

## **MULTILATERAL PROJECTS**

1. Pluriannual UNICEF programme in **Cameroon**: “Unite for children, unite against AIDS”
  - This is the second phase of the integral project to fight against HIV/AIDS and give psychosocial support to orphans and other vulnerable children in Cameroon. The work covers the four areas developed by the campaign: primary prevention of HIV in adolescents; the prevention of mother-to-child transmission of HIV; the provision of pediatric treatment and the protection of children who are orphaned and vulnerable to HIV.
2. UNESCO project entitled “Support to literacy programmes for women and income generating activities: a contribution to the fight against poverty in **Niger** based on Human Right”
  - This second contribution falls within the agreement signed on 7 November 2007 by Andorra and four other small Member States of UNESCO (Cyprus, Luxembourg, Monaco and San Marino). The general objective of the project is to reinforce actions promoting literacy as well as income generating activities in the cities which are benefiting from the first phase of the project, and to allow other women to benefit from these actions in 7 or 8 cities of Niger.
3. Art Camp Andorra, organized by the Andorran National Commission for UNESCO (CNAU)
  - Finances the participation of 9 artists in Art Camp Andorra, from countries with a low human development index (Albania, Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Georgia, Grenada, Haiti, Mongolia, Tunisia and the Ukraine)

## **BILATERAL PROJECTS**

4. Mr. Fernando Bontempi, Honorary Consul of Chile to Andorra – **Chile**
  - Extension of the Lourdes Special School and the Small Cottolengo. Provision of new infrastructure, rehabilitation room for an orphanage for disabled children.
5. Guatemala Foundation – **Guatemala**
  - Strengthening of capacities for the women empowerment and their participation in politics and in issues related to the access and rights to water, so that women can participate in the defense and promotion of their rights, particularly in the decision-making.

6. Voluntary contribution to the project entitled “Home for under-age girls who run away from home” of the Philippine association Meritxell Children’s World – **Philippines**
  - o Second phase of the integrated project of support for under-age girls who are fugitives from their homes and who roam around the streets of Metro-Manila. This second phase is based on the professional training and on the primary school for the youngest girls.

## **EMERGENCIES**

7. FAO – Food crisis
  - o FAO response to the Initiative for Soaring Food Prices (ISFP).
8. RED CROSS – Cyclone Nargis – **Myanmar**
  - o Support for the emergency operation coordinated by the Disaster Emergency Fund of the International Federation of the Red Cross
9. NGOs platform – Cyclone Nargis – **Myanmar**
  - o Campaign in response to calls for emergency aid in the wake of Cyclone Nargis
10. UNICEF – Earthquake in **China**
  - o Campaign for China: Emergency aid for the earthquake in China
11. World Food Programme (WFP) – Hurricane Gustav – **Haiti**
  - o Campaign in response to calls for emergency aid in the wake of Hurricane Gustav’s passage through Haiti
12. RED CROSS – Flooding in **India**
  - o Campaign to help those harmed by the serious floods affecting the northern districts of Bihar state in India

## FUNDS AND PROGRAMMES

### 13. Voluntary contributions to **United Nations** funds and programmes

- Contributions have been made to various funds and programmes in which we have already collaborated and that meet the sectorial criteria of Andorra's Cooperation Management Plan.

UN Capital Development Fund – UNCDF
UN Development Programme – UNDP
UN Fund for Victims of Torture – UNFVT
UNICEF
UN Youth Fund – UNYF
UN Environment Programme – UNEP
UN Programme on HIV/AIDS – HIV/AIDS
World Food Programme – WFP
UN Population Fund – UNPF
UN Development Fund for Women – UNIFEM
Voluntary Trust Fund for Assistance in Mine Action – VTFAMA
Department and Programme for Children in Armed Conflicts
Central Emergency Response Fund – CERF
UN High Commissioner for Refugees – UNHCR
UN Voluntary Fund on Disability – UNVFD

### 14. Voluntary contribution to the **FAO's Special Programme for Food Security (SPFS)**

- The aim of this programme is to halve the numbers of people in the world who suffer from hunger, between now and 2015, by helping Low-Income Food-Deficit Countries (LIFDC), where most of the people who suffer from chronic malnutrition live.

