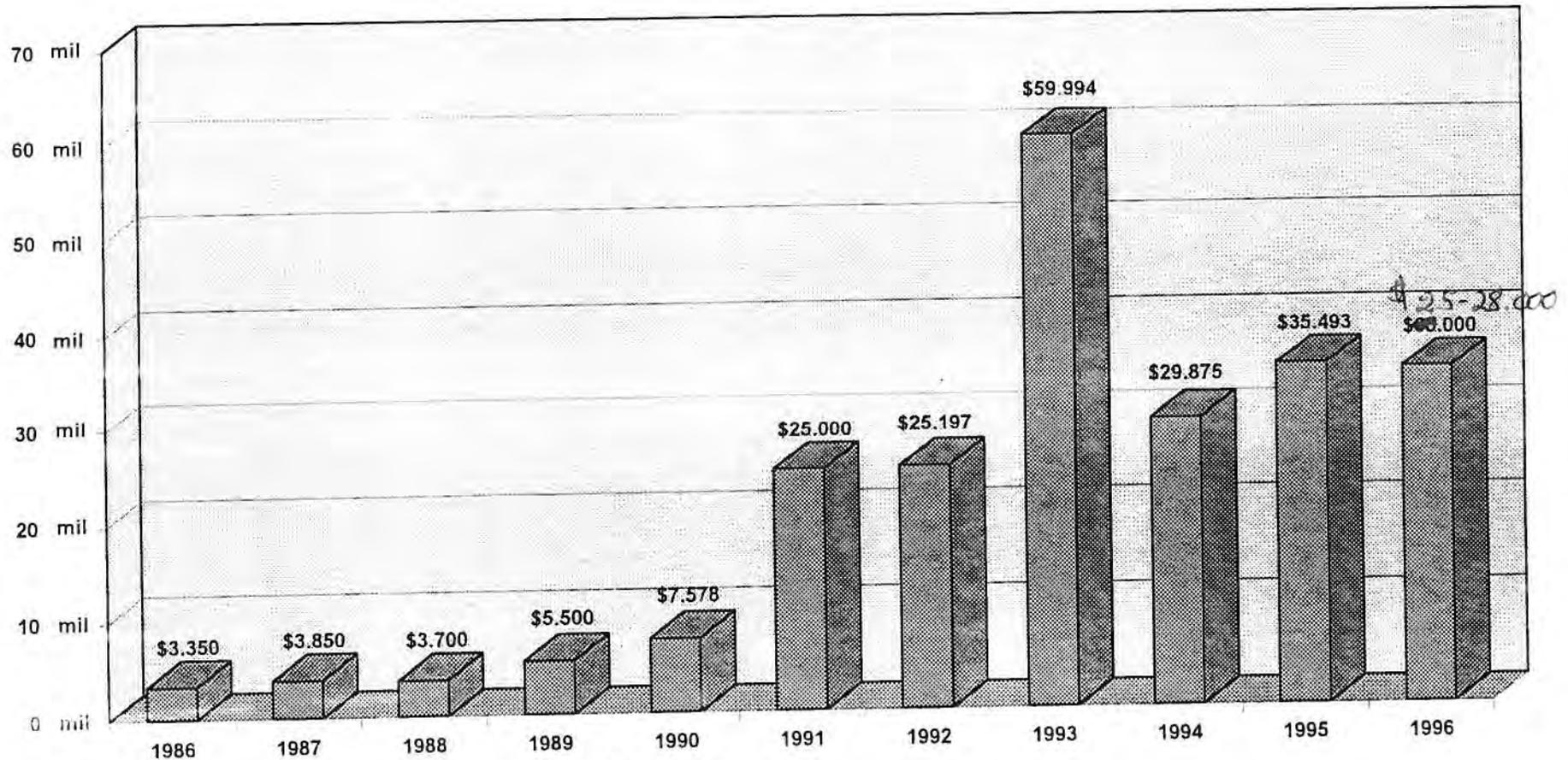
Expected Outcomes:

- Improved RCG analytic capacity to establish a framework for growth
- More transparent and predictable legal, regulatory and judicial framework
- Repair of the major road between Sihanoukville and Phnom Penh, permitting transport of large quantities of goods and promoting economic growth
- All 46,000 primary school teachers will be trained and provided educational materials; key civil servants will receive basic, as well as specific, job-related training
- Capital more widely available for microentrepreneurs
- Significant improvement in contraceptive prevalence and health status
- Improved environmental planning and natural resources management
- Increase in the number and activities of indigenous groups
- Enhanced indigenous Cambodian capacity for demining
- Increased availability and quality of basic services in health, child spacing, education, prosthetics and care of displaced children and orphans

USAID ASSISTANCE TO CAMBODIA

(in millions of dollars)

1986-1996



CUMULATIVE TOTAL (1986-1996): \$234.537

NOTES

The 1994 US Government pledge made at the International Committee of the Reconstruction of Cambodia (ICORC) was \$33 million. This included \$29.3 million from USAID and \$3.7 million pledged from non-USAID, other US Government sources for demining. USAID exceeded the 1994 pledge by \$575,000.

The 1995 obligation does not include: \$5,460,000 in emergency food aid, \$175,000 Global Bureau support for Democracy, \$400,000 for AIDSCAP, and \$100,000 in Global Bureau Population set-aside.

II. PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT

PROJECT TITLE:	PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT
PROJECT NUMBER:	442-0112
IMPLEMENTING ENTITIES:	U.S., international and Cambodian PVOs; International Organizations
LIFE OF PROJECT COST:	\$50 million
DURATION:	FY 1993 - FY 2000
PROJECT LOCATION:	Nationwide
SECTOR FOCUS:	Humanitarian assistance
PROJECT OFFICER:	Antoinette Ferrara

PURPOSE: To engage the expertise of Private Voluntary Organizations (PVOs), both foreign and indigenous, and International Organizations (IOs) to meet the humanitarian assistance needs of vulnerable, low-income groups in Cambodia.

The project objectives are:

1. Give socially and economically disadvantaged Cambodians access to basic needs;
2. Increase productivity, enable families to raise family incomes through income generation activities, and create employment opportunities among target beneficiaries;
3. Increase the capacity of PVOs to plan, manage and execute development activities and facilitate coordination among themselves and government organizations as they emerge in Cambodia; and
4. Promote and develop a core of indigenous NGOs capable of managing and implementing development activities in Cambodia, with a view to establishing, among other goals, a pluralistic society that fosters the respect of human rights and builds sustainable democratic institutions.

The PVO Co-Financing Project employs different funding mechanisms to carry out the objectives of the Project: direct grants, consortium grants and/or cooperative agreement "umbrella grants," to accommodate USAID management constraints and the needs of beneficiaries. Direct grants to individual PVOs and IOs are the dominant funding mechanism used throughout project implementation.

Following are brief descriptions of PVO activities funded under the PVO Co-Financing Project.

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT (442-0112)

ORGANIZATIONAL DIAGRAM

DIRECT GRANTEES

1. AICF/USA
(water & sanitation, school construction Kratie, Steung Treng)
2. American Red Cross
(hospital rehabilitation, prosthetics Kompong Speu)
3. American Refugee Committee
(MCH, water & sanitation, health education, literacy: Pursat)
4. CARE (Chivit Thmey)
(MCH, water reproductive health: Pursat, Banteay Meanchey, Kompong Chhnang)
5. CARE (Roads Rehabilitation and Maintenance Project)
(road rehabilitation and maintenance: Banteay Meanchey Siem Reap)
6. Catholic Relief Services
(rural credit: Battambang, Takeo)
7. Family Planning International Assistance
(reproductive health: Phnom Penh, Svay Rieng, Kompong Speu, Takeo)
8. Handicap International
(demining: Phnom Penh with nation wide impact)
9. Harvard School for Public Health
(community-based mental health: Siem Reap, with nationwide impact)
10. Helen Keller International
(Vitamin A: Kampot, Kompong Speu, Kratie, Rattanakin, Stung Treng, Takeo)
11. International Development Enterprise
(Irrigation: Prey Veng, Svay Rieng, Kompong Chhanang, Pursat, Battambang)
12. International Rescue Committee
(MCH, water & sanitation, health training: Kompong Chhnang)
13. Medecins Sans Frontieres (Thmar Pouc)
(hospital rehabilitation, health training: Banteay Meanchey)
14. Medecins Sans Frontieres (Stung Treng)
(hospital rehabilitation, health training: (Stung Treng)
15. Population Services International
(reproductive health: Phnom Penh, with nationwide coverage)
16. Salesian Missions
(vocational training for youths: Phnom Penh)
17. Vietnam Veterans of America Foundation
(prosthetics: Khien Khleang, Prey Veng, Steung Treng)
18. World Education
(health education, water & sanitation Prey Veng)
19. World Health Organization
(dengue fever control: Phnom Penh with nationwide coverage)
20. World Relief
(credit & health education Phnom Penh, Kompong Cham)
21. World Vision
(hospital rehabilitation, pediatrics training Phnom Penh)

