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State of Implementation of Requests for Preparatory and Emergency Assistance and Training under the World Heritage Fund

I. Preparatory Assistance:
a) Projects implemented

Year	State	Form of Assistance	Cost	Observations
1978	Syrian Arab Republic	1 expert (preservation of cultural heritage) (13-27.5.1978)	.....funds spent : \$2,500	
1979	Nigeria	1 expert (preservation of cultural heritage) (2.1-18.2.1979)	.....funds obligated : \$7,548	
		1 expert (conservation of natural heritage) (5.1-13.2.1979)	.....funds obligated : \$7,336	
1979	Egypt	1 expert (preservation of Islamic monuments) (17.2-12.3.1979)	.....funds obligated : \$4,519	
		1 expert (preservation of Pharaonic monuments) (17.2-13.3.1979)	.....funds obligated : \$3,168	
1979	Malta	1 expert (architectural restoration) (25.3-1.4.1979)	.....funds obligated : \$1,450	
1979	Nepal	1 expert (conservation of cultural heritage) (1-15.5.1979)	.....funds obligated : \$1,936	
		1 expert (conservation of natural heritage) (17.4-17.5.1979)	.....funds obligated : \$5,550	

a) Projects implemented (cont'd)

Year	State	Form of Assistance	Cost	Observations
1979	Tanzanie	1 expert (preservation of cultural heritage) (2.8.79-19.8.79)	.....funds obligated : \$4,687	
1979	Zaire	1 expert (natural heritage) (18.8-1.9.79)	.....funds obligated : \$5,530	

b) Requests approved

Year	State	Form of Assistance	Cost	Observations
1979	Ethiopia	1 expert (wild life conservation) (4 weeks)	.....estimated cost : \$5,530	Pending
		1 expert (human settlements) (4 weeks)	.....estimated cost : \$5,530	Pending
1979	Malta	1 expert (cultural heritage, specialist in climatology and hydrology) (4 weeks)	.....estimated cost : \$4,200	Under recruitment
1979	Pakistan	2 experts (cultural heritage; 1 in conservation) (4 weeks each)	.....estimated cost : \$10,000	Under recruitment
		1 expert (natural heritage, preparation of nominations) (4 weeks)	.....estimated cost : \$5,000	Under recruitment

c) Requests pending

Year	State	Form of Assistance	Cost	Observations
1979	Guatemala	1 expert ecologist (4 weeks)	.....estimated cost : \$5,000	

I. Emergency Assistance

a) Projects implemented

Year	State	Form of Assistance	Cost	Observations
1979	Nepal	Financial assistance for consolidation of the Swayambhu Temple in the Valley of Kathmandu.	.....estimated cost of the work : \$60,000.....funds granted under WHF : \$30,000	The foundations of the Temple have been weakened by landslides following the monsoon rains of summer 1978.
1979	Guatemala	Financial assistance for purchase of equipment in connection with restoration and preservation of Antigua Guatemala.	.....funds granted under WHF : \$50,000	The site has been endangered by earthquakes and very heavy rainfall.

III. Training

a) Requests approved

Year	State	Form of Assistance	Cost	Observations
1979	Tanzania	9 months' training in United Kingdom in architectural conservation and museology.	.....estimated cost : \$13,500	The fellow has been enrolled for the course.
1979	Tunisia	10 months' training in France in preservation, restoration, and rehabilitation of the architectural heritage.	.....estimated cost : \$13,000	The fellow will commence the course in October 1979.
1979	Nepal	2 year training course in nature conservation and natural resource management in USA or New Zealand.	.....estimated cost : \$33,000	Placement of fellow is underway.
1979	Ghana	6 months' training at ICCROM in architectural conservation.	.....estimated cost : \$10,800	The fellow is enrolled at ICCROM for the course starting in January 1980.