### 15. Voluntary contributions to **UNESCO** funds and programmes

- World Heritage Fund. The Andorran contribution will allow to give financing to the developing small island States so that they can prepare their candidacies for the World Heritage Fund.
- Culture Sector: It gives continuity to the activities funded by the Government of Andorra within the project "Development of cultural ecotourism in the mountain regions of some developing States" (2002, 2004, 2005, 2006 and 2007).
- Section for Youth: The contribution will go to defray the expenses of travel and stay of a young person from Haiti who will take part in the V Youth of UNESCO.

- International Programme for the Development of Communication (IPDC): This specialized programme concentrates exclusively on the construction of means of social communication in developing countries. This year the contribution of Andorra will enable the financing of a project in Afghanistan so that the only magazine for women and in which only Afghan women work will be able to develop its marketing and advertising activities in order to achieve an economic independence and to increase its national print run.
- Cultural Diversity Fund, to support the entry in force of the Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the Diversity of Cultural Expressions. This international legal document reinforces the idea already included in the Universal Declaration on Cultural Diversity, adopted unanimously in 2001. It establishes that cultural diversity has to be considered as “the common heritage of humanity” and makes its “defence an ethical imperative indissociable from respect for the dignity of the individual”.

16. Contribution to the **Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE)**, projects in **Bosnia Herzegovina** and the **Ukraine**

- The project in Bosnia Herzegovina helps to strengthen democratic society by promoting democratic culture in schools, encouraging feelings of belonging and commitment to a democratic system of government, and making people aware of the common fundamental values needed to build a free, just and tolerant society, among other objectives.
- The object of the Ukraine project is to promote public and private cooperation and produce good practice guidelines. In this way, public agents are made aware and capable of mobilizing the private sector and creating economic opportunities for young people who could be the victims of trafficking, offering work opportunities to children from orphanages who have finished their professional training.

17. Voluntary contribution to the **Council of Europe**

- This programme for the continuous training of educational staff enables educational staff from the 49 member states – including Andorra – to take part in national seminars for short-term continuous training, organized in one of the member countries, and in European seminars, organized by the Council of Europe in collaboration with the German authorities, which are held at the German academy of Donaueschingen.
- The Select Committee of Experts on the Evaluation of Anti-Money Laundering Measures (MONEYVAL) is responsible for studying the laws and practices for combating the laundering of the proceeds of crime, through a mutual evaluation procedure, in the 25 member states of the Council of Europe who are not members of the Financial Action Task Force (FATF-GAFI)

- The object of the Committee for the Prevention of Torture (CPT) is to evaluate the need for action to meet the Committee's recommendations for three pilot countries: Albania, Georgia and Moldavia.
  - Programme to carry out a life project for unaccompanied migrant minors, present in Europe
18. Contribution to the *Fonds Multilatéral Unique* of the **International Organization of La Francophonie (OIF)**, specifically:
- To the *Programme Spécial de Développement* (PSD), which backs supportive initiatives in civil society in developing countries, principally in French-speaking Africa.
  - To the CLAC programme (Reading and Cultural Animation Centres), whose objective is to improve the integration of public reading into the cultural policies of developing French-speaking countries. According to the sectorial criteria of the Ministry, the money will allow to buy books on gender equality for the African centers.
19. Voluntary contribution to the **Ibero-American General Secretariat (SEGIB)**, specifically to the Andorra Fund – set up in 2006 – with the object of financing development cooperation projects in Latin American countries.
- The Andorra Fund has contributed to the management programme of hybrid resources. This contribution allows Andorra to join formally this programme, and also fills the participation of Guatemala, so that the Guatemalan can benefit from the training courses that will be offered within this programme.

## **SUBSIDIES TO ANDORRAN CIVIL ENTITIES**

### **20. UNICEF Andorra**

- Improvement of access to basic social services and the prevention of HIV/AIDS among indigenous communities – **Congo**  
2nd Phase of the project to contribute to developing a national policy that is sensitive to improving the situation of indigenous children and women and support for the organization and empowerment of a national network of indigenous people in Congo, so that they themselves can be involved in improving their own situation.

## 21. **IBO Foundation Africa**

- Nutritional support centre on Ibo island, for pregnant women and children – **Mozambique**

2nd Phase of the pluriannual project which has the objective of reinstating the Nutritional Support Centre, training the local staff at the centre and organizing workshops for pregnant mothers, as well as buying medical, educational and agricultural material, with the aim of improving nourishment and nutrition on the island, with a special interest in children under the age of 5 and pregnant women.

