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FOREWORD

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The European Initiative for Democracy & Human Rights illustrates the commitment of the European Union to assisting in the global effort to build and reinforce pluralist democratic society, governed by the rule of law, and respecting human rights.

The Initiative operates mainly through non-governmental organisations (NGOs) which have submitted project proposals taking account of the guidelines and procedures established by the European Commission, following the Regulations introduced in 1999, as well as the Commission's Vademecum of July 1998. This partnership with the European Commission not only expresses the commitment of the EU to developing civil society around the world, but it also acts to reinforce other, much larger programmes, particularly in regards to development, which are only sustainable in the longer term within the parameters of a pluralist democratic society.

The projects in this Handbook are taking place in 2001 and beyond. They address a wide range of issues central to modern conceptions of democracy and civil society: genuinely representative structures in both government and the workplace; access to reliable information; ethical practices not just in government but also among those offering services to the public; the principles of equality of opportunity and non-discrimination against minorities; promoting respect for the human rights of all the various individuals who make up society, and so on.

In addition, the EU works in partnership with several international organisations where these are the best means of achieving our joint aims, and where together we are often more effective than acting alone.

This handbook demonstrates that there are many able people willing to put great effort into improving their societies towards achieving shared values. The Commission recognises that globalisation is not just a commercial concept, but one which involves also our common human heritage about the value of the individual in a just society, and the need to ensure that everyone enjoys their human rights, whoever and wherever they may be. Through these projects, the Commission is demonstrating both a political and a practical commitment to the realisation of these worthy aims.

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STATISTICS

Tables and Graphs

OVERVIEW

In 2000, the total amount available for budget lines B7-612, B7-700, B7-701, B7-7020, B7-7021, B7-703, B7-704, B7-705, B7-706, B7-707, and B7-709 was € 100 373 000. This amount was allocated to:

- Deferred projects from the 1999/2000 Call for Proposals;
- Targeted Projects;
- Technical Assistance; and
- Micro Projects¹.

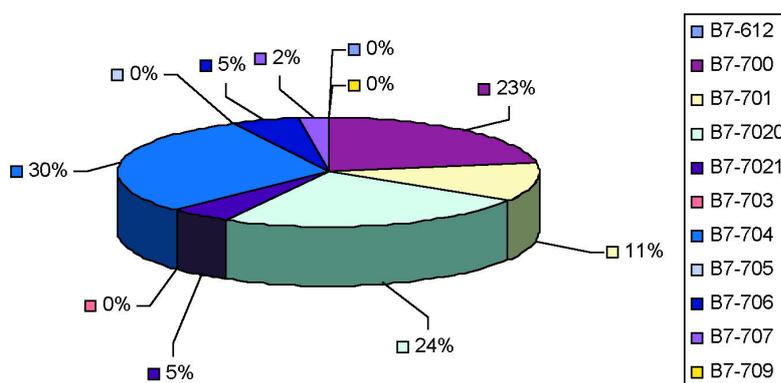
The following tables and graphs give an overview of the amounts allocated to each budget line.

¹ There is a separate handbook available for micro projects.

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Table I: *Projects deferred from the 1999/2000 Call for Proposal*

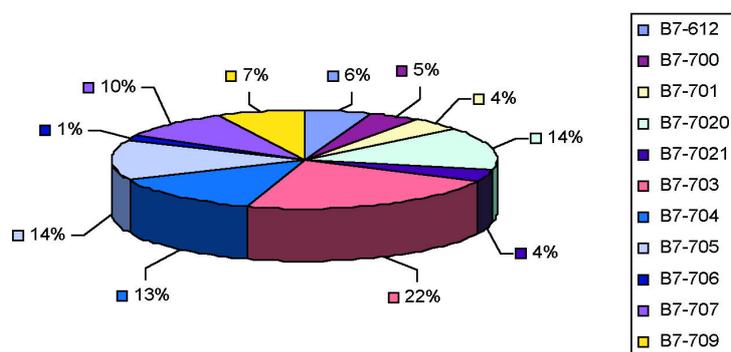
Budget Line	N° of Projects	Amount granted in €	Percent of total
B7-612	0	0	0
B7-700	6	4 722 812	16
B7-701	6	2 395 238	8
B7-7020	13	5 013 490	17
B7-7021	3	987 509	3
B7-703	0	0	0
B7-704	12	6 215 015	21
B7-705	0	0	0
B7-706	2	1 130 617	4
B7-707	1	457 396	2
B7-709	0	0	0
TOTAL	43	20 922 077	100



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Table 2: Targeted projects

Budget Line	N° of Projects	Amount granted in €	Percent of total
B7-612	4	3 485 610	6
B7-700	6	2 889 665	5
B7-701	7	2 591 947	4
B7-7020	17	9 034 663	14
B7-7021	4	2 416 231	4
B7-703	6	14 299 318	22
B7-704	10	8 362 912	13
B7-705	13	8 698 500	14
B7-706	3	889 562	1
B7-707	13	6 048 833	10
B7-709	4	4 594 385	7
TOTAL	87	63 311 626	100



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Table 3: Overview of the amount allocated to macro projects

Budget Line	N° of Projects	Amount granted in €	Percent of total
B7-612	4	3 485 610	4
B7-700	12	7 612 477	9
B7-701	13	4 987 185	6
B7-7020	30	14 048 153	17
B7-7021	7	3 403 740	4
B7-703	6	14 299 318	17
B7-704	22	14 577 927	17
B7-705	13	8 698 500	10
B7-706	5	2 020 179	2
B7-707	14	6 506 229	8
B7-709	4	4 594 385	6
TOTAL	130	84 233 703	100

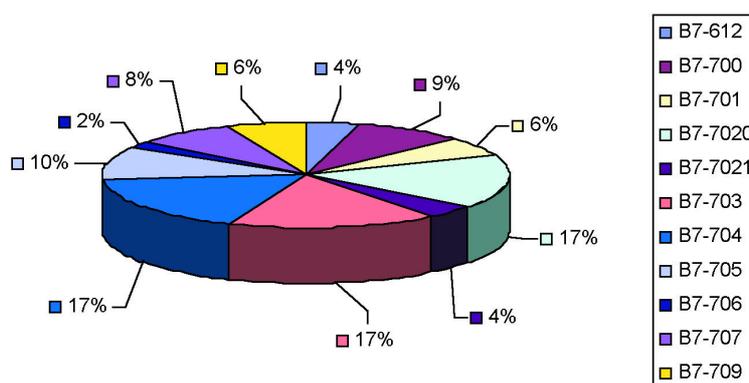


Table 4: Total number of projects & allocated amount

Total N° projects	Total Amount granted in €
130	84 233 703

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Table 5: Amounts allocated to Technical Assistance.

Budget Line	Amount granted in €
B7-612	0
B7-700	1 077 300
B7-701	0
B7-7020	1 120 000
B7-7021	0
B7-703	259 740
B7-704	1 067 400
B7-705	634 500
B7-706	0
B7-707	419 700
B7-709	312 660
TOTAL	4 891 300

Table 6: Amounts allocated to Micro projects.

Budget Line	Amount granted in €
B7-612	0
B7-700	5 751 250
B7-701	1 600 000
B7-7020	0
B7-7021	0
B7-703	0
B7-704	0
B7-705	0
B7-706	0
B7-707	840 000
B7-709	0
TOTAL	8 191 250

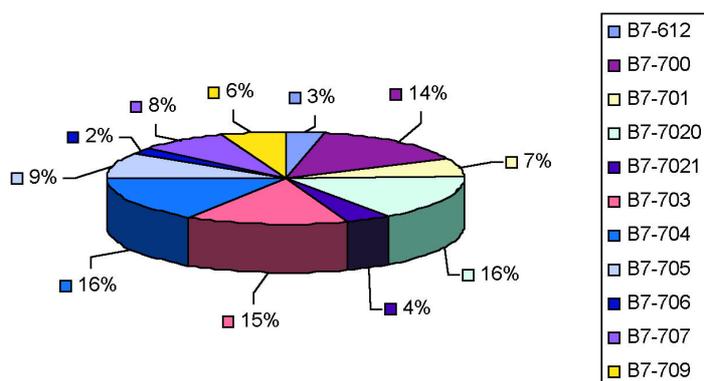
Table 7: Amounts on 'Reserve'

Budget Line	Amount granted in €
B7-612	14 390
B7-700	106 273
B7-701	109 815
B7-7020	644 847
B7-7021	549 260
B7-703	300 682
B7-704	975 673
B7-705	0
B7-706	94 821
B7-707	260 771
B7-709	215
TOTAL	3 056 747

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GLOBAL OVERVIEW

Budget Line	Amount granted in € (including technical assistance)	Percent of total
B7-612	3 500 000	3
B7-700	14 547 300	14
B7-701	6 697 000	7
B7-7020	15 813 000	16
B7-7021	3 953 000	4
B7-703	14 859 740	15
B7-704	16 621 000	16
B7-705	9 333 000	9
B7-706	2 115 000	2
B7-707	8 026 700	8
B7-709	4 907 260	6
TOTAL	100 373 000	100



BUDGET LINE B7-612

*“NGO Activities to Support the Fight Against the
Discrimination of Children”*

BUDGET LINE B7-612

Targeted Projects

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BUDGET LINE B7-612

Project Title:

The Satellite Street Children or the 'Musical Chairs' Project

Summary:

The main aim of the 'Musical Chairs' project is to promote children's rights by providing street children with the knowledge and skills to enforce these rights within their own environment. There are four separate phases. The initial preparatory phase is followed by a training session for both street children and social workers, in order to identify their respective needs, and to outline suitable methodologies for interactive workshops. The third phase consists of a 'Musical Chairs' exchange where trained social workers from four different countries swap places. The exchange itself lasts four months, during which the visiting and host social workers learn about each others' cultures, problems and the effectiveness of existing programmes. The fourth and final phase is the publication of material such as reports, film documentaries, workshop crafts and so on which provide a basis for evaluative conferences and for future awareness-raising activities.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 1 091 308

EC Grant: € 873 046

Beneficiary Country(ies): Worldwide

Areas of Activities: Street children

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BUDGET LINE B7-612

Project Title:

Pilot plan to improve the standard of living and the social reintegration of street children in Tetuan.

Summary:

The aim of this project is to provide assistance to street children in Morocco by undertaking a series of activities with a view to reintegrating these children in society.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 398 313

EC Grant: € 342 959

Beneficiary Country(ies): Morocco

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BUDGET LINE B7-612

Project Title:

"Poder Crecer" - Application of the Convention on the Rights of the Child in Latin America.

Summary:

The aim of this project is to support and expand the programmes of NGOs in Latin American countries that work with children and young people in difficult circumstances, particularly child labour, children deprived of liberty and street children. At national level, this will mean developing promising initiatives of local organisations and a method of working in partnership and sharing out common subsidies. At regional level, in a partnership network of government and non-government organisations, three main strands of activity will be coordinated, i) the training of social workers and legal training; ii) the exchange of experiences in child welfare, and iii) the consolidation of representational structures such as the office of Ombudsman on the Rights of the Child, university networks and the "Tribunal de los Pueblos".

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 1 135 380

EC Grant: € 1 000 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Latin America (11 countries)

Areas of Activities:

The promotion and protection of the human rights of those discriminated against or suffering from poverty or disadvantage.

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BUDGET LINE B7-612

Project Title:

To promote children's rights and protect them from violence and exploitation by combating child trafficking, modern forms of slavery and the exploitation of minors.

Summary:

The project would set up a reception centre in Libreville for children who escape from slavery, exploitation and ill treatment, organise campaigns to raise awareness and spread information at various local and regional levels, support the training of social workers suited to working with children who are to be returned to their families, train and establish local NGO personnel already working in the sector, and support the process of organising the reception and return of children to their families and countries of origin. There is provision for this work to be coordinated with similar activities being prepared or already under way in the countries where the children are said to originate (Mali, Nigeria, Togo) and those from where they are taken (Côte d'Ivoire, Gabon, Niger). It would allow for immediate action to be taken, and could serve at a later stage as the basis for a larger operation which would build on the experience gained in this initial phase.

Duration (months): 18

Total Budget: € 1 390 725

EC Grant: € 1 252 375

Beneficiary Country(ies): West Africa

Areas of Activities:

The promotion and protection of the human rights of those discriminated against, or suffering from poverty or disadvantage, which will contribute to reduction of poverty and social exclusion.

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Project Number : T-2000/051

BUDGET LINE B7-700

“Support for Democracy for Countries of Central and Eastern Europe, and in the Republics Formerly Part of Yugoslavia”

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Budget line B7-700

Project Title:

Hybrid Information Delivery for Academics and Practitioners in the Field of Forced Migration in Central and Eastern Europe

Summary:

This project, aimed at practitioners, academics, and students of forced migration and refugee issues in the target region, will establish models for information, documentation, training and academic study, and offer rigorous methodologies and practices. Activities will include: i) a hybrid library which will contribute and share electronic information and documents with the RSP in Oxford for the use in the Czech Republic as well as in the wider region of CEE and NIS; ii) upgrading computer technology for the Human Rights Information and Documentation Centre (HR DIC); iii) setting-up and maintaining a database on migration and refugee issues for participants of seminars; iv) a monthly newsletters in Czech and English (and maybe a Russian version from year two onwards); v) training programmes on the topic of forced migration for 20-25 practitioners during the second and third year of project implementation in Prague during the months of April and September; vi) teaching materials: a training manual for practitioners and trainers in Czech, English, and Russian, and a CD-ROM; vii) a three-day concluding international CHC-RSP conference for 80 participants from NGOs, academia, and public servants from the Czech Republic and CEE/NIS (topics: EU asylum legislation, humanitarian legislation, immigration policy, legal/social/humanitarian aspects, migration situation in specific areas); viii) development of academic curricula on forced migration and refugee studies to be introduced in Czech Universities; and ix) visit of four academics to the RSP for the duration of 1-2 months per person in order to prepare the curricula.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 1 048 459

EC Grant: € 901 675

Beneficiary Country(ies): Czech Republic

Areas of Activities: Education of human rights; monitoring human rights

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- Refugee Studies Programme University of Oxford - International Development Centre (UK)

Project Number : C-1999/0069

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Budget line B7-700

Project Title:

Legislatures and Citizens

Summary:

This project seeks to improve working relations between parliaments and NGOs in South-eastern Europe. It is divided into two different stages: a) civil society feedback on draft legislation and b) the staging of public debates. Activities will include: i) the establishment of Local Consultative Committees (LCC) in each target country ii) discussions on national legislation between NGOs and parliamentarians and the drafting of NGO position papers on these issues; iii) organisation of one round-table discussion for 25-30 participants from the NGO sector and Parliament where the NGOs will give their feedback on new legislative proposals; iv) one mid-term regional conference for 120 participants (NGOs, EWPPP staff, partners, five international advisers, five international experts and MPs from EU member states, and two public relations experts) in order to assess project activities and to prepare the second project phase; v) organisation of one forum per project partner for 70 local participants each; vi) organisation of a concluding two-day regional conference in order to evaluate project results for 118 participants (NGOs, EWPPP staff, partners, five international advisers, and five international experts/MPs); vii) publication of a handbook with contact names/addresses at the end of the project; and viii) organisation of three-day regional exchanges for LCCS, NGO partners, representatives of civil society, and MPs to all target countries.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 1 409 245

EC Grant: € 1 268 320

Beneficiary Country(ies):

Albania; Bosnia-Herzegovina; Bulgaria; FR Yugoslavia; FYROM; Romania.

Areas of Activities:

Bridging different groups; citizen participation; supporting human rights institutions.

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- Croatian Helsinki Committee (*Croatia*)
- Democracy Foundation of Bosnia and Herzegovina (*Bosnia-Herzegovina*)
- European Movement in Serbia (*FR Yugoslavia*)
- FORUM Centre for Strategic Research and Documentation (*FYROM*)
- Free and Democratic Bulgaria Foundation (*Bulgaria*)

Project Number : C-1999/0246

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Budget line B7-700

Project Title:

Youth Net - phase II

Summary:

This project is aimed at meeting the need for multi-ethnic co-operation among Bosnian youth through projects, workshops, and campaigns, which will be divided into three sections: 'Media and Culture', 'Politics, Youth NGO-consolidation and Community Impact', and 'School Student Council and Youth Rights'. Activities will include: i) 60 weekend workshops over three years for 15 participants each; ii) six 10-day European workshops for 25 participants from BiH, the Balkans, and EU countries; iii) two seven-day international student council workshops for 30 participants from BiH and Germany respectively; iv) a state-wide campaign for youth rights and student councils; v) the creation of a student council organisation on state-level; vi) support of 10 local magazines and six regional/inter-regional magazines (the programme includes creative writing; political theatre; workshops on feminism; support of the 'Nepitani' youth magazine, the training of editorial staff, workshops on organisational and communication skills); and vii) publication of information materials, handbooks, and guides.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 764 554

EC Grant: € 680 454

Beneficiary Country(ies):

Bosnia-Herzegovina; Croatia; FYROM; Slovenia; Yugoslavia (Regional).

