

PROJECT DATA SHEET

1. TRANSACTION CODE

PDABB-985  
Amendment Number 5

DOCUMENT CODE 452 3

A Add  
C Change  
D Delete

2. COUNTRY/ENTITY

WORLDWIDE

3. PROJECT NUMBER

936-5929

4. BUREAU/OFFICE

Office of Health

5. PROJECT TITLE (maximum 40 characters)

Health Resource Support

6. PROJECT ASSISTANCE COMPLETION DATE (FACD)

MM DD YY  
11 03 93

7. ESTIMATED DATE OF OBLIGATION

(Under "B" below, enter 1, 2, 3, or 4)

A. Initial FY 84

B. Quarter 4

C. Final FY 92

8. COSTS (\$000 OR EQUIVALENT \$1 = )

A. FUNDING SOURCE	FIRST FY			LIFE OF PROJECT		
	B. FX	C. L/C	D. Total	E. FX	F. L/C	G. Total
AID Appropriated Total	100		100	9,440		9,440
(Grant)	( 100 )	( )	( 100 )	( 9,440 )	( )	( 9,440 )
(Loan)	( )	( )	( )	( )	( )	( )
Other U.S.						
1.						
2.						
Host Country						
Other Donor(s)						
<b>TOTALS</b>	100		100	9,440		9,440

9. SCHEDULE OF AID FUNDING (\$000)

A. APPROXIMATE FISCAL YEAR	B. PRIMARY PURPOSE CODE	C. PRIMARY TECH. CODE		D. OBLIGATIONS TO DATE		E. AMOUNT APPROVED THIS ACTION		F. LIFE OF PROJECT	
		1. Grant	2. Loan	1. Grant	2. Loan	1. Grant	2. Loan	1. Grant	2. Loan
(1) HE	590	500		2,722				6,940	
(2) CS	590	500		34				1,000	
(3) DFA	590	500						500	
(4) AIDS	590	500		75				500	
(5) ESF	590	500				500		500	
(6)									
<b>TOTAL</b>				2,831		500		9,440	

12. SPECIAL CONCERNS CODES (maximum 7 codes of 6 positions each)

A. Code	B. Amount

13. PROJECT PURPOSE (maximum 400 characters)

To improve the design, development, implementation, management, and evaluation of health, AIDS, and child survival projects and programs for the less-developed countries.

14. SCHEDULED EVALUATIONS

Insertion MM YY MM YY Final MM YY  
04 89 04 92 Final 04 94

15. SOURCE/ORIGIN OF GOODS AND SERVICES

000  941  Local  Other (Specify)

16. AMENDMENTS/NATURE OF CHANGE PROPOSED (Table page 1 of a page FP Amendment)

This amendment authorizes support for special activities in LDCs related to developing prosthetics and related assistance to civilian victims of civil strife and warfare; approves a Grant to the American National Red Cross to support these special activities; and authorizes the use of up to \$500,000 in Economic Support Funds for these special activities. The total Life of Project Funding will remain at \$9,440,000, however the funding levels for each account will be distributed as follows: HE: 6,940,000; CS: 1,000,000; DFA: 500,000; AIDS: 500,000; ESF: 500,000.

17. APPROVED BY

Signature: *Ann Van Dusen*  
Title: Ann Van Dusen  
Acting Agency Director for Health

Date Signed MM DD YY  
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18. DATE DOCUMENT RECEIVED IN AID/W, OR FOR AID/W DC AMENDMENTS, DATE OF DISTRIBUTION

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SEP 10 1990

ACTION MEMORANDUM FOR THE ACTING AGENCY DIRECTOR FOR HEALTH

FROM: S&T/H, Janet *Ice*  
SUBJECT: Amending the Health Resource Support Project  
(936-5929)

Problem: Your approval is required to amend this project to authorize funding for special activities relating to prosthetics and related assistance to civilian victims of civil strife and warfare, and to support the American National Red Cross' (ARC) efforts to increase the awareness and understanding of the American public of the importance of international humanitarian assistance.

Background: The purpose of the Health Resource Support Project is to improve the design, development, implementation, management, and evaluation of health, AIDS, and child survival projects and programs for Less Developed Countries (LDCs). The project has an agreement with the Office of International Health, which allows the Office of Health access to the professional expertise of the Public Health Service to assist the Office in the development and evaluation of health projects in LDCs, as well as assistance in preparing studies and reports on various health issues.

