

**Files of Melanne Verveer,
Assistant to the President and Chief of Staff to the First Lady
Box 42: Files**

Archived from OEOB 100 by Eric Woodard on Dec. 22, 2000

Vital Voices
- Vital Voices

Vital Voices
- Vital Voices

Uruguay

Vital Voices – South America
- Vital Voices

Vitamin A

Voice of America

Volunteer Summit
- Service

Volunteerism
- Service

Voting Rights

Vouchers

Washington

War Crimes Tribunal

Welfare

Welfare

Welfare Reform

Welfare Reform

White House Culture Conference

White House Fellows

ENCLOSURES FILED OVERSIZE ATTACHMENTS

20058

NAM 17262

White House Historical Association
- White House Preservation

World Health Organization

WIN

Women
- Domestic Women's Issues

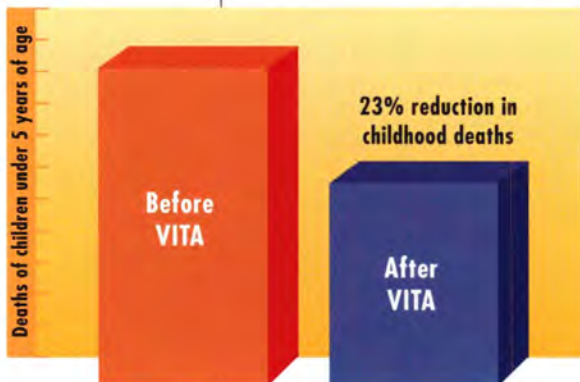
PHOTOCOPY
PRESERVATION

*The Global
Vitamin A Effort:
Forging Public-Private Partnerships*

March 16, 1999

Cheri Malanick
VITA Coordinator
USAID/G/PHN/HN
Room 3.07-041, RRB
1300 Pennsylvania Ave.
Washington, D.C. 20523
Tel: (202) 712-0648
E-mail:
cmalanick@usaid.gov

*Child Survival:
Vitamin A Decreases
Mortality*



USAID'S ENHANCED VITAMIN A EFFORT: *SAVING LIVES AROUND THE WORLD*

Introduction

For less than a penny a week per child, the deaths of as many as one million children under the age of five in developing countries could be averted. The cause of these deaths and also the leading cause of child blindness, is not a microbe or parasite, but a simple deficiency of a vital nutrient, vitamin A. Worldwide, more than 250 million young children and many of their mothers are vitamin A deficient, increasing the severity of common illnesses and their risk of death. USAID-supported research confirms that vitamin A is a powerful child survival tool, reducing overall child mortality by 23-34 percent. A more aggressive global approach to vitamin A delivery will extend the child survival impact of vitamin A.

The VITA Effort

Given these findings, USAID has launched VITA, an enhanced effort to reduce vitamin A deficiency. By coordinating efforts to enhance supplementation and food-based approaches, including fortification and nutrition education, vitamin A deficiency can be virtually eliminated. However, USAID cannot accomplish this alone. USAID is creating a multi-sectoral Alliance comprised of the private sector, non-governmental organizations (NGOs), private-voluntary organizations (PVOs), and civic organizations. Their

combined efforts and expertise will help to reduce child mortality by up to 30 percent over the next five years by improving vitamin A sufficiency in young children and their mothers. The VITA Alliance will create a leadership role for our domestic partners to shape the global agenda and to position the U.S. at the vanguard of the international VITA effort.