Areas of Activities: Education of human rights

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Project Number : C-1999/0250

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Budget line B7-700

Project Title:

Promoting Access to Justice in Central and Eastern Europe.

Summary:

This project aims to improve access to legal representation for poor people and ethnic minorities (particularly Roma) across CEE. This will be done by gathering empirical data in Poland and Bulgaria and analysing existing legislation in order to assess the true degree of the problem of unequal access to legal aid; regional forums will be convened in Poland for 55 people and in Bulgaria for 80 people, during which a long-term "Access to Justice" programme will be created; the AJP will then be put into effect in order to show nationally-based legal and HR organisations a clear action plan for achieving the desired legal reforms; and a series of printed and electronically-available materials will be produced and distributed to a region-wide audience in several languages as a way of sharing the results of the project as widely as possible.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 840 981

EC Grant: € 692 261

Beneficiary Country(ies): Bulgaria; Hungary; Poland.

Areas of Activities: Civil and political rights

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- Public Interest Law Initiative in Transitional Societies (*USA*)

Project Number : C-1999/0344

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Budget line B7-700

Project Title:

Reporting Diversity Network

Summary:

This project is aimed at promoting inter-ethnic relations by changing the way Eastern European media cover ethnic issues. A Reporting Diversity Network, a group of 18 like-minded media-sector NGOs has been created to combat xenophobia and raise public consciousness of minority rights. The lead applicant wishes to undertake "six project baskets" 1. Mid-career diversity training and professional development, 2. Diversity reporting initiatives 3. Diversity journalism education and curriculum development 4. Media assistance for minority groups 5. Media monitoring. Activities include producing a training manual about reporting on minorities in English, Bosnian, Serbian, Croatian and Albanian, training through a Summer Institute of 20-25 media decision makers, a Post-Conflict Reporting Conference in Montenegro, establishing a Kosovo Media Institute, establishing a reporting diversity prize, bringing together multi-ethnic teams of reporters to prepare a joint-feature story, projects for journalists from areas with minority communities on total community coverage, in Albania, Montenegro, Macedonia, Yugoslavia. In Croatia: introduction of a special service devoted to diversity-related issues with Stina news agency. In Yugoslavia: establish Panonia press as a centre for quality reporting on minority issues, publication of a media relations guide, annual media relations conference for 20-25 participants representing minority communities, promoting intra-network communications, publication of an RDN newsletter, creation of a website, annual network meeting.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 1 054 276

EC Grant: € 795 346

Beneficiary Country(ies):

Albania; Bosnia-Herzegovina; Bulgaria; Croatia; FR Yugoslavia; FYROM; Latvia.

Areas of Activities: Political and civil society pluralism. Media and freedom of the press

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Education of Journalists from
Central and Eastern Europe-
Opatja (*Croatia*)
- International Federation of
Journalists – IFJ (*Belgium*)
- Media Development Center –
MDC (*Bulgaria*)
- Soros Media Centar
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- Stina Press Agency (*Croatia*)
The Association of Independent
Electronic Media (ANEM)
(*FR Yugoslavia*)
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Project Number : C-1999/0395

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Budget line B7-700

Project Title:

Kosovo Independent Radio

Summary:

The project is aimed at developing a non-governmental radio sector serving the entire region of Kosovo and increasing the quantity, quality and geographical penetration of locally produced radio programming. Activities include: establishing and training five independent radio broadcasters outside Pristine; conducting eight seminars in basic radio journalism and production skills for a total of 108 participants; establishing a temporary radio production and journalism centre within the Student Union in Pristine as a regional training and production hub; providing Internews training manuals in the Albanian language; providing limited access to Internet connection for journalists and producers.

Duration (months): 18

Total Budget: € 493 894

EC Grant: € 384 756

Beneficiary Country(ies): FR Yugoslavia.

Areas of Activities:

Political and civil society pluralism. Peace process and democracy development including free independent media in former Yugoslavia

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Project Number : C-1999/0409

Budget line B7-700

Targeted Projects

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Budget line B7-700

Project Title:

Mainstreaming, Empowering and Networking Roma as Full Participants in Post-crisis Management; Good Governance and Development of a Sustainable Civil Society in South Eastern Europe.

Summary:

This project is aimed at reaffirming and strengthening the Roma population as a legitimate component of the Balkan societies. The goals are to strengthen the capacity of Roma in civil society and to reintegrate Roma into disrupted communities and institutions, to promote dialogue and understanding on different community levels, focusing on capacity building, establishing working groups on lines of common interest, representation (participation) in political and administrative bodies and the creation of NGOs as a means to provide confidence between the Roma themselves, the majority community and local authorities. The project has three main objectives: 1) To build a cooperative structure to address situations of conflict in communities with Roma refugees and internally displaced persons, using good practice examples from previous conflicts involving Roma in other countries, establishing formal protocols and co-operative partnerships with local authorities; 2) To generate Roma to Roma self-organisation, civic participation and sustainable community development within and across south eastern European countries. The project will support the setting up of civic associations and NGOs to facilitate a pluralistic Roma civil society; 3) To mainstream and empower Romani women in the democratisation and reconstruction processes. To improve capacity building for Roma women's associations, the project will support the formation of five new Roma women's NGOs and provide assistance to other newly-founded Roma Women NGOs, and train 30 Roma women from across the region in skills needed to set up the NGOs, enabling them to identify, create, manage and evaluate income-generating and development programmes.

Duration (months): 30

Total Budget: € 320 000

EC Grant: € 250 000

Beneficiary Country(ies):

Bosnia-Herzegovina; Bulgaria; Croatia; Czech Republic; FR Yugoslavia; FYROM; Romania.

Areas of Activities: Minorities, ethnicities and indigenous people.

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- Project on Ethnic Relations (USA)
- Roma Community Center – DROM (Yugoslavia)
- Roma Women Association from Romania (Romania)
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Project Number : T-2000/053A

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-700

Project Title:

Policy Development on Roma Issues: Fostering a Comprehensive Approach to Roma Affairs at National and Regional Level.

Summary:

The project is based on the experience of the Council of Europe in supporting policy guidelines on Roma in Central and Eastern Europe since 1994. It aims at promoting policies which are in line with the Guiding Principles adopted by the COCEN Group of the European Union on Roma issues at the Tampere Summit in December 1999. The project aims at assisting the governments of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia in the design and implementation of policies directed at improving the current situation of Roma. In particular, the Council of Europe will organise, at bilateral and multilateral level, various roundtables and other discussion groups, studies of existing legislation, etc. These exercises are aimed at improving the design by officials of policies towards Roma, on the one hand, and the active participation of the Roma themselves in the design of proposed solutions and policies, on the other. Studies of current legal obstacles preventing Roma from fully accessing basic rights and services will be conducted at national level in two countries, as well as a case study in the Tuzla Canton (Bosnia and Herzegovina) along the same lines.

Duration (months): 18

Total Budget: € 310 211

EC Grant: € 248 169

Beneficiary Country(ies):

Albania; Bosnia-Herzegovina; Croatia; FYROM; Slovenia.

Areas of Activities: Minorities, ethnicities and indigenous people

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-700

Project Title:

Royaumont project:Promotion of the Culture and Practice of Social and Civil Dialogue.

Summary:

The overall objective of the project is to foster the development of pluralist, democratic societies in the SEE countries by strengthening the capacities of social partners and non-governmental organisations to participate actively in the process of political, economic and social transformation. Activities will include: i) review of the current situation in each of the countries or regions; ii) organisation of study visits; iii) preparation of a cross-country analysis; iv) organisation of a regional conference; v) national seminars in each of the countries or regions; vi) publication and dissemination of surveys and cross country reports and the development of an electronic network and website; and vii) evaluation.

Duration (months): 18

Total Budget: € 567 762

EC Grant: € 484 869

Beneficiary Country(ies):

Albania; Bosnia-Herzegovina; Bulgaria; Croatia; FR Yugoslavia; FYROM; Romania.

Areas of Activities:

Political and civil society pluralism. Development of democracy, rule of law and civil society

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-700

Project Title:

Action Plan for the development of democratic systems of local authorities and the creation of networks for city to city co-operation in SEE

Summary:

The overall objective of this project is to strengthen regional co-operation and to assist the development of civil society, local democracy and good governance in South-East Europe (SEE), in accordance with the Royaumont Process. The project will create a network of cities across the region which will benefit both individually, through the development of democratic institutions and practices, urban management and the stronger involvement of citizens, and jointly, through sharing their experiences and building a network of regional co-operation. The project will involve local administrations and citizens' groups.

Eurocities, an established network of European cities, will contribute its experience in establishing and running this city-to-city network to make it sustainable and enable co-operation after the end of the project. Two member cities of Eurocities - Leipzig and Göteborg - will lead the network and provide their knowledge and experience in local democracy, urban management and citizens' involvement, to the SEE partner cities. This will be done through a series of coordinated activities, consisting of i) joint meetings to stimulate dialogue about good governance, civil society participation and co-operation among the cities; and ii) transfer of knowledge and assistance to local democratic governance and civil society through seminars, work groups and study visits.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 495 532

EC Grant: € 445 979

Beneficiary Country(ies):

Bosnia-Herzegovina; Bulgaria; Croatia; FR Yugoslavia; FYROM; Romania; Slovenia.

Areas of Activities:

Political and civil society pluralism. Education and awareness-raising of civil society.

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Project Number : T-2000/055

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-700

Project Title:

Balkan Media and Human Rights Project.

Summary:

This project transfers professional skills to regional media through practical journalistic activities, with the focus on human rights issues. Its premise is simple: that the most effective and efficient way to learn journalism is to do it. The aim is to make the training of journalism more professional by moving it beyond classrooms and seminars into the field. The project deploys experienced international editors as trainers on collaborative projects that develop responsible and reliable journalism. Key activities are reporting, training and evaluation; special reports and investigations with partner newspapers; and press analysis. Local partner human rights groups assess coverage of human rights issues and provide a focus for reporting projects. With publication through local media and the Internet in English, Serbian/Croatian/Bosnian and Albanian, the project directly assists local media by offering an international platform and developing long-term support networks for regional journalists.

Duration (months): 12

Total Budget: € 707 663

EC Grant: € 500 000

Beneficiary Country(ies):

Albania; Bosnia-Herzegovina; Croatia; FR Yugoslavia; FYROM.

Areas of Activities:

Separation of powers. Media and freedom of the press.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-700

Project Title:

Promoting Parliamentary Co-operation, an Action Plan Developed by the International Institute for Democracy under the Auspices of the Royaumont Process.

Summary:

The project aims to promote parliamentary co-operation in south eastern Europe by strengthening the democratic capacities of the parliaments, contributing to democratic stability in the region and bringing the region closer to the EU. In-country and multilateral workshops will provide the participants, both MPs and parliamentary staff, with the information, knowledge and skills on topics relevant to the work of the parliaments concerned. The in-country workshops, held in the local language, will enable a maximum of members and parliamentary staff to benefit from first-hand information. About 35 members and staff (depending on the size of the individual parliaments) will attend two or three workshops per year in each country (total numbers: 350-500). Each year two multilateral conferences in the region, attended by four members of parliament, will discuss the same topics as treated in the in-country workshops. One multilateral conference in an EU member state will evaluate the project, take stock of progress and identify future work. The range of topics will include: the role of the opposition, public relations of parliaments, the fight against corruption and organised crime, a code of conduct for members and parliamentary staff. The target countries represent two categories: candidates for EU membership and beneficiaries of the Stabilisation and Association Process. Activities include a) in-country workshops, b) four multilateral conferences in the region, three for members and one for parliamentary staff, c) two multilateral conferences in EU member states, one for members, one for staff, d) two conferences in the region for young parliamentarians, e) study visits for junior parliamentary staff to other parliaments in Europe and f) publishing a regional electronic newsletter.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 1 625 524

EC Grant: € 957 759

Beneficiary Country(ies):

Albania; Bosnia-Herzegovina; Bulgaria; Croatia; FYROM; Hungary; FYROM; Romania; Slovenia.

Areas of Activities:

Good governance promoting transparency, accountability, and anti-corruption. Development of democracy, rule of law and civil society.

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BUDGET LINE B7-701

“Support for Democracy in the Independent States of the Former Soviet Union and Mongolia”

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-701

Project Title:

The Democratic Labour Market Development Project

Summary:

This project aims to create a system of citizen education in Kazakhstan. This will be accomplished by using the largest civic organisation in the country, the Confederation of Free Trade Unions of Kazakhstan (CFTUK), as an organisational and normative platform for the teaching of teachers. These teachers will, in turn, educate a broad range of groups and individuals in the rudiments of democratic citizenship. A key goal of this strategy is to activate other NGOs to become a functioning part of an emergent democratic civil society in Kazakhstan. The project envisages the creation of a national trade union education centre. Core activities include developing regional teams of educators with a minimum of ten members each to create a network of 140 educators, and assembling regional teams of female educators consisting of at least five members each, which will produce a total of 200 such individuals. The project looks forward to a potential of 2000 workshops a year across all regions, attracting about 20,000 participants.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 676 205

EC Grant: € 594 332

Beneficiary Country(ies): Kazakhstan

Areas of Activities:

Citizen participation. Infrastructure establishment necessary for public and democratic life.

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- European Profiles (Greece)
- The Centre for Employment Initiatives (UK)

Project Number : C-1999/0047

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-701

Project Title:

Through Education - Towards Civil Society

Summary:

The project is aimed at creating a group of democracy-oriented teachers in Belarus and integrating them with a like-minded group of Polish teachers. Activities include: creating a team of co-ordinators; developing a data base of Belarusian teachers; publishing a practical scientific booklet; organising five workshops for a total of 100 participants in Belarus; holding a 12 day seminar in Poland for 25 participants.

Duration (months): 18

Total Budget: € 97 937

EC Grant: € 87 417

Beneficiary Country(ies): Belarus

Areas of Activities:

Awareness-raising for civil society, including civic education and independent media.

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Project Number : C-1999/0143

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-701

Project Title:

Confidence Building Programme in Georgia/Abkhazia - Phase II.

Summary:

The project is aimed at strengthening the capacities of civil society actors in Georgia to positively impact on the peace process in Georgia/Abkhazia. This project continues the previous EC Tacis Programme project (ref. No. 97-0339), due to be completed by end 1999. Activities include: i) supporting the implementation of peace-building projects with young leaders (20-30 years old); publishing the Caucasian Youth bulletin; researching principles of multilateralism and conflict resolution, six workshops for 80 participants; 'training for trainers' for 16 chosen individuals; ii) supporting projects with women leaders; visiting grave sites in Abkhazia; introducing peace education seminars for approximately 40 participants; publishing peace education textbook; iii) supporting projects for ex-combatants; establishing an association of ex-combatants; holding a conference and three workshops; iv) establishing a regional office; and v) training six young programme participants as interns in London.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 1 094 058

EC Grant: € 980 608

Beneficiary Country(ies):

Armenia; Azerbaijan; Georgia; Russian Federation.

Areas of Activities: Conflict prevention and resolution (including ICT)

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Project Number : C-1999/0173

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-701

Project Title:

Promoting Human Rights through Advocacy for, Monitoring about, and Raising Awareness of Human Rights Respect in the Republic of Moldova

Summary:

This project is aimed at promoting the respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms in Moldova. Activities include: i) ten seminars for 35-40 participants each on human rights, refugees, independence judiciary; ii) three round-tables for 20-25 participants each on "National Brainstorming on the Respect of Human Rights"; iii) visits to institutions such as penitentiaries and juvenile education centres; iv) advocacy activities with the Parliamentary Commission on Human Rights, governmental offices, inter-governmental groups and the media; v) independent observance of trials; vi) monitoring and reporting on different situations of human rights concern. The project will directly benefit representatives of governmental institutions, policy makers, alleged victims of human rights and human rights advocates.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 141 902

EC Grant: € 120 617

Beneficiary Country(ies): Moldova

Areas of Activities:

Education of human rights; monitoring human rights.

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Project Number : C-1999/0199

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-701

Project Title:

Training for Democracy and Human Rights in the Ukrainian Military.