PACT COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT

SUBGRANTEES

1. Cambodian-American National Development Organization (CANDO)
(training, technical assistance: Phnom Penh)
2. International Catholic Migration Commission
(women's skills development, training, credit, health: Battambang)
4. Khmer Buddhist Society
(community development, counseling: Kompong Speu)
5. United Cambodian Community
(vocational training for the disabled: Kampot)
6. University of Massachusetts Foundation
(community development: Kompong Chhnang)
7. Food for the Hungry International
(water and sanitation: Takeo)
8. HealthNet
(hospital rehabilitation, health training: Svay Rieng)
9. Rehab Craft
(handicraft production by the disabled: Phnom Penh)

STRATEGIC ASSISTANCE GRANTS (SAGs)

1. Buddhism for Development
(rice bank, credit: Battambang)
2. Khmer Rural Development Association (KRDA)
(community development, credit: Battambang)
3. Battambang Women's AIDS Project
(HIV/AIDS awareness and prevention: Battambang)
4. Outreach
(human rights: Phnom Penh)
5. Urban Sector Group
(community development in urban squatter settlements, credit: Phnom Penh)
6. Rural Family Development (RUFADe)
(rice bank, credit: Battambang, Banteay Meanchey)
7. Ponleu Khmer
(human rights: Phnom Penh)
8. Minority Organization for the Development of the Economy (MODE)
(community development, health education: Kompong Thom)
9. Human Rights Vigilance of Cambodia
(human rights: Phnom Penh)
10. Cambodian Volunteers for Community Development
(health education: Phnom Penh)
11. Cambodian Women's Development Association
(health education, income generation: Phnom Penh)
12. Samakee
(health education: Svay Rieng)
13. Chivith Thmel
(rice bank, credit: Battambang)
14. Rachana
(MCH, animal bank, rice bank: Takeo)
15. Cambodian Conductor's Association (CCA)
(support to cyclo drivers: Phnom Penh)
16. Kratie Women's Welfare Association
(credit, health education, literacy: Kratie)
17. Mother's Love
(community savings, cow bank, kindergarten: Takeo)
18. Cambodian Midwives Association
(development of midwifery practice: Phnom Penh)

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT, cont.

1. **GRANTEE:** ACTION INTERNATIONALE CONTRE LA FAIM/USA
(AICF/USA)
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0112-G-00-4503
GRANT TITLE: Northeast Cambodia Community Water & Health
Education Program

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$1,942,158
DURATION: November 1, 1993 to September 30, 1996
PROJECT LOCATION: Kratie, Steung Treng
SECTOR FOCUS: Health, water and sanitation
CONTACT PERSON: Louis O'Brien, Country Director

PURPOSE: To rehabilitate and restore clean water sources and provide basic health education to villagers in the provinces of Kratie and Stung Treng.

DESCRIPTION: To reduce water-related morbidity in the targeted areas of Kratie and Stung Treng through the provision of community-managed water systems which will provide clean and adequate water. Anticipated outcomes include:

- a. Strengthening the ability of provincial and district drilling and construction teams to properly assess their needs for materials and related costs.
- b. Creation of Provincial Water Committees in Kratie and Steung Treng to establish water system management funds for pumps installed and ensure that pumps are maintained on a timely basis.
- c. An increase in the number of people using pumps versus former sources of water.
- d. Community latrine building effort following a school latrine building demonstration.
- e. An increase in the number of schools using a health education curriculum.

2. **GRANTEE:** AMERICAN RED CROSS (AmCross)
GRANT NUMBER: ANE-0102-G-00-1039-00
GRANT TITLE: Kampong Speu Prosthetics Project

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$3,123,166
DURATION: August 31, 1991 to December 31, 1996
PROJECT LOCATION: Kampong Speu
SECTOR FOCUS: Health and prosthetics
CONTACT PERSON: Glenn Dixon, Country Director

PURPOSE: To provide humanitarian assistance to the people of Cambodia through the provision of prosthetic, surgical, and medical technical assistance at the provincial level, and specifically at Kompong Speu Provincial Hospital. The project has focused on the upgrading and rehabilitation of facilities, training of provincial health counterparts, and the development of training and supervision procedures and materials.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by ARC include:

- a. Improve medical and ancillary in-patient and out-patient care at the provincial level;

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT, cont.

- b. Train prosthetics technicians to produce and fit above- and below-knee prostheses, and provide physical therapy to patients;
- c. Upgrade oratory facilities and improve sterile conditions in clinical and surgical facilities of the provincial hospital, including improved provision of water and electricity;
- d. Upgrade nursing skills and patient management care;
- e. Provide technical assistance to the hospital management committee and the provincial health service;
- f. Provide technical assistance and training for provincial, regional, and national rehabilitation activities.

3. **GRANTEE:** AMERICAN RED CROSS (AmCross)
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0112-G-00-6510
GRANT TITLE: Technical Rehabilitation and Integration Assistance Development Project (TRIAD)

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$600,000
DURATION: February 1, 1996 - July 31, 1997
PROJECT LOCATION: Phnom Penh, Kompong Speu
SECTOR FOCUS: Prosthetics, organizational development
CONTACT PERSON: Glenn Dixon, Head of Delegation

PURPOSE: To ensure continued benefits and rehabilitation services to the disabled.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be achieved by the project include:

1. Strengthen and upgrade the capacity for planning and budgeting of the national rehabilitation sector through the Ministry of Social Affairs, Labor, and Veterans' Affairs (MSALVA);
2. Provide technical assistance to the establishment of the National Center of Disabled Persons (NCDP);
3. Upgrade local capacity and partnerships (Provincial Rehabilitation Department and the Cambodian Red Cross) for the provision of ongoing rehabilitation services in Kampong Speu.

4. **GRANTEE:** AMERICAN REFUGEE COMMITTEE (ARC)
GRANT NUMBER: ANE-0102-G-00-1012
GRANT TITLE: Kon Dieng Rural Health Development Project

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$1,612,508
DURATION: May 31, 1991 to March 31, 1996
PROJECT LOCATION: Kon Dieng District, Pursat
SECTOR FOCUS: Maternal and child health
CONTACT PERSON: Brian Heidel, Country Director

PURPOSE: To improve the health of the Cambodian population, with special focus on women and children, by strengthening the capacity of local counterparts to sustain the health improvements achieved. ARC's broad-based health program includes activities in: maternal/child care, post-natal care, immunization, hospital staff training, latrine building, hygiene and sanitation training, and training of village nurses, midwives and traditional birth attendants.

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT, cont.

DESCRIPTION: The American Refugee Committee will continue and phase-out its on-going activities by focusing on the following objectives:

- a. Improve the quality of curative and preventive health to women and children in particular, through training and supervision of health staff, and teaching health workers to understand the relation between preventive and curative health activities;
 - b. Improve planning and management capacities of Cambodian counterparts through technical assistance;
 - c. Continue to train local staff in more effective drilling and well construction techniques to improve access to and use of clean water.
 - d. Supervise and monitor training progress of health worker trainees.
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5.	GRANTEE:	CARE
	GRANT NUMBER:	442-0112-G-00-5514-00
	GRANT TITLE:	Jivit Thmey Project
	LIFE OF PROJECT COST:	\$1,312,500
	DURATION:	1 July 1995 - 30 June 1998
	PROJECT LOCATIONS:	Pursat, Banteay Meanchey, and Kampong Chhnang
	SECTOR FOCUS:	Health
	CONTACT PERSON:	Graham Miller, Country Director

PURPOSE: To meet the essential health care needs of people living in the remote parts of Pursat, Banteay Meanchey and Kampong Chhnang provinces by improving and extending primary health care services in 36 communes.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by CARE include:

- a. Provide the Provincial Departments of Health a minimum package of high quality and accessible commune-level health services in 36 communes of Bakan, Preah Net Preah, Phnom Srok, Rolia Piea and Boribo districts;
 - b. Ensure that a minimum of one trained traditional birth attendant in each village in 36 communes is: providing clean and safe delivery services, reporting activities to the Ministry of Health on a monthly basis, and referring women to government health services;
 - c. Ensure that a minimum of 40 pharmacists in Pursat Town are providing accurate and reliable information and birth spacing services to oral contraceptive, depo-provera and condom users in accordance with Ministry of Health protocols.
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6.	GRANTEE:	CARE
	GRANT NUMBER:	442-0112-G-00-5510-00
	GRANT TITLE:	CARE Roads Rehabilitation and Maintenance Project
	LIFE OF PROJECT COST:	\$2,009,668
	DURATION:	May 11, 1995 - May 31, 1997
	PROJECT LOCATIONS:	Banteay Meanchey and Siem Reap Provinces
	SECTOR FOCUS:	Road Maintenance
	CONTACT PERSON:	Graham Miller, Country Director

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT, cont.