VITA Strategies

VITA will use multiple strategies to fight vitamin A deficiency by:

- Providing vitamin A supplements to young children and mothers, particularly in Asia and Africa
- Increasing the regular consumption of vitamin A-rich foods through dietary diversification
- Fortifying commonly eaten foods such as sugar, flour, and cooking oil with vitamin A

Areas of Potential Collaboration

The following activities are the basis of the VITA Alliance strategy to achieve VITA's objectives:

- Develop and market vitamin A-fortified foods in developing countries where the need and the market potential exist
- Provide assistance to U.S. companies at international, regional, and country levels to promote policies and programs, overcome barriers, and develop strategies to expand the distribution of fortified foods
- Enhance the quality and safety of foods produced in developing countries to meet international standards, thereby increasing the number of potential partners for joint ventures
- Work with host country governments to establish sustainable delivery systems, for example, through integration of vitamin A delivery into child survival and maternal health programs
- Support nutrition education campaigns designed to benefit all, particularly at-risk populations' consumption of vitamin A-rich foods
- Collaborate with our alliance partners to identify areas of mutual interest in research and technology development

Benefits to the VITA Alliance

- Better collaboration with in-country food industries, multinationals and USAID missions to establish appropriate fortification programs and/or nutrition education/vitamin A marketing campaigns to improve public nutrition and potentially increase the market demand for vitamin A-fortified foods
- Increased capacity of host countries to: establish quality assurance and control of vitamin A products; monitor vitamin A status; and establish mechanisms for product promotion and distribution
- Appropriate food laws, regulations, and policies developed and adopted to facilitate the marketing and distribution of vitamin A products
- USAID assistance in consumer education and marketing to increase demand for vitamin A products
- Collaboration with USAID on market research and identification of emerging market opportunities in developing countries



Clinton Presidential Records Digital Records Marker

This is not a presidential record. This is used as an administrative marker by the William J. Clinton Presidential Library Staff.

This marker identifies the place of a publication.

Publications have not been scanned in their entirety for the purpose of digitization. To see the full publication please search online or visit the Clinton Presidential Library's Research Room.



USAID's
*Vitamin A
Program*

SAVING THE LIVES OF CHILDREN WORLDWIDE

1965-1998





U. S. AGENCY FOR
INTERNATIONAL
DEVELOPMENT

The Bureau for Humanitarian Response

Office of Food for Peace

The U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) – Office of Food for Peace is guided by the principals of international food assistance as first described in the 1954 Agriculture Trade and Assistance Act – also known as Public Law 480 (P.L.480). These activities were redefined under the “1996 Farm Bill” which re-authorized and amended P.L. 480. This food aid legislation states:

It is the policy of the United States to use its abundant agricultural productivity to promote the foreign policy of the United States by enhancing the food security of the developing world through the use of agricultural commodities and local currencies accruing under this Act to—

- *Combat world hunger and malnutrition and their causes;*
- *Promote broad-based, equitable, and sustainable development, including agricultural development;*
- *Expand international trade:*
- *Develop and expand export markets for United States agricultural commodities; and*
- *Foster and encourage the development of private enterprise and democratic participation in developing countries.*

USAID through the Office of Food for Peace directly manages Title II P.L. 480. In 1998, with a Title II appropriation of \$837 million dollars, the Office of Food for Peace undertook the following:

- Procurement of almost 2 million metric tons of P.L. 480, Title II commodities
 - ⇒ Of which, over 430 thousand metric tons were fortified commodities (fortified with vitamin A and other micronutrients) provided directly to beneficiaries
- The provision of assistance to over 43 million beneficiaries in 54 countries
 - ⇒ Including delivery of vitamin A (and other micronutrient) fortified commodities to over 25 million women, children and men

The Office of Food for Peace through its private voluntary organizations, cooperatives, and international organization partners use Title II food commodities to support both emergency and development activities in developing countries worldwide. These activities frequently fall into the following types of interventions:

- | | |
|------------------------|-------------------------------|
| • Health and Nutrition | • Natural Resource Management |
| • Agriculture | • Micro-enterprise |
| • Education | • Food-For-Work |
| • Water and Sanitation | • General Food Distribution |

*“Food insecurity is not going to go away without American leadership...
Now is the time to stay the course that has served us so well – constructive
engagement to make the world more prosperous and food secure.”*

USAID Administrator J. Brian Atwood, 1997



Canada's Role in Reducing Vitamin A Deficiency

More than two billion people lack sufficient iron, vitamin A and/or iodine. Deficiencies of these nutrients - called "micronutrients" because our bodies require them only in tiny amounts - can cause blindness, reduced immunity, mental impairment, and death. This "hidden hunger", which often goes unseen until it is too late, kills millions of people each year.