Summary:

The aim of this project is to promote understanding of the role of the armed forces in a democratic society, to advance the application in Ukraine of the concepts prescribed in the OSCE Code of Conduct on Political-Military Aspects of Security, and to support confidence-building measures related to human rights within the armed forces. Activities include: a five-day 'train the trainer' seminar for key Ukrainian staff in Germany at the Eichholz Academy of the Konrad Adenauer Foundation, publication of an information package for seminar participants, a two-day seminar in Kiev, 15 two-day seminars for officers of the Armed Forces in garrison cities, a two-day conference in Kiev (interim assessment meeting), a second series of seminars for officers of the Armed Forces, 20 lectures at ten military academies across Ukraine, publication of a brochure for soldiers on the OSCE Code of Conduct (120.000 copies). A total of 900 present and future military commanders of the Ukrainian Armed Forces will be directly involved in the training programme. Furthermore, 1000 students at military academies will have the opportunity to learn about the position of the Ukrainian armed forces in relation to international treaties, conventions, law and peace-keeping mechanisms.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 539 015

EC Grant: € 438 715

Beneficiary Country(ies): The Ukraine

Areas of Activities:

Security structures. Infrastructure establishment necessary for public and democratic life

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-701

Project Title:

Training programme for local politicians with the aim of furthering communal self-administration and the democratic communal development in the Ukraine.

Summary:

The project aims to educate mayors and senior administrative officials in the principles of democratic local administration. Activities include: an opening session for 120 participants in the Ukraine, seven training seminars for a total of 215 participants; two educational visits to Germany for a total of 30 participants; training sessions for communal employers, round tables, public debates; a final conference in the Ukraine with 200 participants; and publishing 4000 copies of the final report.

Duration (months): 18

Total Budget: € 192 832

EC Grant: € 173 549

Beneficiary Country(ies): The Ukraine

Areas of Activities:

Separation of powers. Infrastructure establishment necessary for public and democratic life.

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Project Number : C-1999/0515

Budget line B7-701

Targeted Projects

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-701

Project Title:

Establishing a system of public observation of the parliamentary and presidential elections in the Republic of Belarus.

Summary:

This project is aimed at establishing a system of public observation of the parliamentary and presidential elections in Belarus. Activities consist of setting up 23 regional observation commissions on the basis of the existing network of the applicant. A central observation commission will coordinate the activities of the regional commissions, whose duties will include observing the activities of regional and local election committees; monitoring polling places on voting day; reporting electoral procedure violations to the Central Election Committee and official local committees; appealing to courts and procurators' offices; informing the population on violations; reporting violations to international organisations; and providing training for observers and democratic candidates in co-operation with the OSCE Advisory and Monitoring Group.

Duration (months): 10

Total Budget: € 742 229

EC Grant: € 413 300

Beneficiary Country(ies): Belarus

Areas of Activities:

Electoral processes. Good governance promoting transparency, accountability, and anti-corruption.

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Project Number : T-1999/517d

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-701

Project Title:

Joint Programme: Preparation of Educational Assistance Material, Support for Independent Media, and Local Government in Moldova.

Summary:

The project aims to promote democratic development according to the principles of pluralist democracy, the rule of law and respect for human rights in Moldova. Emphasis is placed on providing support for effective reform of the judicial system, and the training of the judiciary, legal professionals, government officials and legal officials to raise awareness of human rights in general and in particular the procedures of the European Court of Human Rights. Support will be given to civil society and independent media and to schools with the provision of textbooks in Russian and Romanian. Support will also be given to implement legislation. Activities will include seminars, study visits and workshops.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 600 000

EC Grant: € 300 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Moldova

Areas of Activities: Rule of Law. Political and civil society pluralism.

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Project Number : T-2000/060

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-701

Project Title:

Joint Programme of Co-operation to Strengthen Democratic Stability in Northern Caucasus.

Summary:

The programme aims to provide assistance for the elaboration, adoption, systematisation, harmonisation and codification of legislation. It will train professional groups, government and legal officials through seminars, study visits and workshops to promote and strengthen pluralist democracy, the rule of law and respect for human rights in the north Caucasus region of the Russian Federation. It also aims to provide expert studies of legislative instruments and the expert advice, and to support the development of pluralist democracy, the rule of law and respect for human rights through the facilitation of access to relevant information and documentation.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 957 600

EC Grant: € 478 653

Beneficiary Country(ies): Russian Federation

Areas of Activities: Rule of Law. Political and civil society pluralism.

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Project Number : T-2000/061

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-701

Project Title:

Second Joint Programme for Advancing Human Rights and Democratisation in Central Asia (JP II)

Summary:

This project is aimed at implementing a number of activities in the field of human rights and democratisation in Central Asia. Within the framework of OSCE ODIHR's special areas of expertise, the project will address the promotion and implementation of rule of law, respect for human rights and freedoms, and develop a participatory approach to civil society in order to assist in the consolidation of stability and security in the region. Based on the particular needs of individual countries, the Joint Programme II will focus on the OSCE commitments and general human rights commitments, in close co-operation with local governments and civil society.

In the area of promoting the rule of law, the Joint Programme will continue to ensure the compliance of domestic legislation with international treaty obligations, with compliance reviews of major international human rights conventions, and will continue and expand work in the area of penitentiary reform and technical assistance to human rights institutions. In the field of human rights protection, the main goal of the Programme is the strengthening of human rights monitoring, including building co-operation between governmental agencies and NGOs.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 828 767

EC Grant: € 500 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Kazakhstan; Kyrgyzstan; Tajikistan; Uzbekistan.

Areas of Activities: Supporting human rights institutions and NGOs.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-701

Project Title:

Human Rights Education in Russia: Experience of the Past - Lessons for the Present and Future

Summary:

The current project is intended to foster educational activities of NGOs in the field of human rights promotion. The main topics are history and contemporary human rights protection. The programme's three main groups of activities are: nation-wide research competitions for high school children in the area of human rights protection history; organisation of seminars and summer courses; and organisation of academic courses and exhibitions on a regional basis. The project will be implemented through "Memorial" regional offices. During the course of the Project implementation, co-operation will be continued between "Memorial" and organisations in Poland and Kazakhstan through joint methodology studies as well as joint seminars and summer courses. The project is intended to raise the skills of educational institutions and NGOs on human rights issues.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 627 959

EC Grant: € 518 368

Beneficiary Country(ies): Russian Federation.

Areas of Activities: Education of human rights.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-701

Project Title:

Strengthening Capacities and Infrastructures for the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights.

Summary:

The Technical Co-operation Project for Georgia aims to strengthen capacities and infrastructures for the promotion of and protection of human rights and democracy under the rule of law. Among the activities envisaged for 2001 are two five-day follow-up courses on human rights for NGOs and for the mass media, and two five-day follow-up training courses on human rights and the administration of justice. The implementation of the Technical Co-operation Project for Georgia will be entering its third year of practical implementation in 2001.

Duration (months): 12

Total Budget: € 165 068

EC Grant: € 131 626

Beneficiary Country(ies): Georgia

Areas of Activities: Education of human rights

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BUDGET LINE B7-7020

“Human Rights and Democracy in the Developing Countries, Especially ACP Countries”

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Droits de l'homme et média au Burkina Faso.

Summary:

Implementation of a public awareness campaign by video on the topics of democracy and civil rights (e.g. the position of women, respect for ethnic minorities, the access to elections of rural people in particular women, interdependence and relative positions of different cultures, education, female literacy, the health of mothers and children, child nutrition, physical and psychological violence etc). Videos will be produced for showing either through national television, or through distribution and debates organised in the provinces of the country to reach the more marginalised bush population.

Duration (months): 18

Total Budget: € 221 839

EC Grant: € 185 209

Beneficiary Country(ies): Burkina Faso

Areas of Activities:

Support for education, training and awareness-raising in the field of human rights.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Promotion professionnelle et protection des jeunes travailleurs domestiques au Togo.

Summary:

Au cours de la première phase, qui fait l'objet de la présente demande, CARE TOGO, en collaboration avec des partenaires locaux, assurera la sensibilisation de deux mille cinq cents (2 500) employés de maison (filles et garçons) et de leurs employeurs aux Droits de l'Enfant et des Travailleurs. Le projet renforcera également les capacités professionnelles des employés, à travers la formation, à fin de leur permettre d'améliorer leur niveau de revenus. Il se chargera enfin d'améliorer les conditions de travail des jeunes domestiques en leur assurant des prestations sociales et en veillant au respect de leurs droits.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 803 370

EC Grant: € 513 312

Beneficiary Country(ies): Togo

Areas of Activities: Promotion and protection of economic, social and cultural rights

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Assistance juridique et réinsertion socio-professionnelle des mineurs en conflit avec la loi.

Summary:

The project aims at improving the living conditions of minors in dispute with the law in the Republic of Guinea and making the legal system more humane through legal assistance to imprisoned minors and help with their reintegration into society, school and work after their release from prison. The project also includes training in prevention as a way of mitigating juvenile delinquency by addressing problems at their source.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 634 000

EC Grant: € 521 810

Beneficiary Country(ies): Guinée-Bissau

Areas of Activities:

Promotion and the protection of the human rights of those discriminated against, or suffering from poverty or disadvantage.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Support to local human rights and peace organisations in Somalia

Summary:

This project aims to build up the capacity of a network which operates as a focal point for information and network contacts promoting human rights and democracy. A capacity-building programme will provide training to its 21 constituent member organisations covering a total of 260 human rights activists. The programme will be supported by the establishment of a fully equipped resource centre, where documents on Somalia and general literature on human rights, development, gender, health, education, food security, political participation and other topics will be made available for national and international NGOs and individuals seeking to link up with other NGOs or to find information on human rights and peace promotion related issues.

Duration (months): 12

Total Budget: € 384 729

EC Grant: € 346 256

Beneficiary Country(ies): Somalia

Areas of Activities:

Supporting local, national, regional or international institutions, including NGOs, involved in the protection, promotion or defence of human rights.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Ghana Election 2000 Project: Building a Coalition of Domestic Election Observers.

Summary:

Supporting the consolidation of Ghana's democratisation process through building a network of domestic election observers. The network will bring together reputable civic organisations to train selected members and election observers. These observers will be deployed in strategically selected districts to cover a number of potentially controversial voting precincts, where tensions or conflicts might arise due to ethnic rivalries, political rivalries between the two dominant parties, NDC and NPP, or ongoing chieftaincy disputes. The main activities are: i) building of the "Network of Domestic Election Observers" (NEDEO); ii) establishing good working relations with other relevant institutions; iii) development of curricula; iv) training activities; v) deployment and registration of observers; vi) analysis of observers' reports; and vii) evaluation.

Duration (months): 8

Total Budget: € 671 015

EC Grant: € 591 371

Beneficiary Country(ies): Ghana

Areas of Activities:

Supporting the processes of democratisation, in particular support for electoral processes through independent electoral commissions, granting material, technical and legal assistance in the preparation of elections, taking measures to promote the participation of specific groups, particularly women, in the electoral process, and by training observers.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Decentralisation and local authority in Guinea-Bissau.

Summary:

An information and training campaign in the main large towns in Guinea Bissau in order to heighten public awareness, and to identify and promote viable local government models that can be applied in the context of Guinea Bissau. The project brings together technicians of the central administration and local government, persons responsible for civil society organisations as well as representatives of the traditional power base, in order to discuss decentralisation and foreign experiments drawn from concrete examples provided by the countries of the CPLP and one of the countries of the sub-region. Finally, the proposals drawn up during meetings with the Government, civil society and the general public will be published with a view to raising awareness, providing information and, in some cases, training, before the first municipal elections.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 266 066

EC Grant: € 217 629

Beneficiary Country(ies): Guinea-Bissau

Areas of Activities:

Support for the democratisation process, in particular the promotion of the participation of the people in decision-making processes at the national, regional and local levels.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Support for democratisation and decentralisation in Guinea (PADEG)
Dabola Prefecture (2nd phase).

Summary: In the first phase the PADEG concentrated on the training of target-groups, and published a great deal of information about civic education and ways of strengthening the powers of elected representatives and local associations. This second phase devotes itself to the strengthening of the institutions of the decentralised authorities and of grass-roots organisations and popular associations; to the promotion of citizenship and to the free and responsible participation of the people, and finally the mobilisation and management of local resources, in particular those that promote self-financing of local development plans and good governance.

Duration (months): 18

Total Budget: € 244 694

EC Grant: € 241 773

Beneficiary Country(ies): Guinea-Bissau

Areas of Activities:

The promotion of the participation of the people in the decision-making processes at national, regional local level, in particular by promoting the equal participation of men and of women in civil society, in economic life and in politics.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Media for Peace in Africa

Summary:

This is a project to integrate the activities of the Panos Institut Paris and to extend its field of operation through an inter-regional programme involving the various Panos Institutes acting in Africa. In this pan-African programme, the local actors (representatives of the media but also people responsible for civil society and organisations committed to defence or promotion of peace) will be the main partners. Its general objective is the strengthening of the role of the media in a peace culture. With this aim it will support the production of high quality and non-partisan information by the African media. Its main activities are: i) the supply of funds to support the production of information on the conflicts; ii) bulletin production; iii) radio programmes bank; iv) production tools for the treatment of the conflicts: guides, handbooks; v) realisation of documentary files; vi) creation, updating and animation of a website; vii) implementation of resource and observation regional centres for information on the conflicts; viii) organisation of meetings at local, national, regional and interregional levels; and ix) education of young citizens vis-à-vis the media, to encourage a critical glance and ear on media productions.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 933 000

EC Grant: € 737 070

Beneficiary Country(ies): Regional

Areas of Activities:

Promotion of pluralism both at political level and at the level of the civil society by strengthening the institutions needed to maintain the pluralist nature of that society, including non-governmental organisations (NGOs), and by promoting independent and responsible media and supporting a free press and respect for the rights of freedom of association and assembly.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Pluralist information for democratic culture in central Africa.

Summary:

To develop the pluralism of the media and pluralist information to serve the cause of democratisation and human rights in central Africa. Specific objectives are: i) to promote the adoption and application of new legal and regulatory frameworks guaranteeing pluralism; ii) to strengthen the professionalism of the media and develop regular quality media production on human rights; iii) to encourage the creation of professional associations of journalists of central Africa through the consolidation of the national professional organisations; iv) to develop durable collaborations and exchanges between media, public and private and civil society actors, particularly organisations for the defence of human rights.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 554 500

EC Grant: € 499 050

Beneficiary Country(ies): Regional

Areas of Activities:

Promotion of pluralism both at political level and at the level of the civil society by strengthening the institutions needed to maintain the pluralist nature of that society, and by promoting independent and responsible media and supporting a free press.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Support for the Portuguese-speaking media in Africa for the strengthening of a culture of peace and promotion of human rights.

Summary:

The general objective of this project is to strengthen the role of the Portuguese-speaking media in Africa in the strengthening of democracy by supporting the right to diversified information and improving the quality of such information.

Duration (months): 18

Total Budget: € 147 140

EC Grant: € 132 400

Beneficiary Country(ies): Regional

Areas of Activities:

Promotion of pluralism both at political level and at the level of the civil society by strengthening the institutions needed to maintain the pluralist nature of that society, and by promoting independent and responsible media and supporting a free press.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Aid and education in social reintegration for the street children of Yaounde.

Summary:

The project is intended to bring immediate help to approximately 300-400 street children and to provide them with the means of reintegrating with society. An important feature of the programme will be a day reception centre to provide the children with basic training in social rehabilitation. There will also be provision for a lodging house, food and clothing, and health care, as well as vocational training. Also planned is a campaign to raise public awareness in Yaounde to the problems of these children.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 671 423

EC Grant: € 604 280

Beneficiary Country(ies): Cameroon

Areas of Activities:

Promotion and protection of the human rights of those discriminated against, or suffering from poverty or disadvantage.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Popular Participation in the Elections and Representative Government.

Summary:

This is a project to promote a number of legislative reforms to the electoral process in Papua New Guinea (PNG), and to create public awareness of such reforms. Election of representatives to a parliament is new to most of the country's population, as are other principles and institutions of government. On independence, PNG adopted an electoral system that was based on the Australian model. However, there are many problems apparent in the system, which has led to the criticism that PNG does not have a truly democratic system of government. The project will therefore put forward a number of legislative amendments to deal with the major problems. Promoting these changes will involve getting strong public support before engaging experts to put together the right amendments. Once these have been effected, an education awareness programme is required to inform the people not only about these reforms but also to stress the importance of participation in the electoral process.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 346 000

EC Grant: € 311 400

Beneficiary Country(ies): Papua New Guinea

Areas of Activities:

Promotion of pluralism both at political level and at the level of civil society by strengthening the institutions needed to maintain the pluralist nature of that society. Promoting good governance.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Promotion of good citizenship at school.

Summary:

The project, drawn up by the NGOs Democracie 2000 and INDRAP (Institut National de Documentation, de Recherche et d'Animation Pédagogique), aims to promote the teaching of democracy and civic culture in schools in Niger. With this aim, it intends to develop civic education programmes by integrating concepts relating to democracy, human rights, and justice, and to produce three handbooks for pupils. The immediate recipients of this project will be 30,000 pupils in primary and secondary schools. Other short-term potential recipients are 200,000 pupils from the CM I to the 3rd grade, as well as the Ministry of National Education which will hold film and copy rights of the three handbooks.