PURPOSE: To improve the socio-economic status of approximately 275,000 inhabitants of Banteay Meanchey and Siem Reap provinces.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by CARE include:

- a. Repair and maintain a minimum of 300 kilometers of secondary and tertiary roads in Banteay Meanchey and Siem Reap provinces;
- b. Generate a minimum of 100,000 work days of employment for socially and economically disadvantaged groups in the project area;
- c. Strengthen the capacity of the Department of Public Works in Banteay Meanchey and Siem Reap provinces and the local NGO, Anakot Khmer, to plan, organize and implement labor-based road maintenance projects for up 300 kilometers of roads per year.

7. **GRANTEE:** CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES (CRS)
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0112-G-00-
GRANT TITLE: Thaneakea Phum (Village Banking) Project

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$1,107,720
DURATION: July 1, 1995 - December 31, 1999
PROJECT LOCATIONS: Battambang and Takeo
SECTOR FOCUS: Poverty lending
CONTACT PERSON: Mark T. Pierce, Country Representative

PURPOSE: To increase income and the quality of life of poor rural families in Cambodia.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by the CRS project include:

- a. Establish a sustainable poverty lending program serving 3,510 poor rural women and their families by strengthening the capacity of three selected partner local NGOs (LNGOs);
- b. Strengthen the organizational capacity of the LNGO community and a core group in the Ministry of Rural Development through training and technical assistance in the design, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of viable poverty lending programs.

8. **GRANTEE:** FAMILY PLANNING INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE (FPIA)
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0112-G-00-4506-00
GRANT TITLE: Family Health & Spacing Project

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$4,924,500
DURATION: November 22, 1993 to February 21, 1997
PROJECT LOCATION: Phnom Penh, Kampong Speu, Svay Rieng, Takeo
SECTOR FOCUS: Reproductive health
CONTACT PERSON: Paul Hamilton, Country Director

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT, cont.

PURPOSE: To provide family planning services accessible to the poor and undeserved Khmer population in Phnom Penh and the provinces of Kampong Speu, Svay Rieng and Takeo.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by FPIA include:

- a. Establish a viable Khmer family planning NGO which is able to effectively manage an urban clinic, and three rural community-based distribution programs in the selected provinces;
- b. Provide and integrate family planning services through the health delivery system and the national Protection Maternelle et Infantile (PMI) program in the selected provinces;
- c. Increase involvement of Cambodian non-governmental entities in the delivery of family planning services;
- d. Improve access to family planning information and clinical services by the poor and undeserved population of Phnom Penh;
- e. Increase awareness and practice of birth spacing and use of family planning methods, and improve provision of reproductive health services in target areas;
- f. Expand community-based distribution of contraceptives in selected areas;
- g. Design and produce culturally appropriate information, education and communication materials.

9.	GRANTEE:	HANDICAP INTERNATIONAL (HI)
	GRANT NUMBER:	442-0112-G-00-5511-00
	GRANT TITLE:	CMAC Institutional Strengthening Program
	LIFE OF PROJECT COST:	\$275,000
	DURATION:	June 1995 - December 31, 1996
	PROJECT LOCATION:	Nationwide
	SECTOR FOCUS:	Mined area data collection and analysis
	CONTACT PERSON:	Pascal Simon, Country Representative

PURPOSE: To support the Cambodian Mine Action Center (CMAC) Institutional Strengthening Program nationwide.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by Handicap International include:

- a. Physically verify the presence or absence of mines in 900 of the 2000 mined areas reported to CMAC;
- b. Assist and train CMAC staff in developing a computerized Geographic Information System (GIS) on mined areas in Cambodia which will be integrated into Mine Awareness Maps displaying mined areas in relation to villages, roads, and administrative boundaries;
- c. Establish a database on the location and number of landmine- and UXO- (Unexploded Ordnance) related casualties which could provide baseline statistics against which the success of mine awareness and clearance operations can be measured.

10.	GRANTEE:	HARVARD SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH
	GRANT NUMBER:	442-0112-G-00-
	GRANT TITLE:	National Mental Health Training and Certification Project
	LIFE OF PROJECT COST:	\$855,405
	DURATION:	July 1, 1995 - June 30, 1999

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT, cont.

PROJECT LOCATIONS: Siem Reap, with nationwide impact
SECTOR FOCUS: Mental health
CONTACT PERSON: Richard F. Mollica, Director

PURPOSE: To train and certify one hundred rural Cambodian primary care physicians in community-based mental health.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by the Harvard School of Public Health include:

- a. Increase mental health concepts and treatment practices into the primary health care system of Cambodia;
- b. Select, recruit and train in community-based mental health care one hundred primary care physicians from the rural regions of Cambodia, including remote districts;
- c. Provide joint certification by the Harvard School of Public Health and the RCG/Ministry of Health that these physicians have successfully passed the training course and are capable of providing community-based mental health care;
- d. Maintain HTPC's primary care mental health program in Siem Reap to serve as a training site and national model of a successful primary health care mental health practice;
- e. Establish through HTPC & MOH a national network of primary health care providers capable of receiving on-going continuing education and preventive mental health skills;
- f. Adapt and utilize HTPC's curriculum and training instruments in the Cambodian medical school for the mental health training of new primary care physicians.

11. **GRANTEE:** HELEN KELLER INTERNATIONAL
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0112-
GRANT TITLE: Multi-Benefit Food and Health Enterprise Development Model

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$1,500,000
DURATION: September 1, 1995 - August 31, 1998
PROJECT LOCATIONS: Kampot, Kampong Speu, Kratie, Phnom Penh, Rattanakiri, Stung Treng, Takeo
SECTOR FOCUS: Health
CONTACT PERSON: Mary McMurtry, Project Director

PURPOSE: To improve the survival, health, learning, productivity, and quality of life of the most vulnerable Cambodians.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by Helen Keller International include:

- a. Establish a rural, integrated community development training program and demonstration model for nutrition and eye health;
- b. Train health workers and teachers to implement interventions, produce materials and messages, and promote behavior changes to control nutrition and eye problems;
- c. Generate income through food production and preservation activities and also increase availability of foods to prevent nutritional blindness;
- d. Give technical assistance to national and local efforts to control avoidable blindness;
- e. Establish salt fortification businesses to prevent iodine deficiency.

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT, cont.

12. **GRANTEE:** INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ENTERPRISES
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0112-G-00-
GRANT TITLE: Small Scale Irrigation Cambodia Project

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$650,000
DURATION: October 1995 - March 31, 1999
PROJECT LOCATIONS: Prey Veng, Svay Rieng, Kampong Chhnang,
Pursat, Battambang, Siem Reap
SECTOR FOCUS: Irrigation
CONTACT PERSON: Jean-Francois Frys, Country Representative

PURPOSE: To increase the agricultural productivity, income, and irrigated acreage of small-farm families in Cambodia through a variety of simple technologies. IDE will manufacture, market, and install at least 9,975 small scale irrigation pumps over the life of the project.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by IDE include:

- a. Increase total grain production in Cambodia;
- b. Improve the agricultural productivity of small farm families in Cambodia;
- c. Increase irrigated acreage owned by small farm families;
- d. Stimulate the sustainable economic development of poor rural areas with neutral environmental impact;
- e. Increase the net income of small farmers;
- f. Improve the economic opportunities of women in rural Cambodia;
- g. Support the emergence of a rural marketplace for agricultural inputs in Cambodia.

13. **GRANTEE:** INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE (IRC)
GRANT NUMBER: ANE-0102-G-00-1031-00
GRANT TITLE: Integrated Maternal and Child Health Care Program

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$2,064,375
DURATION: August 9, 1991 to June 30, 1996
PROJECT LOCATION: Kampong Chhnang
SECTOR FOCUS: Health
CONTACT PERSON: Robyn Ziebert, Country Director

PURPOSE: To assist Cambodia in achieving a reduction of infant and under-five child mortality, improve maternal health, reduce morbidity from communicable diseases, and assist in meeting the basic health needs of the communities in Kompong Chhnang.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by IRC include:

- a. Improve midwife and traditional birth attendants' ability to provide assistance to pre- and post-partum women;
- b. Improve the general economic and nutritional status of target community members through health education programs and income-generation activities.
- c. Improve the level of hygiene and sanitation of health centers and facilities through rehabilitation and construction of district and commune health centers, the provision of essential health medical equipment, and the installation of wells and latrines.

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT, cont.

14. **GRANTEE:** MEDECINS SANS FRONTIERES (MSF)
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0100-G-00-2358-00
GRANT TITLE: Thmar Pouc Medical Program

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$1,701,989
DURATION: August 1, 1992 - September 31, 1995
PROJECT LOCATION: Thmar Pouc, Banteay Meanchey, Siem Reap
SECTOR FOCUS: Hospital rehabilitation
CONTACT PERSON: Maurits van Pelt, Project Coordinator.