For the past decade, the Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA) has played a leading role in fighting hidden hunger in developing countries. Specifically with regards to vitamin A, Canada is a major supporter of programs in developing countries that provide supplements and fortify foods with this essential vitamin. For example:

- ❖ In 1998, CIDA provided UNICEF and other agencies with 400 million vitamin A capsules for distribution in more than 50 developing countries. These capsules helped protect millions of children from illness, and saved over 200,000 young lives. In 1999, CIDA will provide an additional 455 million vitamin A capsules. Canada is also contributing to a World Health Organization program to add vitamin A supplements to its global immunization program.
- ❖ CIDA is working to encourage other countries to make micronutrient programming a priority, and to raise public awareness about micronutrient malnutrition. CIDA is working with UNICEF and USAID on a global advocacy campaign. Canada has worked to ensure that all edible oil distributed through the World Food Program will be fortified with vitamin A.
- ❖ Canada is a founding member of the Micronutrient Initiative (MI). The Ottawa-based MI has become an important international centre for programming, research, education, and advocacy. It supports projects providing vitamin supplements, and works to fortify staple foods such as salt, sugar, cereals and oils with vitamin A.
- ❖ In 1998, CIDA launched its "Vitamin A Plus" strategy with a new program to improve vitamin A coverage. This includes increased collaboration with UNICEF to distribute vitamin supplements through maternal, pre-school, immunization, and other programs such as special vitamin A days. CIDA and the MI will also promote fortified foods by building partnerships among governments, food companies, NGOs, and research centres.
- ❖ A CIDA-funded study combining data from many different parts of the world was carried out by George Beaton of the University of Toronto. It showed that providing vitamin A to children under five can lower mortality rates by 23 percent on average in target areas. This internationally-recognized study is the basis for many international policies to eliminate vitamin A deficiency.

According to Diane Marleau, Minister for International Cooperation and Minister responsible for La Francophonie, "Canada remains committed to reducing the suffering caused by vitamin A deficiency".





Le rôle du Canada dans la réduction de l'avitaminose A

Plus de deux milliards de personnes n'absorbent pas suffisamment de fer, de vitamine A ou d'iode. De telles carences en nutriments — appelés « micronutriments » parce que l'organisme n'en requiert qu'une infime quantité — peuvent causer la cécité, une immunodéficience, la déficience mentale et même la mort. Cette « faim cachée », que l'on ne perçoit que trop tard, tue des millions de personnes chaque année.

Au cours des dix dernières années, l'Agence canadienne de développement international (ACDI) a joué un rôle majeur dans la lutte contre la faim cachée dans les pays en développement. Le Canada appuie fortement des programmes dans les pays en développement en ce qui a trait à l'avitaminose A. Leur objectif consiste à fournir des suppléments et à enrichir les aliments de cette vitamine essentielle. Par exemple :