Duration (months): 12

Total Budget: € 110 403

EC Grant: € 98 969

Beneficiary Country(ies): Niger

Areas of Activities:

Promotion and protection of civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights.

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Targeted Projects

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

EU Election Observation.

Summary:

The specific project purpose is to enable the EU to make an informed assessment on the nature and conduct of the presidential, parliamentary and local government elections in Tanzania during 2000. The results will be achieved through the establishment of a UN/EU Coordination and Support Operation, of an EU Election Team, comprising an EU Team Leader and two long-term technical assistants, as well as a mission of up to 70 short term observers appointed by the Member states. The EU Presidency will appoint an EU Elections Spokesperson with expertise in election management. The operation will include observing and analysing the electoral process (including pre-election preparations, the vote, the count, access of political parties to media and to public meetings, elections campaigns), preparing for a mission of up to 70 short term observers (including briefing, deployment, transport, accommodation and reporting); ensuring co-ordination with stakeholders, and assisting in the preparation of a statement by the international observers.

Duration (months): 10

Total Budget: € 520 000

EC Grant: € 520 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Tanzania

Areas of Activities: Support for electoral processes.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Backing Reporters sans Frontières in its action on behalf of journalists imprisoned in ACP and Asian countries.

Summary:

This project's objective is to back RSF in its activities on behalf of journalists imprisoned in ACP and Asian countries. It comprises four complementary components: a system for gathering and disseminating information on the cases of imprisoned journalists; fact-finding missions; a support fund ; and information and education campaigns on the imprisonment of journalists. Extra resources for RSF's regional office in Abidjan and the establishment of new regional offices in Bangkok and the Caribbean would permit more information to be gathered on cases of imprisoned journalists and more effective action to obtain their release. Extra correspondents could be recruited in other countries to follow up the cases of imprisoned journalists. Fact-finding and support missions will permit more accurate assessment of the needs of imprisoned journalists and their families. This project will also step up information and education campaigns especially on World Press Freedom Day on 3 May, the award of the RSF Prize on 10 December, and via the Internet.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 1.850.030

EC Grant: € 1.480.024

Beneficiary Country(ies): Regional

Areas of Activities:

Promoting an independent and responsible media and supporting a free press.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Support for the action plan and for the operation of the Ministry for Human Rights.

Summary:

This project aims at strengthening the Rule of Law and respect for human rights in DR Congo (DRC). Specific objectives are to increase the capacity for action of the Ministry of Human Rights to meet effectively the needs of the population as regards promotion and protection of human rights, to enable the DRC to fulfil its international commitments, and to provide appropriate technical assistance in the form of expertise and staff training.

It is proposed to set up an inter-ministerial Co-ordinating Committee which will be chaired by the Ministry of Human Rights, which will help the government of the DRC to remedy the delay in the submission of periodic reports under the terms of the international conventions concerning human rights ratified by the country. The following activities will be undertaken: i) institutional and logistical support aiming to better co-ordinate the action of the government at the national and international level; ii) observation missions conducted inside the country; iii) participation in the Commission of Human rights; and vi) targeted seminars and training; publication of reports and documentation; supervision of the meetings of the inter-ministerial Committee.

Duration (months): 18

Total Budget: € 561 197

EC Grant: € 448 958

Beneficiary Country(ies): DR Congo

Areas of Activities:

Supporting local, national, regional or international institutions, including NGOs involved in the protection, promotion or defence of human rights. Support for education, training and consciousness-raising in the area of human rights.

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Project Number : T-2000/028

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

National Documentation Centre on Human rights.

Summary:

This project aims at the strengthening of the National Documentation Centre on human rights established in Kinshasa in April 1999. This Centre, open to the public since June 1999, specialises in the field of human rights, and provides a resource intended to improve the level of theoretical and practical knowledge among persons active in the field of protecting and promoting human rights.

Its main activities are: i) to disseminate information on the various texts and international instruments, in particular the African Charter of Human and Peoples Rights, the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and the international conventions concerning human rights, the European Convention on Human Rights, etc.; ii) to place at the disposal of national institutions, research workers, journalists, NGOs and others relevant updated information on human rights; iii) to collect and distribute the publications (information sheets, professional series etc) of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights and UN bodies responsible for protection and supervision of human rights; iv) to exchange information with other information and documentation centres or other institutions working in the field of promotion and protection of human rights, at the national level (assignments in four university centres), as well as the regional and international levels; v) to collect the documents of Congolese legislation and place them at the disposal of the general public; vi) to facilitate access to the Internet by research workers and other persons interested in human rights questions (provision of two computers for use of visitors); vii) to make available to all the actors the reference documents on human rights to allow them to carry out better the activities of protection and promotion of human rights; and viii) to collect and make available to the public all the reports of Congolese NGOs and international publications in the field of human rights (purchase of more than 2500 books).

Duration (months): 18

Total Budget: € 149 205

EC Grant: € 119 364

Beneficiary Country(ies): DR Congo

Areas of Activities:

Supporting local, national, regional or international institutions, including the NGOs involved in the protection, promotion or defence of human rights. Support for education, training and consciousness-raising in the area of human rights.

Project Number : T-2000/029

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Support for the peace negotiations in Casamance (Regions of Kolda and Ziguinchor).

Summary:

To restore peace and safety in Casamance with a view to creating conditions favourable to the resumption of economic, social and cultural activities by: i) facilitating and making a success of the negotiations between the MFDC and the Senegalese government; ii) encouraging the conditions necessary for dialogue; iii) supporting and strengthening, in their respective roles, the facilitating structures and the actors of the negotiation; iv) raising awareness through improving understanding of the dissemination of information relating to the peace process. The main activities are support for those involved in the negotiation, awareness-raising and information, and follow-up and RADDHO coordination.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 140 000

EC Grant: € 140 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Senegal

Areas of Activities:

Support for measures encouraging a peaceful resolution of conflict between interest groups and in particular for confidence-building measures in the fields of human rights and democratisation, with a view to preventing conflicts and restoring civil peace.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Programme to support promotion of the rule of law and the defence of human rights.

Summary:

The aim of this programme is to help bring about the rule of law in the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) by promoting respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, bolstering democratisation efforts and supporting conflict mediation or containment initiatives. The programme involves the initiation of a support fund to reinforce the capacity for intervention of Congolese civil society organisations and to finance micro-projects submitted by those organisations engaged in the Réseau Européen Congo in the areas of promotion and defence of human rights and fundamental freedoms, participation in the peace process and democratisation and conflict mediation and containment.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 1 335 996

EC Grant: € 1 335 996

Beneficiary Country(ies): RD Congo

Areas of Activities:

The promotion and defence of human rights and fundamental freedoms. The promotion of pluralism. Support for measures to promote respect for human rights and democratisation by preventing conflict. Support for NGOs.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Indigenous Peoples: Training Programme in International Human Rights Standards and the Policy Process.

Summary:

To provide indigenous representatives in these regions with the opportunity to learn about international human rights standards and mechanisms in an easy to understand manner. This will enable them to better protect and promote their rights at the national, regional and international level. The project will include three training programmes, to be organised in indigenous areas (wherever feasible), and will be implemented in co-operation with local indigenous organisations. The main activity will be the organisation of three regional courses of two weeks each, and three national courses lasting one week each, on international instruments and those political processes which are of direct relevance to indigenous peoples. The focus will be on how to use these to protect and promote human rights. The methodology employed will have a multi-dimensional approach and case studies and negotiation sessions will be developed based on real life situations as guidelines, and by facilitators who have had personal experience in these issues.

Duration (months): 15

Total Budget: € 742 780

EC Grant: € 668 502

Beneficiary Country(ies): Regional

Areas of Activities:

Support for minorities, ethnic groups and indigenous peoples; and Supporting measures facilitating the peaceful conciliation of group interests, in order to prevent conflict.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Promoting sustainable democratisation in Fiji:the civic challenge

Summary:

The activities and programmes will be divided into two specific areas: multiculturalism and human rights.All these programmes will involve developing civic capacities (raising awareness,enhancing capacities), working with schools, community groups and other NGOs.This will take various forms: curriculum modules,TV, radio and print media programmes, theatre, national, regional and local workshops, research seminars and consultations.The projects will also equip the CCF and other NGOs with the necessary resources to play an advocacy, consultative and consensus-building role in human rights and multiculturalism policy formulation, and in monitoring the implementation of national policies in these areas.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 565 091

EC Grant: € 370 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Fiji

Areas of Activities:

The promotion and protection of the human rights of those discriminated against;Support for minorities, ethnic groups; and Promoting and strengthening the rule of law;Promotion of pluralism both at political level and at the level of civil society.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Indigenous Peoples' Rights in the Commonwealth

Summary:

Three years of research and advocacy with two interrelated aspects: to bring together, in conjunction with representatives of indigenous peoples themselves, information about key issues affecting them in Commonwealth States - constitutions, treaties, land rights, cultural identities and assimilation, relationships with development, national interest and environment, economic and social rights. The results will be presented to the UN World Conference on Racism in 2001, and the Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting in September 2001 in Canberra.

The main activities will be based on three regional consultative meetings in the Caribbean, Africa and South Asia, reports of which will be drafted, followed by a larger meeting to discuss the information collected and the draft reports. Weight will be placed on what is common and what is different about the situations of indigenous peoples, and on discrimination. Finally, the reports will be published and presented to the Commonwealth summit and the World Conference on Racism.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 407 392

EC Grant: € 290 792

Beneficiary Country(ies): Regional

Areas of Activities:

Promotion and protection of economic, social and cultural rights.
Support for minorities, ethnic groups and indigenous peoples.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Indigenous Views of Development: Implementing the EU Resolution on Indigenous Peoples.

Summary:

The objectives of the project are i) to reinforce the respect of the human rights of indigenous peoples world-wide by encouraging the European Union to implement its indigenous peoples policy in the field of development co-operation (Council Resolution of 30 November 1998);ii) to present the current impacts of European Community (EC) development projects and programmes on indigenous peoples; iii) to consider what lessons for the implementation of development co-operation programmes can be learned from indigenous peoples; iv) to consider proposals by indigenous peoples for the practical implementation of the EU policy;iv) to encourage a better understanding by indigenous representatives of the EC's development funding programmes, the opportunities this presents and the constraints within which it operates;and v) to disseminate information based on case studies for experience sharing and learning.Main activities are:i) researching and describing case studies of EC development co-operation and its relationship to indigenous peoples; ii) organisation of a conference in Brussels in October 2001;and iii) publication and dissemination of the findings of the case studies.

Duration (months): 15

Total Budget: € 437 518

EC Grant: € 350 014

Beneficiary Country(ies): Regional

Areas of Activities:

Support for minorities, ethnic groups and indigenous peoples

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Nigeria's Civil Society & Human Rights Information Network

Summary:

The British Council will create an electronic information resource for civil society. Current information on programmes and organisations will be accessible on the Internet. The databases will include content created by donors and NGOs on policies, organisations, budgets and programmes in human rights as well as original content created under the project to fill a current gap. Systems will be set up to validate, standardise, input and update this content. Any section of the databases could be password-protected if required by the partners. The project will encourage increasing exploitation of the Internet, both by end-users seeking information and for those intending to reach a wider audience for their publications in Nigeria and internationally.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 878 978

EC Grant: € 791 080

Beneficiary Country(ies): Nigeria

Areas of Activities:

Supporting local, national, regional or international institutions, including NGOs. Promotion of pluralism both at political level and at the level of civil society by strengthening the institutions needed to maintain the pluralist nature of that society, including non-governmental organisations.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Strengthening of the national capacities in the area of human rights.

Summary:

This project aims at strengthening of the national capacities in the area of human rights and will have the following activities: i) three training workshops for magistrates, lawyers, penitentiary institutions officials, administrative and judicial police officers; ii) a six-week improving course in Strasbourg in the area of human rights for three people; iii) documentary support (legal publications and works relating to human rights) to the National Commission for Human Rights, the Ministry of Justice and human rights NGOs.

Duration (months): 12

Total Budget: € 148 601

EC Grant: € 118 881

Beneficiary Country(ies): Madagascar

Areas of Activities:

Supporting local, national, regional or international institutions, including NGOs, involved in the protection, promotion or defence of human rights; and Support for education, training and consciousness-raising in the area of human rights

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Regional Preparatory Meeting for the World Conference Against Racism & Xenophobia – Dakar 24/02/2001.

Summary:

The objective of the project is to make a regional contribution to the preparatory process of the World Conference against Racism, Racial Discrimination, Xenophobia and Related Intolerance, through a three-day regional preparatory conference in Dakar, Senegal, provisionally scheduled for the beginning of 2001. The participants in this regional conference will be representatives of African States in the region, representatives of national institutions, specialized agencies, UN bodies, programmes and human rights mechanisms, and non-governmental organizations. In adopting its resolutions, the regional preparatory conference will also take into account the recommendations which are to result from a three-day regional expert seminar held in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, from 4 to 6 October 2000, on the theme "Preventing Ethnic and Racial Conflicts".

Duration (months): 5

Total Budget: € 973 549

EC Grant: € 681 484

Beneficiary Country(ies): Senegal

Areas of Activities:

The promotion of equality of opportunity and non-discriminatory practices, including measures to combat racism and xenophobia.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Contributions to Accessible Justice in Nigeria

Summary:

The aim of this programme is to develop and implement strategic and pivotal initiatives contributing to an accessible, relevant and equitable criminal justice system in Nigeria. The programme will focus on two sectors: i) training of prison staff - the development and entrenchment of long term training initiatives and curriculum changes in international human rights standards for prison personnel and other stakeholders. Training will be delivered through training workshops in prisons and in prison colleges implemented by a multi-disciplinary team incorporating a dedicated network of prison-based training officers; and ii) juvenile justice - bringing to the fore the issue of children in conflict with the law, through research and strategic interagency planning of a comprehensive programme of action. These will be underpinned by cross cutting activities of public awareness; participatory evaluation; institutional development; and inter-agency collaboration.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 719 162

EC Grant: € 575 330

Beneficiary Country(ies): Nigeria

Areas of Activities:

Promoting and strengthening the rule of law, in particular upholding the independence of the judiciary and strengthening it, and support for a humane prison system. Support for education, training and consciousness-raising in the area of human rights.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Comparative Analysis of Indigenous Culture, Customs and Traditions.

Summary:

The main objective of this project is to place indigenous cultures and traditions firmly on the development agenda from a legal perspective. The project is orientated towards highlighting the positive contributions that indigenous peoples have made and continue to make as regards law and democracy in the context of the protection of culture and of customary law. The following activities will be undertaken: i) a comparative study which will include the results and the analyses of the various case studies, including the future trends as regards the rights of indigenous peoples compiled in a widely distributed report; ii) a participatory workshop to present the report, the results and recommendations; and iii) a video documenting the specific questions which are an integral part of the study.

Duration (months): 18

Total Budget: € 442 335

EC Grant: € 353 868

Beneficiary Country(ies): Regional

Areas of Activities:

Promotion and the protection of the economic, social and cultural rights. Support for minorities, ethnic groups and indigenous peoples.

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Project Number : T-2000/141

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Nigeria International Human Rights Advocacy Project

Summary:

This programme seeks to offer development opportunities to build on the existing strengths and skills of Nigerian human rights NGOs in their work promoting and protecting human rights. The project has four main components: i) a field-based seminar aimed at appraising the current human rights situation and providing the participants with training on international human rights mechanisms, networking, preparation of urgent appeals and advocacy; ii) the drafting of a report based on the appraisal of the Nigeria human rights situation (to what extent the Nigerian authorities are fulfilling their obligations under the international instruments ratified); iii) presentation and launching of the report in Nigeria and at the international level; and iv) follow-up with the different United Nations committees. The results should facilitate more collaborative efforts and greater links with the international community for the human rights community in Nigeria.

Duration (months): 18

Total Budget: € 273 278

EC Grant: € 239 278

Beneficiary Country(ies): Nigeria

Areas of Activities:

Promoting and defending the human rights and fundamental freedoms proclaimed in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and other international instruments. Supporting local, national, regional or international institutions, including NGOs, involved in the protection, promotion or defence of human rights. Support for education, training and consciousness in the area of human rights.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7020

Project Title:

Support 2001:African Masters Programme In Human Rights And Democratisation.

Summary:

The African Masters Programme in Human Rights and Democratisation is a specialised one-year programme in human rights which aims to educate young professionals at post graduate level, with the aim of providing both a firm academic training in standards, institutions and mechanisms for the protection and promotion of human rights and democracy, and the research skills and operational tools necessary to prepare graduates for work. The programme is divided in two semesters, the first six months will be taught in Pretoria by lecturers from the University of Pretoria, the University of the Western Cape, the University of Ghana and Makerere University, Uganda, and by experts from human rights organisations. During the second six months, students are assigned to one of the four participating universities to complete substantive research and complete a Masters dissertation. A week-long field trip to an African human rights institution is arranged for the whole group. After graduation, internships are funded for the best 15 students in African human rights organisations, helping the transition into working permanently in the field.