In 1988, the project was amended to include other contracting mechanisms such as IQCs, grants for AAAS Fellows, and Purchase Orders to expand the sources for obtaining assistance in developing and delivering the Office's health programs. Another element of the project includes funding special activities for monitoring aging in developing countries.

We now wish to amend this project to authorize funding for activities related to developing programs which provide prosthetics rehabilitation and other related assistance for civilian victims of civil strife and warfare.

The American Red Cross has provided us with an unsolicited proposal for approximately \$644,000 for assistance with their efforts to more deeply involve the National Office and Local Chapters in work in situations of civil strife in less developed countries. The goal of the grant will be to provide prosthetic and rehabilitation assistance to war-affected amputees, and to increase the awareness and understanding of the American public of the importance of international humanitarian assistance.

The specific objectives of the grant will be:

- to provide technical assistance and training through American Red Cross chapters to Red Cross orthopedic centers and for the management of orthopedic-related programs,
- to assist Red Cross orthopedic programs with operational expenses and materials and equipment,
- to develop an education program on international prostheses and related activities for respective Red Cross communities involved with orthopedic programs, and
- to develop a sustainable base of support among local Red Cross chapters for the international work of the American National Red Cross.

This grant is a part of the larger "war victims fund" activity. It makes an appropriate central grant because of its worldwide nature.

Handbook 13, section 2B3a allows award of grants without competition if:

1. The proposal is unsolicited and
2. the proposal is unique, innovative, or proprietary, and acceptance would be fair, reasonable, and would represent appropriate use of A.I.D. funds to support or stimulate a public purpose.

On July 27, 1990, the American National Red Cross submitted an unsolicited proposal for the proposed grant to A.I.D. This proposal meets the criteria of being unique and innovative and is to use A.I.D. funds to support and stimulate a public purpose, e.g. the purposes of A.I.D.'s War Victims Fund.

Handbook 13, section 2B3b allows award of grants without competition for which one recipient is considered to have exclusive or predominant capability, based on experience, specialized facilities or technical competence, or based on an existing relationship with the cooperating country or beneficiaries.

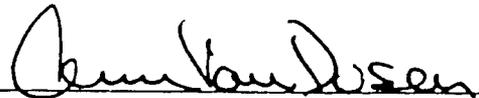
The American National Red Cross is American's arm of the Red Cross. It works directly with the international branches of the Red Cross plus National Red Cross Societies and thus is in a unique position to further their involvement and support to civilian victims of civil strife. In fact, that is one of the primary purposes for which the Red Cross movement was established. A grant to the American Red Cross will allow A.I.D. to work both with the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) and with National Red Cross Societies which the ICRC is sometimes not able to assist. A grant to the American National Red Cross is the only way that A.I.D. can reasonably work with all the elements of the International Red Cross.

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A congressional notification is not needed due to the "not withstanding any other provision of law" language in the bill.

Recommendation:

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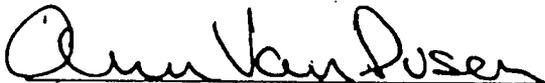
  
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Date

(2) That you approve a Grant to the American National Red Cross to support efforts to provide prosthetic and rehabilitative assistance to war-affected amputees.

  
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Disapproved

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Date

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PAF Amendment

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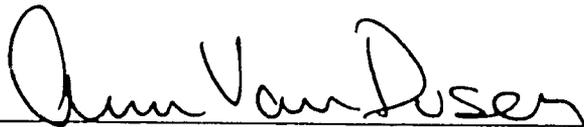
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PROJECT AUTHORIZATION AMENDMENT NO. 5

Name of Country: Worldwide  
Project Title: Health Resource Support  
Project Number: 936-5929

1. Pursuant to Section 104 (Health) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, this centrally funded project was authorized on May 30, 1984. That authorization was amended on April 28, 1985, December 29, 1985, May 5, 1988, and September 21, 1989. That authorization is hereby further amended, as follows:

- (a) Authorizes the support for special activities in LDCs related to developing prosthetics and related assistance to civilian victims of civil strife and warfare.
  - (b) Approves a Grant to the American National Red Cross to support these special activities.
  - (b) Authorizes the use of up to \$500,000 in Economic Support Funds for these special activities.
2. The authorization cited above remains in force except as hereby amended.



Acting Agency Director for Health

9-19-90

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