PURPOSE: To provide humanitarian assistance to the people of Cambodia through the provision of medical technical assistance by contributing to the maintenance of basic curative health care services.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by MSF include:

- a. Supply of essential drugs and medical materials to the district hospitals and health centers of Thmar Pouc, Banteay Ampil, Samrong, Phnom Srok and Preanetrepreah;
- b. Supervision of medical case-management, nursing care and hospital hygiene by on-the-job training of hospital staff;
- c. Rehabilitation and construction of medical and pediatric facilities as well as water/sanitation systems in Sisophon hospital.
- d. Improvement of the patient referral system between hospitals and dispensaries in the region;

15. **GRANTEE:** MEDECINS SANS FRONTIERES (MSF)
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0112-G-00
GRANT TITLE: Rehabilitation of Health Services in Stung Treng Province

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$941,644
DURATION: February 1996 - January 1998
PROJECT LOCATIONS: Stung Treng
SECTOR FOCUS: Health
CONTACT PERSON: Maurits van Pelt, Country Representative

PURPOSE: To improve the care of Stung Treng Provincial Hospital as the only referral hospital for the area, through training, organizational change, the provision of medical supplies and equipment, and basic rehabilitation of hygiene and sanitation conditions. The project will also investigate the extent of, and possible strategies for dealing with, health problems caused by *schistosoma mekongi*.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by MSF include:

- a. Establish the provincial hospital of Stung Treng as the prime referral center for the province handling the most frequent and most important health problems;
- b. Identify and qualify the presence of *bilharzia mekongi* as a public health problem in the province, followed by recommendations concerning strategies for control.

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT, cont.

16. **GRANTEE:** POPULATION SERVICES INTERNATIONAL (PSI)
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0112-G-00-45-5-00
GRANT TITLE: Birth Spacing and AIDS Prevention in Cambodia

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$2,532,923
DURATION: December 9, 1993 to December 8, 1996
PROJECT LOCATION: Phnom Penh (with nation-wide impact)
SECTOR FOCUS: Reproductive health
CONTACT PERSON: John Diedrick, Country Director

PURPOSE: To improve the health of Cambodian families by reducing infant and maternal mortality and morbidity, and slowing the spread of HIV/AIDs. PSI aims to achieve this by increasing the correct and consistent use of modern birth spacing methods through the implementation of two private sector components: social marketing of condoms and oral contraceptives; and an information, education, and communication campaign to promote effective birth spacing practices.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by PSI include:

- a. Establish cost-effective private and public sector condom and oral contraceptive distribution systems throughout Cambodia;
- b. Create and produce culturally relevant, brand-specific advertising and promotion campaigns which will increase the knowledge of and demand for condoms and oral contraceptives;
- c. Design and produce culturally relevant information, education and communication campaigns which will inform the sexually active population and service providers about birth spacing and contraceptive methods;
- d. Create a local institution capable of sustaining contraceptive social marketing operations.

17. **GRANTEE:** SALESIAN MISSIONS
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0112-G-00-5516-00
GRANT TITLE: Technical Vocational Training For Orphans and Poor Youth

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$1,100,000
DURATION: July 11, 1995 - June 30, 2000
PROJECT LOCATION: Phnom Penh
SECTOR FOCUS: Training
CONTACT PERSON: Aubrey F. Mills, Director

PURPOSE: To improve the life of war orphans and poor Cambodian youth by providing technical training which will allow them to acquire and keep a job, thus forming a meaningful basis for their participation in civil society.

DESCRIPTION:

- a. Operate a technical, market-oriented technical training program for male and female youths;
- b. Instill in the students the basic responsibilities of good citizenship;
- c. Provide high quality facility to translate technical textbooks;
- d. Provide training to about 2,250 Cambodian youths over the life of project.

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT, cont.

18. GRANTEE: VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA
FOUNDATION (VVAF)
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0002-G-00-2375-00
GRANT TITLE: Prosthetics, Orthotics and Wheelchairs in
Cambodia
LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$4,532,000
DURATION: September 30, 1992 to June 30, 1996
PROJECT LOCATION: Kien Khleang, Prey Veng and Steung Treng
SECTOR FOCUS: Prosthetics, wheelchair manufacture
CONTACT PERSON: Larrie Warren, Project Director

PURPOSE: To train and employ disabled Cambodians in the manufacture of wheelchairs and prosthetics using Indian Jaipur and polypropylene limb technology. The initial phase of the project focused on financing the manufacture of prosthetics for Cambodian amputees, rehabilitating a prosthetics clinic and workshop in Kien Khleang, and providing physical therapy and vocational training for amputees.

DESCRIPTION: The VVAF program will draw on the success of the first phase of the project to accomplish the following goals:

- a. Meet the increasing demand for artificial limbs;
- b. Provide training in wheelchair technology and production;
- c. Introduce an orthotics training and production component to meet the needs of Cambodians crippled by polio and other diseases and injuries;
- d. Provide literacy and basic health education, and vocational training;
- e. Establish a Khmer NGO, with an independent funding base, to whom project activities will be transferred upon completion of the grant.

19. GRANTEE: VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA FOUNDATION
(VVAF)
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0112-A-00-6513
GRANT TITLE: Cambodia Prosthetics and Rehabilitation Program
LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$1,425,212
DURATION: January 1, 1996 - December 31, 1997
PROJECT LOCATION: Kien Khleang, Prey Veng
SECTOR FOCUS: Prosthetics, organizational development
CONTACT PERSON: Larrie Warren, Country Director

PURPOSE: To provide prosthetics services using polypropylene technology and orthotics services through training and employment of disabled Cambodians.

DESCRIPTION: The project will achieve the following goals:

1. Production and fittings of 2,400 prosthetic devices and 600 orthotic braces;
2. Consolidate and professionalize Kien Khleang as a National Rehabilitation Center with the cooperation of the Ministry of Social Affairs, Labor and Veterans Affairs;
3. Improve the technology and services provided at the Prey Veng Provincial Center.

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT, cont.

20. **GRANTEE:** WORLD EDUCATION
GRANT NUMBER: ANE-0102-G-00-1042-00
GRANT TITLE: Maternal and Child Non-formal Health Education

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$2,324,993
DURATION: August 29, 1991 to October 31, 1996
PROJECT LOCATION: Prey Veng
SECTOR FOCUS: Health
CONTACT PERSON: Tami Ito, Country Director

PURPOSE: To increase the demand for existing preventive health services by introducing a nonformal education component into the health care system at the community level. The project actively engages women in the health care of their families by providing them with necessary basic information about maternal and child health. The project has been extended to further expand and institutionalize the health education curriculum developed.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished under the new World Education program include:

- a. Assist Cambodian staff and counterparts to develop curricula and materials for nonformal health education training, for use at national, provincial, communal and village levels;
- b. Train Cambodian staff and counterparts to train health care personnel and extension workers at these levels in participatory health education methods using the materials developed;
- c. Actively continue to institutionalize the training process, and disseminate improved materials and curricula within the Ministry of Health and health system, the Women's Association, and other collaborating associations;
- d. Facilitate further development of a coordinated approach to non-formal health education by fostering collaboration among government, local and foreign organizations engaged in the health sector.

21. **GRANTEE:** WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO)
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0112-G-00-4510
GRANT TITLE: Control of Dengue Hemorrhagic Fever in Cambodia

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$1,000,000
DURATION: January 1, 1994 to December 31, 1995
PROJECT LOCATION: Nationwide
SECTOR FOCUS: Health
CONTACT PERSON: Dr. Georg Petersen, WHO Representative

PURPOSE: To establish a structure to develop and implement a comprehensive Dengue Hemorrhagic Fever (DHF) control program with an emphasis on prevention by health education and sanitation. This activity will be part of a wider communicable disease control program.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by the WHO project include:

- a. Develop a program for ensuring long-term surveillance and control of DHF within existing structures;
- b. Prepare a plan of action for responding rapidly and effectively to epidemics, and ensuring sufficient stocks of vector control and clinical supplies to implement the plan;

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT, cont.

- c. Develop an efficient and timely data collection and analysis system integrated into the general health information system, and include regular feedback to data producers and to people in other sectors, such as education and community leaders, who could be active in dengue control;
 - d. Strengthen and systematize entomological surveillance activities ensuring feedback of the data to authorities responsible for control measures;
 - e. Improve the capacity to diagnose and treat cases of DHF at all levels of clinical services;
 - f. Increase the knowledge of the population (especially parents and schoolchildren) on the cause of DHF, how to prevent it and the need for prompt treatment;
 - g. Develop community outreach activities to help communities take greater responsibility for their own environmental health issues, such as DHF;
 - h. Provide training, refresher training and non-formal education to health workers, school teachers, community leaders and other sectors in all aspects of DHF control;
 - i. Initiate operational research into cost-effective approaches to DHF control in Cambodia.
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22. **GRANTEE:** WORLD RELIEF CORPORATION
PROJECT NUMBER: 442-0112-G-004502-00
GRANT TITLE: "Gateway" Poverty Lending and Health Education Program

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$1,148,579
DURATION: November 1, 1993 to September 30, 1996
PROJECT LOCATION: Phnom Penh, Kompong Cham
SECTOR FOCUS: Health and credit
CONTACT PERSON: Joel Copple, Country Director

PURPOSE: To empower and better the lives of impoverished women and children, using an integrated small credit and savings community-based facility scheme which is associated with health education.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by the World Relief program include:

- a. Meet the immediate credit and health education needs of poor women and children;
 - b. Equip women with the basic health education and money management training necessary to improve health, productivity and incomes;
 - c. Build self-sufficiency within women's groups through education, savings and community development activities;
 - d. Develop a national staff capable of administering the project in a sustainable manner with minimal expatriate assistance.
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23. **GRANTEE:** WORLD VISION (WV)
GRANT NUMBER: ANE-0102-G-00-006-00
GRANT TITLE: Cambodia National Pediatric Hospital Renovation and Urban Child Health Program

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$2,307,652
DURATION: September 27, 1990 - August 31, 1996
PROJECT LOCATION: Phnom Penh
SECTOR FOCUS: Child health
CONTACT PERSON: Jaisankar Sarma, Country Director

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT, cont.