Duration (months): 18

Total Budget: € 680 144

EC Grant: € 544 116

Beneficiary Country(ies): South Africa, Ghana, Uganda

Areas of Activities:

Support for education, training and awareness-raising in the area of human rights education.

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BUDGET LINE B7-7021

*“Human Rights and Democracy in the Countries of
Southern Africa”*

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7021

Project Title:

Capacity Building of Civil Society Organisations in Maputo Province.

Summary:

A project to promote and strengthen representative and democratic institutions at national level in order to strengthen a civil society which has been weakened by years of civil war, and to promote the right to development and basic economic and social rights, in particular the right to subsistence. The programme will support four civil society organisations in Maputo province to build their institutional capacities and enable them more efficiently to implement community-based poverty alleviation projects with the target group. Their interventions are expected to promote an awareness of a wide range of people's rights and a greater understanding of the root causes of poverty, and enable the target group to participate actively in tackling socially, economically or politically some of these causes, asserting their right to a basic subsistence. These organisations will also function as advocates of the poor on matters related to their rights (mainly civil, economic, and social rights) and the improvement of their social status.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 402 148

EC Grant: € 334 691

Beneficiary Country(ies): Mozambique

Areas of Activities:

The promotion and protection of the human rights of those discriminated against, or suffering from poverty or disadvantage, which will contribute to reduction of poverty and social exclusion. Support of local, national, regional institutions, including NGOs, involved in the protection, promotion or defence of human rights.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7021

Project Title:

Assistance for the Legal Resources Foundation Paralegal Programme operating from Gweru and Masvingo Legal Projects Centres.

Summary:

This paralegal programme seeks to empower individuals to use the legal system and increase their legal awareness. Legal aid, assistance and advice will be provided to individual consultants, and education outreach workshops will be conducted on a variety of human rights issues to enhance legal knowledge, correct misperceptions and mobilise communities.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 151 590

EC Grant: € 136 431

Beneficiary Country(ies): Zimbabwe

Areas of Activities:

Promotion and protection of civil and political rights, promotion and protection of economic, social and cultural rights, promotion and protection of the human rights of those discriminated against. Promoting and strengthening the rule of law.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7021

Project Title:

Media for Democracy in Southern Africa: a programme of professional assistance to journalists and media organisations in Southern Africa.

Summary:

The purpose of the project is to build awareness of human rights issues among journalists and policy-makers, to strengthen public confidence in the role of media in democracy, and to improve conditions for independence and professionalism in African journalism. The main activities are: i) unifying the profession at regional and national level; ii) supporting initiatives in support of improved coverage of children's rights and children's issues in Southern Africa; iii) promoting good governance and exposing corruption; iv) promoting diversity in audio-visual media; and v) promoting professional journalism in conflict and human rights reporting.

Duration (months): 30

Total Budget: € 562 697

EC Grant: € 501 228

Beneficiary Country(ies):

Angola, Botswana, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, South Africa, Zambia and Zimbabwe

Areas of Activities:

Promotion of independent and responsible media and support for a free press

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Budget line B7-7021

Targeted Projects

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7021

Project Title:

Women In Public Life:A Programme Of Rights Education

Summary:

The Active Learning Centre proposes to train 120 trainers from six regions of Zambia. These trainers would work locally in pairs to educate 7200 adults in local languages, a third of them men, in democracy rights of women and children, gender relations and skills for decision-making.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 447 935

EC Grant: € 403 141

Beneficiary Country(ies): Zambia

Areas of Activities:

Support for education, training and and consciousness-raising in the area of human rights. Promoting the participation of the people in the decision-making process at national, regional and local level, in particular by promoting the equal participation of men and women in civil society, in economic life and in politics.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7021

Project Title:

Programme for Awareness-Raising of Civil Society and Support for Development of a Free Press in Mozambique.

Summary:

The project proposes a programme of awareness-raising of civil society and support for the development of a free press in Mozambique, through the creation of a documentation centre and the development of an information network, of written, oral and audio-visual information in Mozambique, and of various training and educational activities connected with them.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 1 028 384

EC Grant: € 831 984

Beneficiary Country(ies): Mozambique

Areas of Activities:

Promotion of pluralism both at political level and the level of civil society by promoting independent and responsible media and supporting a free press.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7021

Project Title:

Peace Building and the Media in Angola

Summary:

This project will aim at promoting the liberalisation of the media (TV, radio and print media) in the country through the training of journalists in the principles of human rights and common ground reporting and programming, the creation of appropriate radio and television programmes (conflict resolution and human rights education, curriculum-based drama, and thematic live debates), and by engaging civil society actors in radio discussion sessions as well as live drama performances.

Duration (months): 12

Total Budget: € 843 413

EC Grant: € 559 106

Beneficiary Country(ies): Angola

Areas of Activities:

Promotion of independent and responsible media and support for a free press.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-7021

Project Title:

Electoral Capacity Building in the SADC Region

Summary:

EISA, in co-operation with the Electoral Commissions Forum (ECF) of SADC Countries, will provide support for a regionally based programme of capacity building that involves the SADC election commissions and civil society in strengthening the way in which constitutional, legal and practical arrangements for elections condition the climate for free political choices and a healthy democratic system. It will make recommendations for (a) practical programmes to support the strengthening and consolidation of democracy through the electoral process in each SADC country undergoing elections in the next 30 months period and (b) feed these into the generic framework for longer term, coherent electoral support, which advances broad goals of democratic development.

Duration (months): 30

Total Budget: € 945 365

EC Grant: € 622 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): SADC Region

Areas of Activities:

Support for electoral processes, in particular by supporting independent electoral commissions and by training observers.

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BUDGET LINE B7-703

“Democratisation Process in Latin America”

Budget line B7-703

Targeted Projects

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-703

Project Title:

Democracy and Human Rights in Central America 2001-2005

Summary:

The programme will consist of six multi-annual country programmes, one for each country in question: Guatemala, El Salvador, Nicaragua, Honduras, Panama and Costa Rica, and three regional programmes. The main thrust of action has been defined within each country programme, i.e. the main areas of intervention and also the management methods at both country and regional level. The beneficiaries of each multi-annual country programme and regional programmes will be civil society organisations in general and, in some cases, independent public bodies. Priority will be given to the joint work of organisations that specialise in this area. Grassroots organisations, NGOs, universities and independent institutions will implement the different activities included in each country programme. In the preparatory phase of each country programme, the beneficiaries will be encouraged to play an active role, especially in setting the priorities for each country, deciding what the single interlocutor will organise and arranging the general co-ordination of the country programme.

Duration (months): 48

Total Budget: € 13 257 206

EC Grant: € 10 800 000

Beneficiary Country(ies):

Guatemala, El Salvador, Nicaragua, Honduras, Panama and Costa Rica.

Areas of Activities: N/A

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Project Number : T-2000/086

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-703

Project Title:

Support of the Implementation of the Human Rights National Plan of Action of Ecuador.

Summary:

The objective of the project is to contribute to the enhancement of national capacities and infrastructures in the field of human rights by supporting the implementation of the National Plan of Action on Human Rights as well as the specific thematic plans that will follow. The project has four components or **Areas of Activities:** i) the promotion and support of the National Plan of Action on Human Rights and of the specific thematic plans; ii) advisory services and legislative reform; iii) the strengthening of the Ombudsman's Office ("Defensoría del Pueblo"); and iv) education and training activities.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 466.866

EC Grant: € 373 493

Beneficiary Country(ies): Ecuador

Areas of Activities:

Support to democratisation process. Strengthening of democracy, good governance and rule of law in Ecuador.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-703

Project Title:

Regional Preparatory meeting for the World Conference against Racism
(4-7 December 2000, Latin America – Chile)

Summary:

The objective of the project is to make a regional contribution to the preparatory process of the World Conference against Racism, Racial Discrimination, Xenophobia and Related Intolerance through a four-day regional preparatory conference in Santiago, Chile, scheduled from 4 to 7 December 2000. The participants in this regional conference will be representatives of Latin American and Caribbean States in the region, representatives of national institutions, specialised agencies, UN bodies, programmes and human rights mechanisms, and NGOs. In adopting its resolutions, the regional preparatory conference will also take into account the recommendations which are to result from a three-day regional expert seminar which will also be held in Santiago, Chile, from 25 to 27 October 2000, on the theme "Economic, social and legal measures to combat racial discrimination, with particular reference to vulnerable groups".

Duration (months): 5

Total Budget: € 956 913

EC Grant: € 669 839

Beneficiary Country(ies): Chile

Areas of Activities:

Contribute to the fight against racism and xenophobia.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-703

Project Title:

Police-Community Relations and Human Rights in Nicaragua

Summary:

The project for Nicaragua is designed to assist the National Police of Nicaragua in the elaboration of a strategy for community work. It is programmed to last for three years, and would address key issues in Nicaragua, such as increase in criminality, and the treatment of women and children in the penitentiary system. The three main areas covered by the project are: i) the establishment of a system in the police for the processing of human rights complaints from citizens; ii) the training of police officers in the implementation of the system and the use of human rights; and iii) advising the police on crime prevention and the development of strategies to ensure human rights are respected, as well as for the treatment of women, minors, and persons in detention.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 343 028

EC Grant: € 274 422

Beneficiary Country(ies): Nicaragua

Areas of Activities:

Strengthening of democracy, good governance and public security in Nicaragua.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-703

Project Title:

Regional Programme in Support of the Ombudsman in Latin America

Summary:

The Regional Programme aims to increase the general sustainability of human rights institutions as members of the FIO. It enhances efficiency, in both qualitative and quantitative terms, in most of its activities, and more specifically with regard to the complaints procedure which is the main instrument of the Ombudsman in the event of human rights violations.

The main areas of intervention as proposed in the Regional Support Programme are: i) the training of staff in complaints procedures; ii) the training of staff in specific legal sectors such as the environment, indigenous peoples, consumer affairs, the elderly etc.; iii) a joint technological network within the FIO for communication and exchange of experiences covering all possible aspects: processing of complaints, training, events, legal databases, etc.; iv) to increase the existing co-ordination regarding the activities of the European Commission, the Member States and the member Ombudsman offices of the FIO; v) the promotion and strengthening of the figure of the Ombudsman at national level as a warrant of independence and moral authority; and vi) to increase the visibility, presence and moral authority of the Ombudsman vis-à-vis other Latin American national institutions.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 2 979 761

EC Grant: € 1 578 167

Beneficiary Country(ies): Latin America

Areas of Activities: Supporting Human Rights Institutions of NGO's

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-703

Project Title:

A radios network for the Amazonian basin.

Summary:

The general objective of this project is to contribute to communication with Amazonian peoples to their strengthening as peoples, to the planning of the defence of their way of life, their existence and that of the Amazonian ecosystem through a broadcasting network. The more specific objectives are: i) to establish a radio network in the Amazonian basin by connecting 25 radio stations of the Amazonian regions of the above mentioned countries through a satellite; ii) to co-ordinate national and regional partners which raise the level of awareness of the national and international Community on the importance and the risks that this region and its inhabitants face; and iii) to formulate ethnic claims and cultural economic policies for those who have the responsibility and the capacity to take decisions at the national and regional level.

Duration (months): 12

Total Budget: € 685 679

EC Grant: € 603 397

Beneficiary Country(ies): Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela.

Areas of Activities:

Support for minorities, ethnic groups and indigenous peoples.

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BUDGET LINE B7-704

“Subsidies for Certain Activities of Organisations Pursuing Human Rights Objectives (Including the Rehabilitation of Torture Victims)”

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Treatment and rehabilitation centres for torture survivors

Summary:

This project is aimed at providing free medical, psychological and social services to torture survivors and their relatives, training health personnel on the subject of torture and its consequences, conducting research into the physical and psychological problems of torture victims and contributing to the prevention of torture. The main activity consists of the treatment and rehabilitation of an average of 66 torture survivors per month in five centres. The aim is to provide 1600 torture survivors with medical and psychological assistance in the coming two years. The results of the project will be published in book form each year.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 2 140 281

EC Grant: € 600 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Turkey

Areas of Activities:

Rehabilitation of torture victims and prevention of torture.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

The Torture Suits Project - Stage 3

Summary:

The project is aimed at supporting Palestinian torture victims to obtain their rights, particularly in receiving compensation from the State for physical and mental injuries caused by Israeli security officials during detention and interrogations. In some cases, where medical treatment is needed, the financial compensation will be used for medical treatment. Activities include providing legal assistance (874,50 hours); and medical evaluation and opinion (identification of a neutral medical expert for approximately 21 cases).

Duration (months): 15

Total Budget: € 181 430

EC Grant: € 145 144

Beneficiary Country(ies): Israel;Palestine

Areas of Activities:

Rehabilitation of torture victims and prevention of torture

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Violence Against Women Programme: A Threefold Strategy

Summary:

This project intends to contribute to the elimination of violence against women and to offer protection to women who are victims of or threatened by violence or other cruel or degrading treatment. The project aims at empowering all 240 branches from "SOS Torture Network" and it will be co-ordinated by the applicant worldwide. The activities include (i) 75 appeals denouncing cases of violence against women; (ii) four reports a year, to the UN Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, on cases of violence against women, or an analysis of national legislations fostering violence against women; (iii) reports to UN human rights treaty bodies on severe violations of women's rights.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 563 982

EC Grant: € 476 068

Beneficiary Country(ies): Worldwide

Areas of Activities:

Rehabilitation of torture victims and prevention of torture. Equal opportunities and non-discriminatory practices

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Psychotherapeutical Attention for Victims of Political Violence, Torture and Family Violence

Summary:

The aims of this project are to give psychotherapeutic assistance to victims of torture and violence, and to train the providers of this assistance for the improvement of their operational skills. In addition, the 'human rights' teams (the above-mentioned providers) will be given opportunities to share their ideas and experiences on a regular basis. An editorial committee will be established and will be responsible for regular media communications, two annual press conferences, four issues of educational leaflets and six newsletters.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 714 949

EC Grant: € 586 258

Beneficiary Country(ies): Peru

Areas of Activities:

Rehabilitation centres for torture victims. Training organisations specialising in the defence of human rights

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Prevention of and Protection from Torture and other Grave Violations for Children

Summary:

The project is aimed at expanding an existing children's programme. This is designed to respond to immediate threats to children at risk and to support the international human rights system for the protection of children at international and national level. Activities include: responding to an estimated total of 65 urgent appeals through a worldwide network (90,000 recipients on e-mail/web); supporting international human rights mechanisms by issuing country reports; and an international consultation to define abuse within the framework of the Rights of the Child and to develop a plan of action.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 958 078

EC Grant: € 826 078

Beneficiary Country(ies): Worldwide

Areas of Activities:

Rehabilitation of torture victims and prevention of torture

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Project Number : C-1999/0342

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Hope: Today and Tomorrow

Summary:

The project is aimed at developing an interdisciplinary, long-term, grass-roots approach for supporting democratic structure and change.

Activities include:(i) supporting four local centres (in the communities of Bijeljina, Novi Grad, Teslic and Odzak in BiH) in organising a training course for the centres' staff and activities (related to the development of a citizen's network) for under-represented groups;(ii) coordinating four seminars (two in BiH,two in Germany) for professionals providing therapy for torture and trauma survivors;(iii) intensive training for 10 community facilitators;(iv) creating self-help groups for survivors of violence; and (v) co-operation with NGOs.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 995 844

EC Grant: € 896 259

Beneficiary Country(ies): Bosnia-Herzegovina

Areas of Activities:

Confidence building measures.Citizen participation. Supporting human rights institutions and NGOs.Conflict prevention and resolution in crisis countries.

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Project Number : C-1999/0359

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Reporting to the UN and Regional Human Rights Treaty Bodies: A training and Implementation Programme with African Human Rights Agencies and NGOs

Summary:

The project is aimed at training human rights organisations and institutions in four African countries on reporting to treaty bodies. Activities include a series of two to three week-long training seminars in Denmark and in one or two African countries. In parallel to these seminars, the participants will prepare a report to the UN.

Duration (months): 12

Total Budget: € 129 816

EC Grant: € 116 835

Beneficiary Country(ies): Malawi; Mozambique; Tanzania; Uganda.

Areas of Activities:

Monitoring human rights. Training organisations specialising in the defence of human rights.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Developing the Practical Skills of Human Rights Monitoring and Advocacy.