## 22. **Manos Unidas**

- Extension to Paula Montal Educational Centre – **Dominican Republic**

2nd Phase of a project that aims to provide children and young people from the most marginalized sectors of the Sant Miguel district with a complete education, to enable them to finish their compulsory education by, in this case, finalizing the construction of the new annex to a school.

## 23. **Randy Explorer Foundation**

- Together for water – **Costa Rica**

Environmental education project for the children from three schools, through various activities that help to deepen their understanding of how essential water resources are to life, through the preparation of an educational manual.

## 24. **Infants del Món**

- Extension and equipment of schools in Rohal, Salaches and Tekpossa – **Cambodia**

2nd Phase of the pluriannual project which aims to educate the greatest possible number of children by extending the school infrastructure, considering the local problems caused by a lack of schoolrooms and the bad state of some schools, so improving the quality of education and maximizing economic development in the sectors covered by the projects: bricklayers, electricians, carpenters, etc.

## 25. **Caritas Andorra**

- Training processes to strengthen the role and transformation of women – **Colombia**

Training a group of men and women with the aim of encouraging an organization for developing initiatives that change the educational, cultural, social and political structures that favour gender-based violence.

## 26. **Intermón Oxfam**

- Support for strengthening family socio-economic capacities – **Haiti**

Project for the sustainable development of Goyavier commune through improvements in access to means of agricultural production – especially water and agricultural inputs – through the construction of three rainwater tanks, to intensify and extend shellfish farming, and empower the beneficiaries.

27. **Andorran Red Cross**

- Food security to benefit 40 women's groups– **Burkina Faso**  
2nd Phase of the pluriannual project agreed between the Andorran Red Cross and the Burkina Be Red Cross, designed to raise, secure and improve the income of the members of the various women's production groups (*Groupements Villageois Féminins* or GVF) in a sustainable fashion, to strengthen the organizational, institutional and economic capacities of the women's structures already created, and so improve food security and the socio-economic conditions of the inhabitants of the province of Soum.

28. **North/South Tandem**

- Search for and treat water in order to obtain drinking water – **Argentina**  
Supply a reserve of water for consumption in a totally water-deficient area, by way of a rainwater collection tank.

29. **ACS – Associació Cooperants amb el Sàhara**

- 3rd Andorran Solidarity Convoy to the Sahara  
Humanitarian convoy dispatched to the Saharan camps at Tindouf (**Algeria**) to take medical material, in particular, to the Norberto-Villanueva pediatric hospital, at Dahita de Güelta, Wilaia de El Aaiun.

30. **Sant Joan Bosco Foundation**

- Restoration of the schoolrooms and computer rooms at the Don Bosco technical college– **Congo**  
This project allows for 30 young people with no resources to be educated at a technical training centre, to facilitate integration into the working world, and to restore, optimize and secure the teaching areas, in order to increase training capacity in computers, especially for women.

## Low budget projects

### 31. **North/South Tandem**

- Project to aid the medical dispensary and the “Morning Star” school on the island of La Vache – **Haiti**  
Provision of a year’s medicines to the dispensary to meet the needs of a population of 8.000, maintenance and destruction of old medicines. Economic aid to the island’s orphanage, housing 50 children with mental problems and physical disabilities. Supply of uniforms, shoes and educational material for 250 schoolchildren between the ages of 4 and 16.

### 32. **UNICEF**

- Postgraduate studies in the Rights of the Child – **Andorra**  
Co-financing of the second course of Postgraduate studies in the Rights of the Child at the University of Andorra.

### 33. **Infants del Món**

- Food for poor families in areas of **Cambodia** and **Vietnam**  
Food aid project via the purchase and distribution of rice among the poorest families of Cambodia and Vietnam to guarantee a basic diet.

### 34. **Fundació Muntanyencs per l’Himàlaia**

- Choki Traditional Art School (CCTAS) – **Bhutan**  
Purchase of a 4-wheel drive vehicle to meet any emergency, considering the geographically isolated location of the school.

### 35. **Sant Joan Bosco Foundation**

- Books for the St. Jean de Galabatja primary school – **Central African Republic**  
Purchase of text books for the primary school with the aim of providing an educational resource to the teachers and improve their working conditions, and to provide each student with a tool for personal work.