PURPOSE: To assist Cambodia in its program to reduce morbidity and mortality due to dengue hemorrhagic fever, acute respiratory infection and diarrhea in children under age five through the development of the National Pediatric Hospital as a national training center.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by World Vision include:

- a. Design an effective and comprehensive training program to address child morbidity and mortality problems in Cambodia.
- b. Develop and produce teaching and learning materials for teachers, learners and health staff;
- c. Achieve sustainable national control programs in the areas of diarrhea training and control, Acute Respiratory Infections (ARI) treatment and training, and National Dengue Hemorrhagic Fever (DHF) treatment and training.

PVO CO-FINANCING PROJECT, cont.

24. **GRANTEE:** PACT
GRANT NUMBER: (CA) 442-0104-A-00-1187-00
GRANT TITLE: Cambodia Community Outreach Project

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$17,175,122 (includes all sub-grant awards)
DURATION: August 1991 to March 31, 1997
PROJECT LOCATION: Nationwide
SECTOR FOCUS: Health, vocational training, community development, institutional strengthening.
CONTACT PERSON: Cheryl Urashima, Acting Country Director

PURPOSE: PACT's project objectives are two-fold: (1) to continue to carry out on-going community based development programs through U.S. PVOs, Cambodian-American PVOs and Cambodian NGOs, that provide training and technical assistance to address the needs of both international and indigenous NGOs working in Cambodia; and (2) to gather information on maternal and child health, birth spacing, sexually transmitted diseases (including AIDS) and assist relevant organizations in gathering and using the information to formulate and manage an integrated, national mother/child health, child spacing, and sexually transmitted diseases program that promotes collaborative partnerships between NGOs, the private sector and the Government of Cambodia.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by the PACT program include:

- a. A consortium of U.S. and Cambodian-American PVOs actively engaged in community development, health and training activities;
- b. Create an NGO Support Center;
- c. Assist in the creation of the first generation of Cambodian NGOs and expand the current Strategic Assistance Grant Program to provide direct agreement support to up to 30 local Cambodian organizations;
- d. Strengthen the capacity of the NGO sector in Cambodia and assist in the formation of strategic coalitions across institutional and sectoral boundaries;
- e. Gather and share information on Mother Child Health (MCH), Child Spacing and Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STDs), including AIDS.

The grant to PACT is a Cooperative Agreement. Following is a list of PACT subgrantees.

PACT SUBGRANTEES

	ORGANIZATION	FUNDING LEVEL	LOCATION
1.	United Cambodian Community (UCC) Vocational training for the disabled	1,031,754	Kampot
2.	Khmer Buddhist Society (KBS) Community development, social services	1,095,947	Kampong Speu
3.	International Catholic Migration Committee Women's skills development	1,501,251	Battambang
4.	University of Massachusetts Foundation (UMass) Community development	738,675	Kampong Chhnang
5.	Food for the Hungry, Inc. Water and sanitation	118,462	Takeo, Kampot
6.	CANDO Training and skills development	1,856,829	Phnom Penh
7.	HealthNet Hospital rehabilitation and health extension	397,131	Svay Rieng
8.	Rehab Craft Leather handicrafts by the disabled	54,000	Phnom Penh

PACT SUBGRANTEES, cont

- i. **SUBGRANTEE:** *KHMER BUDDHIST SOCIETY (KBS)*
GRANT TITLE: *Resource Education and Community Healing (REACH) II*
LIFE OF PROJECT COST: *\$1,095,947*
DURATION: *September 1, 1992 - May 31, 1996*
PROJECT LOCATION: *Kampong Speu*
SECTOR FOCUS: *Community development, counseling*
CONTACT PERSON: *Luoth Yin, Project Director*

PURPOSE: *To improve the social, economic and psychological lives of vulnerable Cambodians by creating and sustaining a network of trained village level community development and social workers who will work to resolve community, family and individual problems.*

DESCRIPTION: *The goals to be accomplished by the KBS program include:*

- a. *Train community development and social workers in the skills knowledge and attitudes required to address individual, family and community concerns;*
- b. *Follow-up and support graduates in the villages and training center with individual and group supervision, training and evaluation;*
- c. *Create or join an organization which provides long-term technical, supervisory, organizational and moral support to the graduates and provides a vehicle for local communications, financial support and sustainability;*
- d. *Participate in and influence the creation of a national government social service and mental health policy that emphasizes community integration and independence.*

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- ii. **SUBGRANTEE:** *UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS FOUNDATION (UMass)*
GRANT TITLE: *Cambodian Village Development Project*
LIFE OF PROJECT COST: *\$738,675*
DURATION: *August 25, 1992 - March 31, 1996*
PROJECT LOCATION: *Kampong Chhnang*
SECTOR FOCUS: *Community development*
CONTACT PERSON: *Davy Heder, Project Director*

PURPOSE: *To enhance the abilities of rural Cambodian communities to effectively articulate their needs, to organize themselves and to implement development projects to meet those needs. The project will strengthen and build indigenous community organizations, train village leadership in community development and implementation of community projects, and provide training at the provincial level to disseminate the project's model of development to provincial, district, commune, and village leaders in Kompong Chhnang province.*

DESCRIPTION: *The goals to be accomplished by UMass include:*

- a. *Complete the model community development process at Khum Trapiang Chan;*
- b. *Replicate the UMF community development model in Khum Chak;*
- c. *Develop support linkages with the Kompong Chhnang Women's Association and local Cambodian development NGOs;*
- d. *Disseminate the UMF Community Development Model to district leaders, khum and phum leaders in Boriboro and neighboring districts in Kompong Chhnang province;*

PACT SUBGRANTEES, cont

- e. Disseminate the UMF Community Development Model to provincial, district, khum and phum leaders, and Cambodian employees of NGOs and other development organizations working in Kompong Chhnang province;
 - f. Support the formation of a development NGO based upon the UMF project.
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iii. **SUBGRANTEE:** **INTERNATIONAL CATHOLIC MIGRATION COMMISSION (ICMC)**
GRANT TITLE: *Integrated Women's Assistance Program and Support for Local Initiatives in Battambang Province*
LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$1,501,251
DURATION: August 24, 1992 - February 28, 1996
PROJECT LOCATION: Battambang
SECTOR FOCUS: Women's skills development
CONTACT PERSON: Edmond Geers, Project Director

PURPOSE: *To improve the quality of life of female heads of households, and particularly the most vulnerable within this group such as widows, female victims of war, refugees, and internally displaced.*

DESCRIPTION: *The goals to be accomplished by ICMC include:*

- a. *Increase participating women's sense of personal dignity and self-confidence, empowering them to become effective decision-makers and problem-solvers;*
 - b. *Train women leaders and managerial staff to ensure the future sustainability of the program;*
 - c. *Promote a spirit of cooperation and mutual support within the community of women;*
 - d. *Continue administration and training functions at the Battambang City Women's Center;*
 - e. *Provide vocational skills training, literacy/numeracy education, health education, and small, microenterprise loans to women beneficiaries in order to increase the income of female-headed households.*
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iv. **SUBGRANTEE:** **UNITED CAMBODIAN COMMUNITY (UCC)**
GRANT TITLE: *Kampot Vocational Center*
LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$1,031,754
DURATION: August 25, 1992 - April 30, 1996
PROJECT LOCATION: Kampot
SECTOR FOCUS: Vocational and small business training
CONTACT PERSON: Linda McKinney, Project Director

PURPOSE: *To enhance the abilities of rural Cambodian communities by offering vocational, human rights, literacy, numeracy and small business training. Upon graduation from the program, participants return to their home villages with start-up support and follow-up assistance to develop a small family business.*

DESCRIPTION: *The goals the UCC project aims to accomplish include:*

- a. *Complete the vocational, business, literacy, numeracy and human rights process in Kampot City;*
- b. *Provide marketing support, expanded poultry and meat production activities, feed mill and distribution system, and extended hatchery operations;*

PACT SUBGRANTEES, cont

- c. *Extend support linkages with the California American Women's Economic Development Corporation (AWED);*
 - d. *Extend the UCC Vocational Center partnership to vulnerable women with a village-based program of vocational and small business training and business start-up;*
 - e. *Disseminate the UCC Vocational Center partnership through mentoring of two local NGOs and consultation to the provincial Ministry of Labor and Social Action.*
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v. **SUBGRANTEE:** **CAMBODIAN NETWORK COUNCIL (CNC) AND UNITED CAMBODIAN STUDENTS OF AMERICA (USCA)**