Summary:

The project is aimed at improving the ability of the Slovak Helsinki Committee (SHC) to identify human rights violations using international human rights standards as a criteria so that the SHC can resolve individual complaints of human rights violations more efficiently and effectively. Activities include: (i) a two-day workshop on the practical aspects of human rights monitoring and advocacy to train the SHC members in particular aspects of human rights monitoring and advocacy; (ii) organisation of a training workshop for members of other Slovak human rights NGOs; (iii) developing the SHC website; (iv) training in mediation as a technique for resolving individual complaints of human rights violations.

Duration (months): 12

Total Budget: € 70 605

EC Grant: € 55 952

Beneficiary Country(ies): Slovakia

Areas of Activities: Supporting human rights institutions and NGOs

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Project Number : C-1999/0384

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Raising general awareness on torture related issues through documentation, information and publications.

Summary:

This project will cover two sub-programmes of the applicant's advocacy programme (documentation and publications). The aim is to raise awareness on torture related issues through documentation, information and publication. Activities at the (existing) documentation centre include: maintaining and increasing the information available in its collection, promotion of the documentation centre, increasing co-operation with other centres, electronic ordering/delivery of documents, and development of the applicant's website. Publications will include at least one major publication every other year, four issues of the journal Torture, one annual report, an annual survey of rehabilitation centres worldwide, a six-monthly network newsletter, a six-monthly international newsletter for physiotherapy teachers working with torture victims, as well as various folders.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 1 343 586

EC Grant: € 800 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Worldwide

Areas of Activities:

Rehabilitation of torture victims and prevention of torture.

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Project Number : C-1999/0413

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

The Convention on the Rights of the Child: Building Global Support for Implementation.

Summary:

Educating and raising the awareness of civil society, especially youth, on the need to protect and promote the rights of the child, including those of child soldiers and homeless children. The applicant will produce and distribute four sets of information/action kits on the Convention on the Rights of the Child. Each one will focus on one of the following articles: art. 20 - children without families; art. 28 - children's education; art. 32 - child labour; and art. 38 - armed conflict and child soldiers. Altogether, over 80.000 action kits in English, French, Spanish and other languages will be distributed to more than 1700 partner organisations in over 150 countries.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 576 387

EC Grant: € 490 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Worldwide

Areas of Activities:

Education of human rights. Child rights reinforcement

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Project Number : C-1999/0419

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Arming the Torturers - Tracking the Supply of Electro-Shock Torture and Repressive Technologies to 'Torturing States'

Summary:

The project is aimed at providing NGOs with scientific and technical data on the capabilities of military, security, police (MSP) technologies which facilitate human rights violations. The activities include (i) establishing key MSP business regions; (ii) developing information sources - updating the MSP archives; (iii) applying the research results - capacity building and training of NGO staff both in the supplier and recipient countries; (iv) ongoing NGO outreach, training and policy advice; (v) policy development work (to develop evidence which can be used by MPs and MEPs to make appropriate changes to strategic export control legislation); (vi) dissemination of information to journalists.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 419 393

EC Grant: € 275 456

Beneficiary Country(ies): Worldwide

Areas of Activities:

Rehabilitation of torture victims and prevention of torture.

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Project Number : C-1999/0433

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Health Care, Rehabilitation and Support for Survivors of Torture, Gross Human Rights Violations and War and their Families in Germany

Summary:

The project aims to provide health care and rehabilitation to victims of human rights violations and their families in three centres, situated in Munich, Berlin and Bremen. Each centre offers specific psychotherapeutic, psychological and medical services as well as counselling and guidance by social workers in order to help with problems of daily life in exile as well as various means of empowerment and support. In addition, a trans-national exchange of experience and development of co-operation is planned with similar centres in FRY.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 2 681 500

EC Grant: € 946 965

Beneficiary Country(ies): FYROM; Germany

Areas of Activities:

Rehabilitation of torture victims and prevention of torture.

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Project Number : C-1999/0507

Budget line B7-704

Targeted Projects

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Capital Punishment - activities informing and supporting strategies to establish alternatives to the death penalty

Summary:

This project aims to increase awareness of capital punishment activities. Activities will include internships at the University of Westminster's Capital Punishment Studies department; the establishment of specialised databases to support US defence lawyers who represent those convicted of capital crimes and lawyers engaged in capital litigation in the Caribbean and the UK; a lecture series on capital punishment; the setting-up of a capital punishment studies library; research activities; and public information/raising awareness actions.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 763 132

EC Grant: € 675 859

Beneficiary Country(ies): Worldwide

Areas of Activities:

Rule of Law. Education of human rights. Death penalty abolishment measures through community and international initiatives

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Rehabilitation of Victims of Totalitarianism and Civil Wars in the New Independent States: Strengthening and Expanding Rehabilitation Services for Torture Victims

Summary:

The aim of the project is to strengthen regional rehabilitation capacities to provide services to torture victims in the NIS. This will be achieved through supporting existing rehabilitation centres; the extension of rehabilitation services to new countries within the region; the formation of a region-wide professional network of rehabilitation centres; the establishment of an information centre to document and publicise the torture situation in the region; and training seminars for NGO and medical personnel.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 819 415

EC Grant: € 655 532

Beneficiary Country(ies): Armenia; Moldova; Russian Federation; Ukraine

Areas of Activities:

Rehabilitation of torture victims and prevention of torture.
Rehabilitation centres for torture victims.

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- Mental Health Foundation
(Armenia)
- St. Petersburg Psychiatric
Association (SPPA)
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Project Number : T-1999/0155

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Hospitality and Care of Victims of Torture

Summary:

The project is aimed at providing social, medical, psychological and legal counselling to asylum seekers, refugees and persons under humanitarian protection who are victims of torture or other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment. The focus will be on traumatised women. Beside direct assistance to the target group, the project involves: (i) training for beneficiaries on empowerment; (ii) awareness-raising by promoting public initiatives and disseminating information; (iii) networking; (iv) serving as a clearing-house for relevant information and documentation. The project will aim at benefiting around 1150 people.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 576 300

EC Grant: € 518 654

Beneficiary Country(ies): Worldwide

Areas of Activities:

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Project Number : T-1999/0218

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Rehabilitation of Torture Survivors and their Relatives in the Southern Cone

Summary:

This project is aimed at providing rehabilitation measures to torture survivors and their relatives, fighting impunity, and working on torture prevention. The project will be run in four centres located in four different countries (Argentina, Chile, Brazil, Uruguay). Activities include joint activities such as meetings to exchange experiences, 800 copies of a publication on mental health and human rights, and promotion of regional co-operation. Each centre will offer multiple assistance (individual, family, group) for a total of 1760 patients, eight seminars (such as a seminar on traumatic situations of social origin for 150 students); dissemination activities and publications.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 1 000 000

EC Grant: € 800 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Argentina; Brazil; Chile; Uruguay.

Areas of Activities:

Rehabilitation of torture victims and prevention of torture.
Rehabilitation centres for torture victims.

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Project Number : T-1999/0295

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Balkan Network for the Rehabilitation of Torture Victims

Summary:

The project is aimed at providing comprehensive care to torture victims in the Balkans. Activities include providing medical, psychological, social and legal care to victims of torture; implementing programmes related to the prevention of torture by organising activities aimed at raising public awareness on issues of torture; fostering co-operation between rehabilitation centres in the Balkans, focusing on improving their skills in the above two objectives; establishing two new centres in Yugoslavia (Belgrade and Pristina) to help victims of torture after the recent conflict; developing a common method of documenting and registering torture practices as well as their consequences for the victims; promoting clinically related research addressing such issues as sequelae of torture, specific clinical syndromes related to torture, methods of treatment, etc. The project will benefit around 1000 people.

Duration (months): 12

Total Budget: € 737 132

EC Grant: € 663 419

Beneficiary Country(ies):

Albania; Bosnia-Herzegovina; Bulgaria; Croatia; FR Yugoslavia; Greece.

Areas of Activities: Rehabilitation centres for torture victims

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- Centre for the Rehabilitation of Torture Victims and other Kinds of Human Maltreatment (Greece)
- Centre for Torture Victims (CTV) Bosnia (Bosnia-Herzegovina)
- International Rehabilitation Centre for Torture Victims Zagreb (IRCT Zagreb) (Croatia)
- Kosovo Rehabilitation Centre for Torture Victims (FR Yugoslavia)
- Stress Clinic (FR Yugoslavia)
- Yugoslav Lawyers Committee for Human Rights Centre for Torture Victims (FR Yugoslavia)

Project Number : T-1999/0347

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Assistance for Prisoners under Sentence of Death in the Caribbean

Summary:

The project is aimed at assisting prisoners under sentence of death in the Caribbean who do not have the financial resources to challenge their convictions, or to establish violations of their human rights. Activities include: cooperating with local lawyers and NGOs to investigate miscarriages of justice; initiating domestic human rights actions; applications to international human rights bodies; and improving prison conditions. Since 1992, this project has benefited 174 prisoners who have had their capital convictions for murder quashed as miscarriages of justice, or commuted to a term of imprisonment.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 595 456

EC Grant: € 512 952

Beneficiary Country(ies): Caribbean Countries

Areas of Activities:

Civil and political rights. Good governance promoting transparency, accountability, and anti-corruption.

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Project Number : T-1999/0354

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Improving Torture Survivors' Access to Justice and Reparation (ITSAJR)

Summary:

This programme is aimed at promoting the right to justice and reparation of people who are survivors of torture anywhere in the world. The programme comprises four main activities - (i) to collect and make available information concerning international standards and national law and practice by developing the Redress for Torture Network; (ii) to undertake a major research project on national and international law on compensation for torture; (iii) to promote the development of stronger international standards; (iv) to develop, in the UK, ways for bringing to justice those suspected of having committed torture abroad and providing torture survivors with civil remedies.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 616 524

EC Grant: € 499 384

Beneficiary Country(ies): Worldwide

Areas of Activities:

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Project Number : T-1999/0364

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Medical Rehabilitation Centres for Torture Survivors in Central Europe

Summary:

The aim of this project is to offer integrated rehabilitation to torture survivors while increasing the awareness of the general public on the issue of torture and its consequences. Medical assistance to victims of torture will also be provided by interdisciplinary teams. Social and legal assistance will be available in particular for refugees. In addition, training (for professionals in the field of human rights) and publication activities related to the rehabilitation of victims and the prevention of torture will be carried out based on the experiences of the programmes.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 743 470

EC Grant: € 537 112

Beneficiary Country(ies): Moldova; Poland; Romania.

Areas of Activities:

Rehabilitation of torture victims and prevention of torture.
Rehabilitation centres for torture victims.

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Project Number : T-1999/0412

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

Community Reintegration of Children Associated with the Fighting Forces

Summary:

UNICEF through the Child Protection Network continues to support programmes for the care, protection and reintegration of children associated with the fighting forces and other children separated from their families because of the conflict in Sierra Leone. These services include tracing, family reunification, emergency interim care, provision of basic social services to communities, psycho-social support to children with their families and capacity building of the Ministry of Social Welfare, Gender and Children's Affairs and co-operating NGOs.

The main objectives are to: i) successfully reunite and reintegrate an estimated 5,400 child soldiers with their families and communities; ii) provide basic care and services to an additional 5,000 children associated with the fighting forces; iii) develop alternative long-term arrangements for an estimated 40% of separated children who do not wish or cannot be reunified with their families and communities; iv) strengthen the capacity of the Child Protection Network (national and international NGOs), including the Ministry of Social Welfare, Gender and Children's Affairs, to sustain quality follow-up of war-affected children; v) provide psycho-social assistance to separated children and sexually abused girls; vi) produce a compendium of best practices on interim care, reunification/alternative long term care and reintegration of war affected children; and vii) to support the fulfilment of these children's rights to health, education and protection.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 5.275.684

EC Grant: € 2.000.000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Sierra Leone

Areas of Activities: Rights of the Child

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-704

Project Title:

NGO Forum and World Conference against Racism, Xenophobia, Racial Discrimination and Related Intolerance.

Summary:

The two main events this project will focus on are: The World Conference against Racism, scheduled from 31 August to 7 September 2001; and the NGO Forum, expected to take place from 28 August to 1 September 2001. The dates of the NGO Forum overlap with that of the World Conference itself. This will permit government delegates that are interested to attend activities and meetings of the NGO Forum, NGOs which are accredited to the WCAR to attend the World Conference, and the press to cover both events. Moreover, as the NGO Forum ends on September 1st, there will still be adequate time for the document which emerges from the NGO Forum to be considered by the World Conference and to finalise the text of the Declaration and Programme of Action of the WCAR. The objective of the project is to make funds available to finance the travel and subsistence of representatives of the least developed countries, NGOs, national human rights institutions and experts on racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance so that they can participate in and make a meaningful contribution to the World Conference. In the case of NGOs, their travel and subsistence is also designed to facilitate the holding of an NGO Forum in South Africa which will take place parallel to the World Conference itself.

Duration (months): 13

Total Budget: € 2.142.857

EC Grant: € 1.500.000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Worldwide

Areas of Activities:

Inter-ethnic and inter-racial tolerance and indigenous people support

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BUDGET LINE B7-705

“MEDA Programme for Democracy”

Budget line B7-705

Targeted Projects

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-705

Project Title:

Actions positives pour les droits de citoyenneté des femmes et l'égalité des chances au Maghreb.

Summary:

Renforcer le potentiel de travail et les capacités d'impact et d'action des associations de femmes, des syndicats et des ONGs œuvrant pour la promotion et la sauvegarde des droits des femmes. Renforcer la diffusion auprès de la population dans le domaine des droits des femmes. Création de trois Maisons des Femmes à Alger, Tanger et Tunis avec des guichets d'information, conseil et assistance juridique et psychologique, des cours et des formations sur des thèmes spécifiques et des activités de sensibilisation sur les droits des femmes; organisation d'un programme de formation et réalisation d'activités d'information et communication ciblées pour les associations féminines, les syndicats et les ONG du Maghreb Central.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 1 770 275

EC Grant: € 1 416 220

Beneficiary Country(ies): Maghreb

Areas of Activities:

Women's human rights promotion and protection, including opposing trafficking of women. Equal opportunities and non-discriminatory practices

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-705

Project Title:

Programme de renforcement des ONG nationales dans les pays du Sud et de l'Est de la Méditerranée.

Summary:

The strengthening of democracy, the rule of law and the human rights situation in the countries of the South and East Mediterranean, through training workshops, building constructive relations between NGOs and the local authorities, and by encouraging the sharing of experiences. It also hopes to demonstrate how the potential outcomes of the Barcelona Declaration and the Euro-Mediterranean Agreements of Association can be put to profitable use by militants for human rights.

The programme has two complementary aspects:

- 1) training with the organisation of six seminars for 60 participants. During each seminar, the international and regional standards and procedures of international protection of human rights will be examined. Recommendations will be approved and an action plan drawn up.
- 2) interface between the local NGOs and the European Union. The setting up of this interface will be done by the training of the partner organisations of the FIDH with the European institutions playing a specific role in the political monitoring of the Barcelona Declaration, the negotiation and monitoring of the Association Agreements, and by dialogue between the various partner organisations.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 982 000

EC Grant: € 883 800

Beneficiary Country(ies): Regional

Areas of Activities:

Supporting NGOs involved in the protection, promotion or defence of human rights. Education and awareness-raising of civil society.

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- Palestinian Society for the Protection of Human Rights and Environment;
- Jordanian Society for Human Rights;
- Lebanese Association for Human Rights;
- Foundation for Human and Humanitarian Rights in Lebanon;
- Moroccan Association for Human Rights;
- Moroccan Organisation for Human Rights;
- Tunisian League for Human Rights.

Project Number : T-2000/102

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-705

Project Title:

Support for Trade Unions in the Arab Countries: Training Programme and Euro-Med Partnership.

Summary:

Promoting the capacity building of the trade unions through training and organising activities. The long-term objective is to integrate trade union rights as an essential part of human and fundamental social rights within the development policies of the region. The medium and short term objective is the promotion of capacity building and trade union rights, strengthening the ability of trade union organisations to pressurise their governments to improve labour legislation, raising the specific problems of migrant workers in the Arab countries, and improving ICFTU monitoring of trade union rights violations in the Arab world.

Regional Workshops will elaborate the role and contribution of trade unions in the region in the field of social partnership, tripartite co-operation, equality and industrial relations. It will discuss how to improve the exchange of information in the region on matters of interest to the trade union movement. Sub-Regional Training Workshops will focus on the improvement of their internal efficiency and the use of e-mail and the Internet as a campaigning and organising tool. National Training Workshops will aim at addressing the needs and priorities of the organisations involved. Emphasis will be placed on topics related to trade union organisation and development, the role of trade unions in industrial relations and in tripartite co-operation structures, human and trade union rights, equality and migration issues. A Forum will provide an annual opportunity for a policy debate and to define trade union undertakings, at the level both of international and European organisations and of the affiliates in the member states and partner countries.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 1 218 658

EC Grant: € 953 234

Beneficiary Country(ies): Regional

Areas of Activities:

Promotion and protection of economic and social rights

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- Confédération Générale du Travail au Liban (CGTL);
- Union Marocaine du Travail (UMT);
- Palestinian General Federation of Trade Unions (PGFTU);
- Union Générale des Travailleurs Algériens (UGTA);
- Union Générale Tunisienne du Travail (UGTT).

