

total of 172 countries contributed to UNFP in 2005—making it another record-breaking year, up from the 2004 record of 166. Every nation in sub-Saharan Africa pledged funds to UNFP in 2005. The support for UNFP's mandate was also reaffirmed at the 2005 World Summit—the largest ever gathering of world leaders—which committed to achieving universal access to reproductive health by 2015, along with the Millennium Development Goals. UNFP is the world's largest multilateral source of population assistance to developing countries.

INCOME

Total regular and other income in 2005 was \$565 million, compared to \$506.1 million for 2004.

Regular income in 2005 totalled \$365.8 million, an increase of 11.6 per cent compared to the 2004 income of \$327.7 million. This includes \$351.2 million in voluntary contributions from donor governments and private contributions from the Mars Trust and the 34 Million Friends campaign, \$6.3 million in interest income, and other income of \$8.3 million. Regular resources provide reliable support for UNFPA country programmes in developing countries, primarily through governmental pledges. They also are used for programme support and management and administration of the organization.

Other contributions in 2005 totalled \$199.2 million, an increase of 14.2 per cent compared to \$174.5

million in 2004. The 2005 figure includes interest and other income of \$5.5 million. Income from other resources is earmarked for specific activities. It includes trust funds, cost-sharing programme arrangements and other restricted funds.

EXPENDITURES

Project expenditures (regular resources) in 2005 totalled \$234.3 million, compared to \$221.9 million in 2004. The 2005 figure includes \$186.7 million for country programmes, compared to \$181.6 million in 2004; and \$47.6 million for intercountry (regional and interregional) programmes, compared to \$40.3 million for 2004. Technical support services amounted to \$18.9 million.

Of the total regular resourced expenditures, UNFPA provided \$144.1 million in assistance for