GRANT TITLE: *Cambodian-American National Development Organization (CANDO)*

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$2,417,829

DURATION: *September 30, 1992 to December 31, 1996*

PROJECT LOCATION: *Phnom Penh*

SECTOR FOCUS: *Training and skills transfer*

CONTACT PERSON: *Thida Khus, Project Director*

PURPOSE: *CANDO aims to develop and increase the technical skills of Cambodian nationals by placing Cambodian-American volunteers in training and technical assistance positions with international NGOs; Cambodian educational institutions; indigenous, Cambodian-led NGOs, and Cambodian government agencies.*

DESCRIPTION: *The goals to be accomplished by the CANDO program include:*

- a. *Establish a mechanism for Cambodian-American students and professionals return to Cambodia in order to participate in meeting the humanitarian assistance needs of vulnerable groups in Cambodia;*
 - b. *Place volunteers in training organizations and Cambodian educational institutions to increase the local human resource base of skilled Cambodian nationals;*
 - c. *Facilitate activities which lead to the creation and strengthening of indigenous, Cambodian-managed, non-governmental organizations in Cambodia; and*
 - d. *Promote, through the process of community building and reconciliation, the comprehensive peace settlement and democratic practices in Cambodia.*
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vi. **SUBGRANTEE:** **HEALTHNET**

GRANT TITLE: *Institution Building and Integration at the Provincial Level: A Model Approach to Voluntary Agency and Government Collaboration in Public Health*

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$397,131

DURATION: *November 16, 1994 to November 15, 1996*

PROJECT LOCATION: *Svay Rieng*

SECTOR FOCUS: *Hospital rehabilitation and health extension*

CONTACT PERSON: *Caroline Martinez*

PURPOSE: *To improve the Ministry of Health's ability at the provincial level to deliver high quality sustainable curative and preventive health care to the province of Svay Rieng*

PACT SUBGRANTEES, cont

DESCRIPTION: *The goals to be accomplished by the HealthNet program include:*

- a. *Strengthen the management and planning capacity of government personnel at the three levels of the Ministry of Health system, with particular attention to cost recovery and sustainability;*
- b. *Support the development of a Management Information System (MIS);*
- c. *Support the improvement of the drug management system*
- d. *Train and supervise health workers to improve the quality of health services;*
- e. *Improve the skills of Traditional Birth Attendants (TBAs) in communes and villages, and foster their cooperation with government services;*
- f. *Support the integration of Maternal Child Health (MCH) services, including birthspacing services, in the target districts;*
- g. *Improve preventive and curative services in communicable diseases, such as HIV/AIDS;*
- h. *Establish criteria for the creation of a referral system between the three government administrative levels, with particular attention to the creation of clinical protocols at the commune level;*
- i. *Conduct applied research in key areas of health service delivery.*

vii.	SUBGRANTEE:	FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY, INCORPORATED
	GRANT TITLE:	Well Enterprise
	LIFE OF PROJECT COST:	\$118,462
	DURATION:	December 5, 1994 to December 4, 1996
	PROJECT LOCATION:	Kompot
	SECTOR FOCUS:	Water and sanitation
	CONTACT PERSON:	Dr. Alan Haslett

PURPOSE: *To reduce the incidence of infant mortality and morbidity caused by waterborne infections.*

DESCRIPTION: *The goals to be accomplished by the FHI program include:*

- a. *Develop an affordable and appropriate well design for the project area;*
- b. *Train local skilled technicians to build appropriate technology pumps and well rings;*
- c. *Establish a local well drilling enterprise to provide technology and skills to access water-bearing aquifers;*
- d. *Establish a credit facility to enable villagers to borrow money to contract the well drilling enterprise;*
- e. *Establish a combined enterprise and credit system with the capability of producing 36 wells per year;*
- f. *Offer twenty survey boreholes to local people to complete construction;*
- g. *Train local health workers in well-hygiene education.*

MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH STRATEGY

The Mission recently approved a new Maternal and Child Health strategy which will support Strategic Objective #3: "Improved Maternal and Child Health." The strategy will cover the five years between 1995 and 2000. A brief description of planned activities and results follows below.

STRATEGIC OBJECTIVE:	IMPROVED MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH
IMPLEMENTING ENTITIES:	Centrally-funded projects, U.S. and Cambodian PVOs
NEW FUNDING LEVEL:	\$20 million
DURATION:	FY 1995 - 2000
LOCATION:	Nationwide, with focus on 3-4 provinces TBD
SECTOR FOCUS:	Maternal and child health
SO TEAM LEADER:	Michele Moloney-Kitts

STRATEGIC STATEMENT: Strengthened capacity and sustainability of public and private sectors to deliver reproductive health and child survival services. The strategy will stress an integrated approach to reproductive health and child survival, which will include:

- Birth Spacing
- STD/HIV Prevention
- Safe Motherhood
- CDD/ARI
- Micronutrient deficiencies

AREAS OF INTERVENTION/RESULTS:

1. Leadership role for quality maternal child health care assumed by the public sector:
 - Protocols, guidelines and curriculum in use;
 - Key policies in place.
2. Improved human resource capacity in the MCH sector:
 - Province MCH focus teams functioning;
 - Private providers, including pharmacists, have improved knowledge and are delivering quality MCH care;
 - Cadre of health care professionals trained and providing voluntary surgical sterilization (pilot).
3. Improved MCH commodity accessibility and management:
 - MCH logistics management capacity, with a focus on contraceptives, developed in the public sector;
 - Appropriate, high quality MCH products and information offered in the private sector through social marketing programs.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

- Contraceptive prevalence increased from 7 percent modern method use in 1995 to 17 percent modern method use in the year 2000;
- Infant mortality decreased from 115 deaths per 1,000 to 100 deaths per thousand by the year 2000; and
- Child mortality decreased from 181 deaths per 1,000 to 155 deaths per 1,000 by the year 2000.

III. DEMOCRACY AND GOVERNANCE

DEMOCRACY/GOVERNANCE PROGRAM

II.1.PROJECT TITLE: DEMOCRATIC INITIATIVES PROJECT
PROJECT NUMBER: 442-0111
IMPLEMENTING ENTITIES: U.S. and Cambodian PVOs; educational institutions

LIFE OF ACTIVITY COST: \$30 million
DURATION: FY 1992 - FY 1998
PROJECT LOCATION: Nationwide
SECTOR FOCUS: Civil society, rule of law, electoral systems strengthening, and human rights
PROJECT OFFICER: Ned Greeley

PURPOSE: To enhance the capacity of Cambodians to develop and implement activities that provide a basis for sustainable democracy.

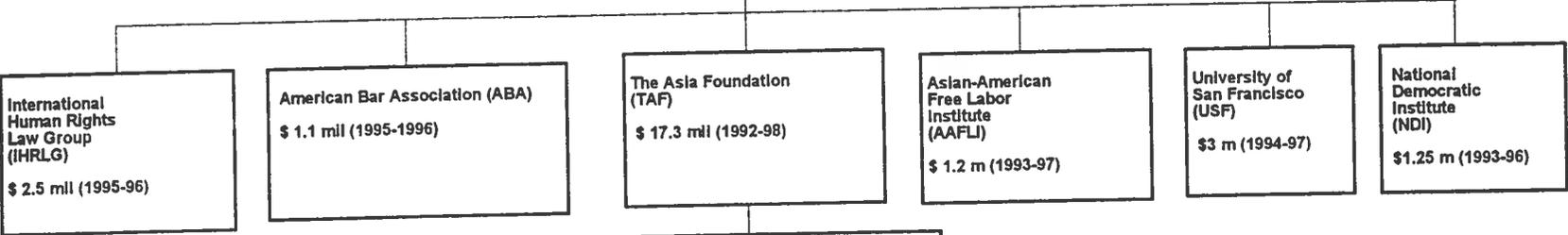
The Cambodian Democratic Initiatives Project is a six-year project, at a total cost of \$30 million dollars, that engages the expertise of educational institutions, international NGOs, and national NGOs to support the emergence of democratic institutions and processes in Cambodia. The project's objective is to improve the economic and political life of Cambodia's people through activities aimed at the newly elected government and the emerging non-public sector.

Assistance is provided to the Cambodian legal system for the general re-establishment of the Rule of Law, as well as preparation and assistance for upcoming local and national elections. Two cross-cutting themes are human rights and women.

Following are brief descriptions of grantee activities funded under the Democratic Initiatives Project.