Project Number : T-2000/104

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-705

Project Title:

Formation et renforcement des capacités en vue d'une meilleure protection des droits de l'homme dans le monde arabe.

Summary:

Formation et diffusion de la culture des droits de l'Homme et soutien des ONGs qui travaillent sur la protection et la promotion des droits de l'homme, spécialement des droits de la femme et de l'enfant. Le projet comporte un ensemble d'activités réparties en deux grands programmes: un premier programme visant les groupes vulnérables et portant sur la protection et la promotion des droits et la protection des droits de la femme et des droits de l'enfant dans les pays arabes; le deuxième programme comporte des activités d'éducation, de formation et de renforcement des capacités, dont les groupes-cibles sont considérés comme prioritaires du fait de leur rôle dans la diffusion des principes et de la culture des droits de l'homme.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 2 076 048

EC Grant: € 1 660 838

Beneficiary Country(ies): Regional

Areas of Activities:

- Education of Human Rights
- Supporting Human Rights Institutions & NGO's

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-705

Project Title:

Migrant Rights Resource Centre in Morocco

Summary:

Establishing, in co-operation with the Moroccan Ministry of Human Rights and national NGOs in the country, a Migrants' Rights Resource Centre (MRRC). It will support the launching of information and awareness campaigns targeting potential migrants, seasonal migrant workers and those more vulnerable migrants who may fall victims of trafficking networks. The project also aims to strengthen - through capacity building - the institutional and technical capabilities of the Moroccan Ministry of Human Rights, NGOs and research institutions, involved in the project activities, in order to establish effective training and information mechanisms with a view to ensuring respect for migrants' rights.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 493 567

EC Grant: € 394 854

Beneficiary Country(ies): Morocco

Areas of Activities:

Promotion of respect for the human rights and dignity of migrants.

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Partners:

- Moroccan Ministry of Human Rights.

Project Number : T-2000/110

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-705

Project Title:

Sensibilisation, information et formation en matière pénale et pénitentiaire en trois pays arabes.

Summary:

The PRI project aims to support and strengthen reform processes carried out at national level in Morocco, Lebanon and Jordan. Support will be provided by: i) training penitentiary staff and looking at the organisation of six prisons (two in each of the three countries) in order to improve the administration of these establishments, and especially the living conditions of the prisoners. This training would be accompanied by material support, which would vary according to need. The long-term aim is to have six pilot-prisons, as models of reference; ii) setting up a broad range of activities contributing directly to the reform of the current texts to conform with international standards, and advocating appeals for new or neglected mechanisms in the national legal and penitentiary practice of these countries; iii) support for interesting initiatives led by local NGOs to promote and develop the intervention of civil society and an assumption of responsibility at national level of the operation of the legal and prison system, and a greater implication in the programmes for prisoners' rehabilitation (especially the most vulnerable categories, such as women, minors and foreigners).

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 524 600

EC Grant: € 400 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Morocco, Lebanon, Jordan

Areas of Activities:

Promotion and reinforcement of the authority of the law promoting and strengthening the rule of law, in particular upholding the independence of the judiciary and strengthening it. Support for a humane prison system. Support for constitutional and legislative reform.

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Project Number : T-2000/117

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-705

Project Title:

Campaign Against Child Labour in the Egyptian Agrarian Sector

Summary:

Improving the conditions of children working in agriculture through: 1) creating a legislative structure of agricultural labour in line with the rules of the Egyptian constitution and the international conventions for Human Rights; 2) raising legal awareness of parents, lawyers, civil servants, NGOs etc; and 3) providing legal aid to 300 cases of children working in agriculture. The main activities are: i) the legal aid to child victims of discrimination, violence and mistreatment; ii) issuing field work reports to monitor all violations of human rights that occur in rural areas; iii) issuing a series of a newsletter Your Legal Rights; iv) training courses for lawyers, NGOs and volunteers; v) creation of an anti child labour network in rural areas.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 228 067

EC Grant: € 182 454

Beneficiary Country(ies): Egypt

Areas of Activities: Protection of children's rights.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-705

Project Title:

Culture of Peace Program (Phase II)

Summary:

The Culture of Peace Program is a creative, interactive and experiential multi-media learning programme that teaches non-violent conflict resolution techniques to Jordanian school children. Phase II will extend the capacity of the Programme to communicate ideas about non-violent conflict resolution, citizenship, tolerance, democracy and environment awareness through 'Theatre in Education' plays, printed materials for teachers and children, and children's television programmes. From 1996 to April 2000 approximately one million Jordanian children directly benefited from the program's activities. Due to the success of the Culture of Peace Program, and based on demands from neighbouring countries, it will be expanding in Lebanon, Israel and Palestine to promote peace building and non-violent conflict resolution. Activities include: i) designing and developing teaching materials which stress the need to develop skills to resolve conflicts effectively and non-violently; ii) building a Children's Television Network for the Arab world to educate Arab children to important issues such as leadership, citizenship, democracy as well as conflict resolution; and iii) conducting regional workshops and conferences on non-violent conflict resolution.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 1 264 938

EC Grant: € 953 384

Beneficiary Country(ies): Mashrak

Areas of Activities: Human Rights education

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Project Number : T-2000/135

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-705

Project Title:

Support for the National Human Rights Documentation, Information and Training Centre.

Summary:

The new Centre aims at introducing and promoting a culture of human rights at all levels of Moroccan civil society and at providing targeted groups, such as university professors and school teachers, the judiciary, the police, the media, NGOs, women and children, with adequate documentation, information and training. The tripartite project, representing a total amount of USD 880,000, is supported for USD 480,000 by the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) and for USD 200,000 each by UNDP and the Government of Morocco. Each partner to the project supports the costs of the project up to the level of its specific contribution. This means that with its financial support of 480,000 USD, OHCHR is funding slightly more than half of the total costs involved. The European Commission would, under the current request, contribute to OHCHR participation in the project for an amount of 157,621 Euro.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 157 621

EC Grant: € 126 097

Beneficiary Country(ies): Morocco

Areas of Activities:

Support for local, national, regional or international institutions, including NGOs, involved in the protection, promotion or defence of human rights. Support for education, training and consciousness-raising in the area of human rights.

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Project Number : T-2000/136

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-705

Project Title:

NCW Hotline - Ombudsman

Summary:

The projects aims at creating an Ombudsman Hotline Unit which will:i) act as a conduit between women from across the nation and the government and non-governmental machinery, helping women to secure their legal rights,as stipulated by the Convention on the Elimination of Discrimination Against Women (CEDAW);ii) provide advice and counselling in any issues related to women's problems.iii) receive first-hand information on the problems facing women and girls which are of a discriminatory nature, such as gender discrimination and bias,violence, abuse or harassment and which constitute a violation to the Constitution of the Republic of Egypt and to existing laws and decrees; iv) conduct research and studies in coordination with the Scientific Research Committee of NCW and other competent parties to construct an index that could shed light on the nature, frequency and magnitude of the problem facing women and girls; v) promote women's rights in all related areas and act as an awareness channel for women's legal rights.The programme also includes activities in the media to raise public awareness of the figure of the Ombudsman, as well as holding a meeting with national counterpart organisations to inform them of the mandate of the Ombudsman and to solicit their co-operation.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 549 917

EC Grant: € 439 934

Beneficiary Country(ies): Egypt

Areas of Activities:

The promotion and protection of civil and political rights.The promotion of equality of opportunity and non-discriminatory practices, including measures to combat racism and xenophobia.

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Project Number : T-2000/168

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-705

Project Title:

Expansion of ADEW's Programme for the Empowerment of Female Heads of Household in Low Income Communities

Summary:

The following activities will take place: i) conduct participatory baseline survey and needs assessment study to identify the two areas and communities;ii) conduct field visits to potential Community Development Associations (CDAs) and finalise selection;iii) develop agreements with the new community-based associations;iv) hire new staff in the CDAs and in the Manshiet Nasser project and train new staff and board;iv) awareness raising campaigns - documentation through a brochure and a film about the activities of the NGO (posters and a number of seminars); v) networking: share the Manshiet Nasser experience with policy makers,donor agencies, NGOs and other concerned parties in order to: - create awareness of and sensitivity to the problems and needs of women in low-income communities, particularly women who have a household to support; advocate for policy change that takes into account these problems and needs; and encourage the establishment of programs that address these needs;vi) monitoring and information systems:to follow up on the clients and their cases and to have a base line system for future evaluation and monitoring process;and vii) legal aid to women:hire a lawyer to help women in solving their legal problems; -hold legal seminars to train women on their legal rights and how to issue an identity card, on the new personal status law; assist 200 women with ID cards; assist 200 women with court cases.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 657 032

EC Grant: € 258 032

Beneficiary Country(ies): Egypt

Areas of Activities:

Promotion and protection of the human rights of those discriminated against, or suffering from poverty or disadvantage, which will contribute to reduction of poverty and social exclusion. Promotion of equality of opportunity and non-discriminatory practices, including measures to combat racism and xenophobia.

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Project Number : T-2000/169

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-705

Project Title:

Women in the Decision-Making Process

Summary:

The project aims to upgrade the participation of women in all levels of political involvement (as representatives, candidates and voters), and hence include their interests in public decisions. Specifically, the project will increase the number of women obtaining a voting card, try to create awareness among women of the impact of their votes, rationalise women voting behaviour and increase women's action and run for election in different and future voting campaigns, and make the general public aware of the importance of women's participation in political decision-making. These objectives will be achieved working in close partnership with the parliament, the ministry of information, academic institutions, the private sector and NGOs, particularly within the AAW network. The objectives will be attained by the broadcasting of programs and information in the media, the organisation of meetings and seminars, the production of material explaining the political tools, the organisation of workshops to enhance skills and capacities, the carrying of awareness campaigns etc.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 583 348

EC Grant: € 466 678

Beneficiary Country(ies): Egypt

Areas of Activities:

Promoting the participation of people in the decision-making process at national, regional and local level, in particular promoting equal participation of men and women in politics.

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Project Number : T-2000/170

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-705

Project Title:

Human Rights Training Course For Palestinian Security Services

Summary:

The project seeks to improve knowledge of international human rights standards among security services and promotion of an internal human rights policy in the operational guidelines of the Palestinian security services. This will be achieved by stressing the importance of international human rights law and comparative examples of how it are present in policing in different European countries. The training will be developed in different components: i) 'training of trainers', for teachers specialised on training security agents. It will focus on teaching methodology and aims at strengthening the knowledge of international legal standards and practices among trainers; ii) 'implementation of human rights policy', that will seek to promote the incorporation of a formalised human rights policy into operational guidelines of the security services; iii) two specialised seminars: the first one on the importance of establishing a prison complaints procedure and the second on good governance', will provide a broad overview of interrelated links between human rights, democracy and the role of security services; iii) two training sessions composed of three seminars each, 'Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms as a Cornerstone of Democratic States: the Intelligence Services in the Context of Democratic States', 'Collection and Treatment of Intelligence in the Context of the Protection of Human Rights', and 'Police Activity in the Respect for Human Rights'.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 661 129

EC Grant: € 649 386

Beneficiary Country(ies): Palestine

Areas of Activities:

Supporting national efforts to separate civilian and military functions. Training civilian and military personnel and raising their awareness of human rights.

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Project Number : T-2000/172

BUDGET LINE B7-706

“Support for the Activities of the International Criminal Tribunals and for the Setting up of the International Criminal Court”

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-706

Project Title:

Couverture des procédures pénales engagées de par le monde pour génocide, crimes contre l'humanité, crimes de guerre et violations du droit humanitaire.

Summary:

Raising the awareness of the general public in Rwanda and internationally (and professionals in justice/legal affairs) on the international tribunal system for genocide, crimes against humanity, war crimes and human rights violations. Activities include the distribution of a free journal on the internet, both as a database and periodical; the production of an educational series of publications aimed at informing victims about the tribunal procedures, training for journalists in Tanzania and the creation of a journalist post in The Hague.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 769 520

EC Grant: € 579 555

Beneficiary Country(ies): International; Rwanda; Tanzania.

Areas of Activities:

Conflict prevention and resolution in crisis countries

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Project Number : C-1999/0038

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-706

Project Title:

Laboratoire européen de soutien aux juridictions pénales internationales

Summary:

The creation of a research institute (laboratoire) that will carry out research into, and exchange information about, the work of the international criminal tribunals. Activities include: (i) creation of an European research team of experts on international criminal law; (ii) creation of two international criminal law surgeries within universities in Paris and Naples; (iii) dissemination of results eventually achieved, through seminars, colloquiums and publications..

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 613 062

EC Grant: € 551 062

Beneficiary Country(ies): France; Italy.

Areas of Activities: Conflict prevention and resolution (including ICT).

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Project Number : C-1999/0145

Budget line B7-706

Targeted Projects

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-706

Project Title:

Asia Regional Campaign to Promote the International Criminal Court (ICC)

Summary:

A one-year campaign to promote the ICC in Asia. Promotion includes formation and strengthening of groups - the ICC Expert Group in Asia that will provide the necessary knowledge and expertise to the broader target beneficiaries, and Working Groups in each of the target countries that will work for the campaign for signing and ratification of the ICC treaty in their respective countries. It also includes information dissemination to target groups and the actual campaign for signing, ratification and effective implementation. The project also aims for better coordination of initiatives among sub-regions, namely south Asia, northeast Asia, central Asia and southeast Asia, through meetings and joint activities. It is hoped that the concerted efforts in the region will contribute to the other initiatives in other regions in the world through participation in the UN meetings on ICC and other intercontinental efforts led by the UN and the Coalition for International Criminal Court (CICC).

Duration (months): 13

Total Budget: € 257.199

EC Grant: € 205 760

Beneficiary Country(ies): South East Asia

Areas of Activities: Conflict prevention and resolution (including ICT).

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Project Number : T-2000/067

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-706

Project Title:

ICTY: Witness Protection Project

Summary:

This project is aimed at supporting the activities of the Victim and Witness Section of the ICTY. It aims to enhance and expand the provision of protection services to victims and witnesses who testify before a Trial Chamber of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia. This will be achieved through a comprehensive process consisting of, the production of a Witness Protection information package consisting of a video and accompanying booklet, comparative research into the services available to protected witnesses within Member States, an evaluation of the current protection measures available to witnesses, and a strengthening of the existing Witness Relocation programme through the provision of additional support services.

Duration (months): 12

Total Budget: € 222.957

EC Grant: € 169 448

Beneficiary Country(ies): FR Yugoslavia

Areas of Activities: Conflict prevention and resolution (including ICT)

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-706

Project Title:

Effective Implementation of Treaties on Human Rights, Humanitarian Law and International Criminal Law

Summary:

NPSG/NPWJ intends to facilitate the effective implementation of international treaties on Human Rights, International Humanitarian Law and International Criminal Law by involving key governments in an international context. The international campaign aims at the promotion of intergovernmental dialogue and collaboration both at a political and technical level, and at the secondment of legal advisers in international forums in order to foster the widest possible participation in all the relevant negotiations at the UNHQ.

Duration (months): 10

Total Budget: € 642 942

EC Grant: € 514 353

Beneficiary Country(ies): Worldwide

Areas of Activities: International humanitarian law

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BUDGET LINE B7-707

“Human Rights and Democracy in Asian Countries”

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-707

Project Title:

Scholarship Programme for the Master of Laws in Human Rights at the University of Hong Kong.

Summary:

The Faculty of Law of the University of Hong Kong has established a new Master of Laws programme in Human Rights and is in the phase of consolidating this programme with the assistance of the Danish Centre for Human Rights. The aim of this project is to offer 14 scholarships per year over a three-year period to students recruited from mainland China and the Asian region. The Master of Laws programme is a specialised one-year programme in human rights. The programme will focus on problems and perspectives that are of particular concern to the Asian region, while at the same time exposing participants to universal human rights issues and the perspectives of other regional systems.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 1 147 721

EC Grant: € 457 396

Beneficiary Country(ies): China

Areas of Activities:

Support for education, training and awareness-raising in the area of human rights education.

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Budget line B7-707

Targeted Projects

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-707

Project Title:

Monitoring and Strengthening of National Human Rights Institutions in the Asia-Pacific Region.