DEMOCRATIC INITIATIVES PROJECT NO. 442-0111

Direct Grantees



TAF Subgrantees

1. *Cambodian League for Protection Defense of Human Rights (LICADHOC)*
2. *Cambodian Institute of Human Rights (CIHR)*
3. *Khmer Kampuchea Krom Human Rights Association (KMKHRA)*
4. *Khmer Institute of Democracy (KID)*
5. *Center for Social Development (CSD)*
6. *Khmer Women's Voice Center (KWVC)*
7. *Women's Media Center of Cambodia (WMC)*
8. *Cambodian Defenders Association (CADEAS)*
9. *Khmer Journalists Association (KJA)*
10. *League of Cambodian Journalists (LCJ)*

DEMOCRACY/GOVERNANCE PROGRAM, cont.

II1. GRANTEE: THE ASIA FOUNDATION (TAF)
GRANT TITLE: Democracy and Law in Cambodia
LIFE OF ACTIVITY COST: \$17.3 million
DURATION: June 1992 to September 1995 (new grant in process)
PROJECT LOCATION: Phnom Penh
SECTOR FOCUS: National Assembly, Media Development, Women in Politics, Human Rights
CONTACT PERSON: Dr. John Summers

PURPOSE: To assist the Cambodians in planning and implementing legal and judicial reforms, and assist in creating a functioning liberal democracy in Cambodia while strengthening Cambodian civil society.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by TAF include:

1. Assist in creating a liberal democracy by enhancement of the National Assembly's ability to contribute to the policy process while strengthening legislative supportive services;
 2. Strengthen Cambodian civil society through civic sector outreach, public policy fora, and media professionalism;
 3. Promote the role of women in national life and policy debate by supporting indigenous women NGOs and political figures in Cambodia;
 4. Promote discussion and implementation of transparent government procedures and attitudes;
 5. Assist Cambodians in planning and implementing legal reforms.
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2. GRANTEE: ASIAN-AMERICAN FREE LABOR INSTITUTE (AAFLI)
GRANT TITLE: Developing a Democratic Labor Relations System in Cambodia
LIFE OF ACTIVITY COST: \$1.2 million
DURATION: October 1993 to September 1997
PROJECT LOCATION: Phnom Penh
SECTOR FOCUS: Developing a democratic labor relations system in Cambodia
CONTACT PERSON: Ms. Bama Athreya

PURPOSE: To assist Cambodia's Ministry of Labor to develop and begin implementation of a labor law relations system which meets international standards, to work with nascent labor organizations to educate workers, especially women and children, on their rights.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by AAFLI include:

1. Assist workers, employers, and government and judicial officials in formulating new labor policies that institutionalize modern industrial relations;

DEMOCRACY/GOVERNANCE PROGRAM, cont.

2. Establish Labor Service Centers that will monitor violations of workers' rights, especially as they pertain to women and children;
 3. Enhance the government's ability to be an honest broker between labor and management;
 4. Assist the government in implementing labor policies that satisfy international labor standards.
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GRANTEE:	AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION (ABA)
GRANT TITLE:	Technical Legal Assistance for Cambodia
LIFE OF ACTIVITY COST:	\$1.1 million (funded out of the Technical Support Project)
DURATION:	March 1995 - September 1996
PROJECT LOCATION:	Phnom Penh
SECTOR FOCUS:	Technical support of the Royal Cambodian Government
CONTACT PERSON:	Mr. Thomas Reynders

PURPOSE: To provide legal guidance and other technical assistance in an effort to modernize Cambodia's legal system, including its commercial, economic and business law codes.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by the American Bar Association (ABA) include:

1. Provide legal guidance and technical assistance through short- and long-term legal advisors assigned to select Cambodian institutions;
 2. Strengthen various institutions such as the National Bank and the newly formed Cambodian Bar Association;
 3. Provide back-up legal consultation and support from the American Bar Association in the United States.
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4.	GRANTEE:	INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS LAW GROUP (IHLRG)
	GRANT TITLE:	Cambodian Court Training Project
	LIFE OF ACTIVITY COST:	\$2 million
	DURATION:	February 1995 to March 1996
	PROJECT LOCATION:	Phnom Penh and 20 provinces
	SECTOR FOCUS:	Judiciary
	CONTACT PERSON:	Mr. Eugene Murret

PURPOSE: To ascertain and provide for the needs of provincial courts, both in terms of skills training and material assistance through the long-term placement of Resident Experts in the courts.

DESCRIPTION: The goals of the Cambodian Court Training Project include:

DEMOCRACY/GOVERNANCE PROGRAM, cont.

DESCRIPTION: The goals of the University of San Francisco project include:

1. Establishment of a program of law at the Faculty of Business emphasizing ASEAN based principles;
 2. Design a four-year program of education, including Continuing Legal Education, that will lead to a bachelor's degree in law;
 3. Assist the Cambodian Bar Association to develop lawyer certification training.
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7.	GRANTEE:	NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC INSTITUTE
	GRANT TITLE:	POLITICAL PARTY STRENGTHENING
	LIFE OF PROJECT COST:	\$1,250,000
	DURATION:	September 1992 - March 1996
	PROJECT LOCATION:	Phnom Penh
	SECTOR FOCUS:	Democracy
	CONTACT PERSON:	Mr. David Katz

PURPOSE: To strengthen Cambodian political parties in the democratic process.

DESCRIPTION: The goals to be accomplished by NDI include:

1. Foster an understanding of the role of political parties in the legislative process;
2. Support public interest NGOs that promote civic education and participation in emerging democratic institutions.

IV. TECHNICAL SUPPORT

TECHNICAL SUPPORT PROJECT

PROJECT TITLE:	TECHNICAL SUPPORT PROJECT
PROJECT NUMBER:	442-0110
IMPLEMENTING ENTITIES:	U.S. private sector companies; U.S. PVOs
LIFE OF PROJECT COST:	\$20 million
DURATION:	FY 1992 - FY 1999
PROJECT LOCATION:	Nationwide
SECTOR FOCUS:	Macroeconomic policy support, legal reform, environment
PROJECT OFFICER:	Joe Kitts

PURPOSE: To provide technical assistance aimed at development planning, macro-economic policy formulation, and program design and implementation.

The objective is to support the newly-established Royal Cambodian Government in the transition from a centrally-planned to a market-oriented economy. The project will also provide both long- and short-term consultant services to assist the various ministries of the Royal Cambodian Government. It will provide studies in support of development planning, and identify, analyze, develop, implement, monitor and evaluate selected economic development and humanitarian assistance projects. The project is currently providing assistance for human resource development in a wide range of sectors. The project includes activities in Environmental Management, providing support to the Ministry of Environment in the areas of legislation, regulation, training and institutional development. Support will be provided for environmental advocacy, including the establishment and strengthening of indigenous environmental groups and promote equity in environmental programs. The project will also provide agricultural policy support to the Ministries of Agriculture and Rural Development through the Center for National Policy (CNP).

Following are brief descriptions of activities under the Technical Support Project.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT PROJECT, cont.

IV 1. GRANTEE:	GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY
GRANT TITLE:	Business Training at the Faculty of Business and Small Business Training
LIFE OF PROJECT COST:	\$2.3 million
DURATION:	October 1, 1994 - September 30, 1996
PROJECT LOCATION:	Phnom Penh, Battambang, and Kampong Som
SECTOR FOCUS:	Technical Support to Private Sector Growth
CONTACT PERSON:	Vijay Metha

PURPOSE: To provide business guidance and other technical assistance in an effort to modernize Cambodia's Faculty of Business and provide small business training to prospective entrepreneurs in provincial capitals.

The goals of the Georgetown University project include:

- a. Assign short- and long-term professors to the Faculty of Business for training of Cambodian staff and upgrade business course materials;
- b. Provide small business training to prospective entrepreneurs in regional provincial capitals thereby increasing private sector growth

2. GRANTEE:	CARE
GRANT TITLE:	Cambodia Environmental Management Process
LIFE OF PROJECT COST:	\$2.75 million
DURATION:	January 26, 1996 - January 25, 1998
PROJECT LOCATION:	Nationwide
SECTOR FOCUS:	Technical Support to the Ministry of Environment
CONTACT PERSON:	Graham Miller

PURPOSE: To provide technical assistance and coordination to assure adoption and assured funding of a National Environmental Action Plan.

The goals of the CARE project include:

- a. Strategic options for dealing with environmental problems are developed in coordination with the World Bank;
- b. National dialogue takes place and commitment emerges for environmental issues at a government level;
- c. Strengthened environmental awareness by local NGOs and decentralization of the environmental decision-making process.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT PROJECT, cont.

- b. Ensure that macroeconomic analysis and financial projections are available to CDC planners to assess Southeast Asia markets, the Mekong Six and Cambodian investments.
- c. Comprehensive review of professional skills and aptitudes of the Cambodian population with evaluation of the gender implication and identification of training and development needs.
- d. Assistance to the National Higher Education Task Force.

V. INFRASTRUCTURE

INFRASTRUCTURE

PROJECT TITLE: EMERGENCY ROADS REPAIR
PROJECT NUMBER: 442-0109
IMPLEMENTING ENTITY: Phase II: Fischbach International (FI) and Louis Berger International, Inc. (LBI) for construction and construction supervision respectively

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$40 million
DURATION: September 28, 1992 to September 1995
PROJECT LOCATION: Kompong Speu, Kompong Som
SECTOR FOCUS: Roads infrastructure
CONTACT PERSON: LBI: James Myers
FI: Donald Noble

PURPOSE: To assist Cambodia in the emergency de-mining, repair and restoration of vital roads infrastructure to facilitate the resettlement of refugee and displaced populations, support national reunification and stimulate economic reactivation in rural areas.