Summary:

There are a large number of national human rights institutions in the Asia-Pacific region. Australia, India, Indonesia, Fiji, Philippines, New Zealand, Nepal and Sri Lanka have already established National Human Rights Commissions. Bangladesh, Thailand, South Korea, Japan and Mongolia are in the process of establishing an NHRI. Iran has established the Islamic Human Rights Commission, and Burma has expressed its willingness to establish an NHRI. NHRIs are double-edged swords. They could strengthen human rights mechanisms if they abide by the Paris Principles on National Human Rights Institutions. Otherwise, they may also serve as part of a Government's machinery to scuttle international criticism. It is only concerted and detailed monitoring that can make NHRIs and their branches effective. The South Asia Human Rights Documentation Centre and its partner organisations seek to achieve these objectives by conducting research of all NHRIs in the Asia-Pacific region and the State Human Rights Commissions of India, by organising NGO meetings prior to the 6th, 7th and 8th Annual Meetings of the Asia-Pacific Forum on National Human Rights Institutions and by organising the "Asian Regional Conference on the Role of the NGOs in the process of establishing and strengthening NHRIs".

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 535.950

EC Grant: € 428 760

Beneficiary Country(ies): Regional

Areas of Activities:

Supporting local, national, regional or international institutions, including NGOs, involved in the protection, promotion or defence of human rights.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-707

Project Title:

Promotion of Human Rights, Education & Training through
Community/University Interface.

Summary:

This project aims to support education, training and awareness-raising in the area of human rights, with a specific focus on child rights and women's rights. Project participants will include university academics and social action groups/NGOs with local communities in four States in India. Eight action research projects by academics and NGOs will underpin the design, and the delivery of 16 three-day faculty education programmes by trained personnel, to reach out to civil society and more than 300 academics, will result in the development of a pool of human rights educators. New learning materials, publications and training videos will be developed for use by teachers, lawyers, activists and the media to contribute to a culture that promotes human rights in practice. Academics from overseas universities will share their experience of human rights curriculum development, and how synergy can be built through informal links between university academics and NGOs and similar support organisations. Sustainability will be built up through linkages with monitoring and review events, with the aim of replicating this pilot in a larger number of universities in other regions of India.

Duration (months): 36

Total Budget: € 889 709

EC Grant: € 656 872

Beneficiary Country(ies): India

Areas of Activities: Human Rights education

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-707

Project Title:

Research, training and extension services on forensic DNA analysis

Summary:

Forensic DNA typing is the scientific procedure of identifying the sources of a human tissue for civil and criminal cases. The strength of DNA analysis procedures lies in the objectivity of the science in comparison to the subjective nature that accompanies non-biological evidence, e.g. witnesses' statements, thus offering a better means of arriving at the identity of the true perpetrator of the crime. In addition, DNA testing has more capabilities compared with two established human identification techniques, i.e. fingerprinting and blood analysis. Unlike fingerprinting and blood analysis, DNA analysis is effective using either fresh or degraded human tissue and is thus ideal in cases where biological material has been stored for several years. Due to the capacity of DNA to withstand a variety of environmental insults, DNA analysis is the method of choice in identifying perpetrators of crime who have left their own tissues in crime scenes.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 682 988

EC Grant: € 305 593

Beneficiary Country(ies): Philippines

Areas of Activities: Abolition of the Death Penalty.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-707

Project Title:

Anti Death Penalty Campaign in the Philippines

Summary:

Campaign to repeal the death penalty, through litigation, legislation, and public awareness activities. The campaign is spearheaded by FLAG's Anti-Death Penalty Task Force, a committee composed of FLAG officers, members, and representatives of the Philippine Jesuit Prison Service Foundation Inc. The campaign consists of four major segments. The centrepiece of the campaign is the provision of legal services in 80 capital cases; this includes the conduct of fact investigations and forensic examinations, including DNA testing, if necessary. Segment two is the training of lawyers handling capital cases through annual workshops and the publication of a monthly newsletter containing developments in law and jurisprudence. Segment three consists of lobby efforts at Congress (including the dissemination of four position papers). Segment four is the conduct of research and information dissemination with a view towards influencing public opinion (i.e., dissemination of bi-annual reports and bi-annual press conferences).

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 320 205

EC Grant: € 200 205

Beneficiary Country(ies): Philippines

Areas of Activities: Abolition of the Death Penalty

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-707

Project Title:

Enhancement of the Capacity of Indonesian Administration of Justice Sector for the Prosecution of Human Rights Violations

Summary:

During the visit of the Secretary-General to Indonesia in February 2000, the United Nations was requested to provide assistance with a view to facilitating the prosecution and trial of suspected perpetrators of serious human rights violations that took place in East Timor in 1999. This project seeks to provide such technical assistance by, in summary, deploying an expert technical adviser to the Office of OHCHR in Indonesia who will provide advice on the applicable Indonesian and international legislation to prosecute alleged violators of human rights in East Timor in 1999, and more generally to facilitate the Indonesian authorities in ensuring that the investigation, prosecution and investigation of the East Timorese cases is in compliance with international human rights standards by providing a training course on such standards for the judicial and legal officials appointed to try the East Timor related violations.

Duration (months): 6

Total Budget: € 207 461

EC Grant: € 165 969

Beneficiary Country(ies): Indonesia

Areas of Activities:

Upholding the independence of the Judiciary and strengthening it
Support and assistance for the victims of human rights violation.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-707

Project Title:

Promotion of Democracy and Support to the Reconciliation Process Through the Empowerment of Civil Society in the Field of Human Rights in Irian Jaya

Summary:

The pattern of human rights violations in Irian Jaya (Papua) has become well-established over the past three decades in the context of repressive measures taken by the authorities against the independence movement in the region, despite recent efforts by the Indonesian authorities towards combating impunity and enhancing human rights in Indonesia, including attempts to establish institutions for bringing those responsible for past and current violations to justice. These violations are a critical issue, which requires empowerment efforts for every Papuan. This is seen as a new approach for the reconstruction of society. This programme will use mediation skills to include leaders at all levels. Through this process, all participants will gain new insights based on peace and reconciliation principles. This programme will contribute to the promotion of justice and reconciliation in Papuan society through awareness-raising efforts, practical workshops and training as well as lobbying of governmental institutions.

Duration (months): 18

Total Budget: € 238 508

EC Grant: € 103 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Indonesia

Areas of Activities:

Support for minorities, ethnic groups and indigenous people. Promotion of pluralism both at political level and at the level of civil society. Supporting capacity-building, including the establishment of local early warning systems.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-707

Project Title:

Human Rights & Teaching Methodology for Primary & Secondary Schools of Cambodia

Summary:

The aim of the project is to heighten awareness and understanding among teachers of the values of human rights, democracy and non-violence and to train them how to introduce these concepts into their classroom and communities. The project will provide training for 15,900 primary school teachers over two years from January 2001, enabling human rights lessons to be taught regularly and properly to 600,000 to one million of Cambodia's school population (each school teacher teaches classes of between 40 and 70 students). The project will enable 800 key past HRTM teacher participants to be recalled for refresher training, helping to maintain the standards and momentum in schools covered by previous EC and other grants. The project will also enable periodic magazines to be issued to all teachers to maintain their high interest in human rights.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 1 460 594

EC Grant: € 949 388

Beneficiary Country(ies): Cambodia

Areas of Activities:

Support for education, training and awareness-raising in the area of human rights.

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Project Number : T-2000/073

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-707

Project Title:

Développement de la presse écrite vietnamienne

Summary:

The project mainly aims to give professional support to Vietnamese journalists, and thereby to provide better information to the public, contributing to the process of democratisation through the promotion of values linked to a free and independent media. This will be achieved through the transfer of technical know-how (formatting, drafting of titles, reporting etc) as well as analysis and debates on journalistic ethics (especially in the context of respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms) and on the role of journalists.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 230.101

EC Grant: € 184 532

Beneficiary Country(ies): Vietnam

Areas of Activities: Promotion of pluralism. Freedom of the press.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-707

Project Title:

Regional Preparatory Meeting for the World Conference Against Racism, Tehran

Summary:

Regional contribution to the preparatory process of the World Conference against Racism, Racial Discrimination, Xenophobia and Related Intolerance on existing obstacles to overcoming racism, and how further progress might be achieved at the national and regional levels in the Asian region. Three-day regional preparatory conference in Tehran, Iran, from the 19-21 February 2001. The participants in this regional conference will be representatives of Asian States in the region, representatives of national institutions, specialised agencies, UN bodies, programmes and human rights mechanisms, and non-governmental organisations. The main aim of the EC grant is to support NGO participation.

Duration (months): 6

Total Budget: € 1 098 732

EC Grant: € 769 112

Beneficiary Country(ies): Regional

Areas of Activities:

Support for the OHCHR. Contribute to the fight against racism and xenophobia. Support civil society organisations involved in the fight against racism.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-707

Project Title:

EU/China Education and Vocational Training Programme for the Disabled

Summary:

The overall objective of this project is to assist CDPF provide disabled people of working age in China with an improved range of vocational education and training services. The project is to do this through providing support to improving management and teacher training skills, support for training activities in selected municipalities and the provision of equipment necessary for training. The two-year programme will be implemented by the CDPF.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 980.000

EC Grant: € 980 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): China

Areas of Activities:

Promotion and protection of human rights of those disadvantaged.

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-707

Project Title:

Séminaire UE/Chine sur les droits de l'homme

Summary:

This seminar is one of the thematic legal seminars organised under each Presidency in the framework of the EU/China Human Rights dialogue. It will bring together 17 Chinese and European experts (academics, NGOs, trade unions) as well as members of COHOM. A total of 60 participants is foreseen. The seminar will focus on labour rights and on minor crimes. The study of labour rights will allow a reference to the two Covenants given that they can be found respectively under Article 22 and 8 of those two texts. The question of labour rights is regularly raised by civil society (NGOs, trade unions). It has also been raised in the framework of the ILO. China is particularly interested in this matter in the framework of the liberalisation and the restructuring of its economy. Finally the choice of this topic will allow the related subject of freedom of association to be raised. The theme of minor crimes will be tackled from the human rights angle and from the point of view of the legal guarantees, which need to accompany administrative measures taken to check this type of crimes, especially where the measures deal with re-education through labour. These types of crime usually fall outside the scope of the justice system. The role of the magistrate and the different types of jurisdiction could also be addressed.

Duration (months): 6

Total Budget: € 109 830

EC Grant: € 70 153

Beneficiary Country(ies): China

Areas of Activities:

Promoting and strengthening the rule of law, in particular upholding the independence of the judiciary and strengthening it. Respect for the rights of freedom of association and assembly

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-707

Project Title:

EU/China Seminar on Human Rights,Lisbon,8/9 May 2000

Summary:

A session of the EU-China Human Rights dialogue, between representatives of the European (Troika) and the Chinese authorities, is held under each Presidency. To complement the dialogue, legal seminars, involving official representatives and representatives from NGOs and the academic world, have taken place on a semi-annual basis, since 1998. These seminars are an integral part of the dialogue. They make it possible for participants to confront and reflect on the broad topic tackled within the framework of the official dialogue, as suggested by civil society (NGOs and the academic world), to find possible course of action and to identify areas where co-operation projects could be developed, at a later date.

The seminar organised in Lisbon by the Faculty of Direito da Universidade Nova Lisboa on 8 and 9 May 2000, will follow on from the seminar held under the Austrian (Beijing), German (Bad Honnef) and Finnish (Rovaniemi) Presidencies. The Lisbon seminar will concentrate on two themes, the death penalty and China's ratification of the two UN human rights treaties: political and civil rights and economic, cultural and social rights. The work of the seminar will focus particularly on the principle of equal rights between men and women and the problems of minority groups.

Duration (months): 6

Total Budget: € 225 914

EC Grant: € 203 322

Beneficiary Country(ies): China

Areas of Activities: Education of Human Rights

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Project Number : T-2000/078

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-707

Project Title:

Promoting Democratic Development in Burma

Summary:

This project is a continuation of the project 'Promoting Democratic Development in Burma' between the Friedrich Ebert Stiftung and the European Commission DG-VIII (Contract: B7-7020/BA/ED/139/96) from 1st February 1997 to 30th September 1999. After having strengthened the political structures of the Burmese democracy movement and having provided appropriate training for individuals, it is necessary to consolidate the emerging mechanisms by involving more ethnic and other groups in the democratic political process. The broad aim of the proposed project-extension is to continue promoting democratic development in Burma by strengthening co-operation among different political actors and by supporting grassroots participation in the political process. The momentum for political changes in Burma is still growing and in the light of all the efforts to solve the constrained ASEAN - EU relations it is essential to continue enhancing Burmese participation in these discussions. The Euro-Burma Office in Brussels is an ideal partner for such an exchange of opinion and information.

Duration (months): 24

Total Budget: € 1 253 749

EC Grant: € 940 312

Beneficiary Country(ies): Burma

Areas of Activities: Capacity building; Developments/Democracy

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Project Number : T-2000/274

BUDGET LINE B7-709

“Support for and Supervision of, Electoral Processes”

Budget line B7-709

Targeted Projects

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-709

Project Title:

EU Election Observation Mission to Peru, General Election 8 April 2001

Summary:

An Election Unit of approximately six people will be deployed in Lima at the end of February. It will be headed by a Chief Observer and will consist of election experts to observe the whole election process. Shortly afterwards some ten Long Term Observers (LTOs) will be deployed throughout the country to report on the conduct of the election campaign and administrative preparation in the regions. A few days before polling day about 32 Short Term Observers (STOs) will arrive in Peru and will be deployed throughout the country to observe election day procedures. After a full debriefing of all observers the Chief Observer will release a statement on the conduct of the election process. Should a second round be necessary to elect a President the EU Election Observation Mission will maintain its full presence on the ground and will deploy the same numbers of STOs shortly before the second round polling day. A Final Report, containing also recommendations to improve future election process, will be released not more than two weeks after the completion of the process. The EU Election Observation Mission will co-operate closely with other international observation missions and, in particular, the scheduled observation Mission of the Organisation of the American States and will maintain contact with domestic NGOs involved in monitoring the election process.

Duration (months): 9

Total Budget: € 1 169 000

EC Grant: € 1 169 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Peru

Areas of Activities: Support for electoral processes

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Project Number : T-2000/093a

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-709

Project Title:

Support for the Electoral Process in Peru

Summary:

The aim of the project is to contribute to the enhancement of an atmosphere for democratic elections in Peru. The first part of the project will foster equitable use of the media by political parties and candidates, discouraging attempts to unfair use of the media by political actors, and also to try to ensure impartiality by the government in the use of public resources, not favouring any of the political contenders.

In the second part of the project, the goal is the improvement of the electoral officers capacity and the level of the voters' education for the forthcoming presidential and parliamentary elections, facilitating information on electoral procedures to the different actors involved in the election process.

Duration (months): 9

Total Budget: € 386 000

EC Grant: € 295 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Peru

Areas of Activities: Support for electoral processes

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-709

Project Title:

Support to the Ombudsman for Electoral Supervision, Voter Education and Social Awareness for the General Election in Peru.

Summary:

This project aims at supporting the Ombudsman in the areas of electoral supervision (one of the aspects of its activity in strengthening human rights), voter education and the development of social awareness. The activities foreseen in the project will take place mainly in regions under former military control.

Duration (months): 9

Total Budget: € 301 991

EC Grant: € 200 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Peru

Areas of Activities: Support for electoral processes

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-709

Project Title:

Electoral Observation and Voter Education in the General Elections in Peru.

Summary:

The project aims to strengthen rule of law and democracy in the current transitional period, through the implementation of voter education activities and electoral observation in sensitive areas formerly controlled by the army. The Peace Council is a permanent civil society organisation with official endorsement. For ten years it has been a common forum to churches, trade unions, university bodies and other associations.

Duration (months): 9

Total Budget: € 114 335

EC Grant: € 85 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Peru

Areas of Activities: Support for electoral processes

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-709

Project Title:

EU Observation of Sri Lanka Parliamentary elections.

Summary:

The aim of the project is i) to produce an informed statement on the organisation and conduct of the election and the electoral machinery, including recommendations for improvements in the process for future elections on the basis of data collected during the observation of the electoral process, including the campaign period, the polling and counting process, and immediate post-election events; ii) to contribute, by its very presence, to the reduction of the possibility of electoral frauds and illegal procedures that could invalidate the electoral process and de-legitimise it in the view of the population, as well as increase friction between political parties; iii) To contribute to reducing the level of tension and violence linked to the electoral campaign.

Duration (months): 6 weeks

Total Budget: € 701 385

EC Grant: € 701 385

Beneficiary Country(ies): Sri Lanka

Areas of Activities: Support for electoral processes

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Project Number : T-2000/095

EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-709

Project Title:

Election Observation in Zimbabwe

Summary: Summary not available

Duration (months): N/A

Total Budget: € N/A

EC Grant: € 1 830 000

Beneficiary Country(ies): Zimbabwe

Areas of Activities: Support for electoral processes

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EUROPEAN INITIATIVE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Macro Projects Compendium 2001

Budget line B7-709

Project Title:

EU Component within the Glog Observation Mission-General Elections
Guyana

Summary:

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