The project consists of two phases with the following objectives:

- I. **Phase I: Emergency Repair and Rehabilitation (\$10 million)**
 1. De-mine and rehabilitate rural access roads in Northwest Cambodia to support the massive reintegration of refugee and internally displaced populations;
 2. Deploy de-mining and construction teams to support urgent resettlement and humanitarian relief operations for some 370,000 Cambodians repatriated from Thai borders;
 3. Phase I list of roads was developed in coordination with UNHCR and UNTAC based on an assessment of current status of road access into these areas. \$2 million of the total was provided to the UNDP to implement USAID's road repair activities in Pursat province, a high priority refugee resettlement area;
 4. Approximately 500 km of secondary roads were repaired under Phase I. All work was completed in time to repatriate people for the May 1993 elections.
- II. **Phase II: Primary Highway Rehabilitation (\$30 million)**
 1. Rehabilitate National Route (RN) 4 (211 km) which is critical for national economic development and the overland transport of goods between inland points such as Phnom Penh, and Cambodia's only deep water port of Sihanoukville (Kompong Som).
 2. Improve the movement of goods and services, stimulate economic development of the areas served and the country as a whole, and contribute to national social, economic and political integration.

INFRASTRUCTURE, cont.

III. Pursat Bridge Reconstruction (\$600,000)

The project also funds the reconstruction of the Pursat Bridge located along Route No. 5, one of the most important national roads in Cambodia connecting Phnom Penh to Northwestern Cambodia and Thailand. Construction is being implemented by Atlantis Corporation, Ltd., with the consultant supervision performed by UNDP/OPS in conjunction with the Ministry of Public Works and Transport

VI. PRIMARY EDUCATION

PRIMARY EDUCATION

PROJECT TITLE:	CAMBODIA ASSISTANCE FOR PRIMARY EDUCATION
PROJECT NO:	442-0116
LIFE OF PROJECT FUNDING:	\$30 million
DURATION:	FY 1995 - FY 2002
PROJECT LOCATION:	Phnom Penh, with nationwide impact
PROJECT OFFICER:	David Leong

PURPOSE: To improve the quality of primary education with the associated effects on efficiency.

DESCRIPTION: The project will improve the quality of primary school instruction by providing teacher training to every primary school teacher (approximately 45,000) in the country. This will be accomplished by tapping into existing mechanisms and structures -- maximizing use of the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports (MoEYS) staff in the process -- to expand an existing model of teacher-skills upgrading using "cluster schools" countrywide. The vehicle to provide this teacher training will be through a single umbrella grant to an NGO or consortium of NGOs.

A limited amount of project funding will also be set aside for policy-related technical assistance to help the MoEYS anticipate the long-term implications of policy decisions it undertakes.

Proposals are now in review and a Cooperative Agreement should be signed on or about in April, with implementation taking place immediately thereafter.

VII. COMPLETED ACTIVITIES

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VII.1. **GRANTEE:** WORLD FOOD PROGRAM
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0105-G-00-1186-00
GRANT TITLE: Assistance to Vulnerable Groups in Cambodia

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$5,000,000
DURATION: September 26, 1991 to December 31, 1992
PROJECT LOCATION: Battambang, Banteay Meanchey, Siem Reap
SECTOR FOCUS: Food relief

PURPOSE: To help meet the immediate food needs of approximately 500,000 vulnerable Cambodians, especially families with widowed heads of households, orphans, hospital patients, the disabled, displaced, flood victims and the most needy in food deficit areas.

DESCRIPTION: The USAID portion of the program provided food assistance to widows, the disabled, and the vulnerable groups outlined above. Each person was allocated a monthly ration of 10 kg of rice, 0.6 kg of fish, and 0.6 kg of vegetable oil. Part of the food was also used for food-for-work activities associated with rehabilitation works.

2. **GRANTEE:** HOLT INTERNATIONAL
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0102.5
GRANT TITLE: Permanency Planning Program for Children

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$399,834
DURATION: August 26, 1991 to February 28, 1993
PROJECT LOCATION: Kompong Speu

PURPOSE: To develop a permanency planning program for displaced children.

DESCRIPTION: The project focused on orphans, defined as broadly as possible to include children with no identified biological mother or father or children with one or two parents who could not meet their essential needs. The project provided support services to meet the short-term, immediate needs of these children, including health care. Its long term goal was the rehabilitation of the Kompong Speu provincial orphanage and its conversion into a reception and processing center for such children. The ultimate project goal was to find families for the children.

3. **GRANTEE:** UNITED NATIONS CHILDREN'S FUND (UNICEF)
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0102.1
GRANT TITLE: Expanded Program of Immunization

LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$2,062,230
DURATION: September 28, 1990 to September 30, 1993
PROJECT LOCATION: Nation-wide

PURPOSE: To reduce infant mortality from EPI specific diseases by accelerating coverage of infants to reach complete immunization of 70% of children and 40% of women of child bearing age.

COMPLETED ACTIVITIES, cont.

DESCRIPTION: Through the Expanded Program of Immunization, this project assisted in reducing infant, child and maternal mortality by providing access to safe drinking water and sanitation facilities, basic and primary education, reducing adult illiteracy and protecting children in especially difficult circumstances.

4. **GRANTEE:** NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS
GRANT NUMBER: 442-0111-G-00-2392-00
GRANT TITLE: Political Party Strengthening
LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$1,250,000
DURATION: September 30, 1992 to December 31, 1994
PROJECT LOCATION: Phnom Penh

PURPOSE: To strengthen Cambodian political parties in the democratic process.

DESCRIPTION: The NDI project assisted in two areas: strengthening the internal structure and organizational skills of the elected political parties; and fostering an understanding of the role of political parties in the legislative process.

5. **GRANTEE:** INTERNATIONAL REPUBLICAN INSTITUTE
GRANT NUMBER: 442-01110-G-2391-00
GRANT TITLE: Political Party Strengthening
LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$1,100,000
DURATION: September 30, 1992 to December 31, 1994
PROJECT LOCATION: Phnom Penh, Kampong Cham, Prey Veng

PURPOSE: To aid the institutionalization of democratic political parties in Cambodia.

DESCRIPTION: The IRI project assisted in providing training and development assistance to indigenous, civic-education NGOs, and to all democratic Cambodian political parties;

6. **GRANTEE:** CARE
GRANT NUMBER: ANE-0102-G-00-1041-00
GRANT TITLE: Bakan Integrated Rehabilitation and Child Health Project (BIRCH)
LIFE OF PROJECT COST: \$1,999,866
DURATION: September 13, 1991 to 30, 1995
PROJECT LOCATION: Bakan District, Pursat province
SECTOR FOCUS: Health
CONTACT PERSON: Graham Miller, Country Director

COMPLETED ACTIVITIES, cont.

PURPOSE: To lower infant, child and maternal mortality and morbidity; improve the economic and social status of women and the disabled in five villages of Bakan District, Pursat province; and stabilize the economic situation of families in eight villages in the district.

DESCRIPTION: The CARE project assisted in strengthening and developing maternal/child health services, including the expanded program of immunization, ante-natal care and referral for high-risk pregnancies, health and nutrition; training nurses, midwives, traditional birth attendants and community women to provide services stated above; improving access to clean water through well construction, training of village well technicians, and the formation and training of user groups; training community and family members to integrate the disabled into society; and mobilizing and training women and the disabled to identify and implement economically viable activities.

7.	GRANTEE:	WORLD CONCERN (WC)
	GRANT NUMBER:	ANE-0102-G00-2368-00
	GRANT TITLE:	Cambodia Mother and Child Health Recovery
	LIFE OF PROJECT COST:	\$2,551,864
	DURATION:	September 30, 1992 to September 30, 1995
	PROJECT LOCATION:	Prey Veng and Svay Rieng provinces
	SECTOR FOCUS:	Health and nutrition
	CONTACT PERSON:	Gregg Keen, Country Director

PURPOSE: To improve the overall health and nutritional status of Khmer women and children in Prey Veng and Svay Rieng provinces of eastern Cambodia.

DESCRIPTION: The World Concern project assisted in providing material, technical and supervisory support to the Protection Maternelle et Infantile (PMI) training program of the Ministry of Health, which trains maternal and child health care trainers who in turn teach nurses, midwives and traditional birth attendants at the district and commune level; furnishing materials for the rehabilitation of provincial maternal child health facilities to better enable health care workers to address the needs of women and children, including child spacing; improving local communities' access to clean water and understanding of health issues which relate to contaminated water, poor sanitation and inadequate hygiene; and designing a Women's Income Generation Program to improve the nutritional status of women and children by providing resources and technical assistance to rural women for the implementation of nutrition related income generating activities.