- ❖ En 1998, l'ACDI a fourni à l'UNICEF et à d'autres agences 400 millions de capsules de vitamine A afin qu'elles soient distribuées dans plus de 50 pays en développement. Ces capsules ont permis de protéger des millions d'enfants de la maladie et de sauver la vie de plus de 200 000 enfants. En 1999, l'ACDI fournira 455 millions de capsules de vitamine A. Le Canada participe également à un programme de l'Organisation mondiale de la santé, qui cherche à intégrer des suppléments de vitamine A à son programme général de vaccination.
- ❖ L'ACDI exhorte d'autres pays à accorder la priorité aux programmes de micronutriments, et elle sensibilise le public à cette forme de carence. Elle collabore également avec l'UNICEF et l'USAID dans le cadre d'une campagne mondiale de sensibilisation. Par ailleurs, le Canada veille à ce que les huiles comestibles distribuées grâce au Programme alimentaire mondial soient enrichies en vitamine A.
- ❖ Le Canada est l'un des membres fondateurs de l'Initiative sur les micronutriments, dont le secrétariat établi à Ottawa est devenu un important centre mondial de programmation, de recherche, d'éducation et de sensibilisation. L'initiative permet d'appuyer des projets visant l'apport de suppléments vitaminiques, et d'enrichir en vitamine A des aliments de base comme le sel, le sucre, les céréales et les huiles.
- ❖ En 1998, l'ACDI a mis en oeuvre sa nouvelle stratégie « vitamine A plus », dans le cadre d'un nouveau programme visant à élargir la couverture du programme de suppléments vitaminiques. Il s'agira notamment d'accroître la collaboration avec l'UNICEF pour distribuer des suppléments dans le cadre des programmes de maternité, d'enseignement préscolaire, d'immunisation et autres (par exemple des journées spéciales consacrées à la vitamine A). L'ACDI et l'Initiative sur les micronutriments feront la promotion d'aliments enrichis, en établissant des partenariats entre les gouvernements, les entreprises d'alimentation, les ONG et les centres de recherche.
- ❖ Une étude financée par l'ACDI et rassemblant des données de différentes régions du monde a été menée par le professeur George Beaton de l'Université de Toronto. Elle révèle qu'un apport de vitamine A chez les enfants de moins de cinq ans permet de réduire de 23 % en moyenne les taux de mortalité dans certaines régions. Nombre de politiques mondiales de lutte contre l'avitaminose A se fondent sur cette étude reconnue internationalement.

Selon Diane Marleau, ministre de la Coopération internationale et ministre responsable de la Francophonie, « le Canada s'engage à poursuivre ses efforts pour réduire la souffrance causée par l'avitaminose ».



Participant List
The Global Vitamin A Effort: Forging Public-Private Partnerships
MARCH 16, 1999

Sir Jorge Allyne
Director
Pan American Health Organization
525 23rd St., NW
Washington, DC 20037

Mr. James G. Amato
President
Sister Cities International
Suite 250
1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20004

Karen Anderson
Bureau for Legislative and Public Affairs
US Agency for International Development

J. Brian Atwood
Administrator
US Agency for International Development

Harriet C. Babbitt
Deputy Administrator
US Agency for International Development

Ben Barber
State Department and Diplomatic Reporter
The Washington Times
3600 New York Avenue, NE
Washington, DC 20002

Victor Barbiero
Chief
Child Survival Division, Office of Health
and Nutrition
US Agency for International Development

Carol Bellamy
Executive Director
UNICEF, 3 UN Plaza

New York, NY 10017

His Excellency Mohamed Benaissa
Embassy of the Kingdom of Morocco
1601 21st Street, NW
Washington, DC 20009

Terry Brown
Bureau for Management
US Agency for International Development

Jill Buckley
Assistant Administrator
Bureau for Legislative and Public Affairs
US Agency for International Development

Mr. Jay Byrne
Director of Public Affairs
Monsanto Company
800 North Lindbergh Boulevard
St. Louis, MO 63167

Mr. John Cady
President
National Food Processors Association
1350 Eye Street, N.W.
3rd Floor
Washington, DC 20005

Ms. Martha Cashman
Vice President for International
Development
Land O' Lakes
P.O. Box 64101
St. Paul, Minnesota 55164-0101

His Excellency Naresh Chandra
Embassy of India
2107 Massachusetts Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20008

His Excellency Samson Kipkoech Chemai
Embassy of the Republic of Kenya
2249 R Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20008

Ms. Clesteen A. Clark
Vice President, Worldwide Nutrition
Marketing
Kellogg Company
1 Kellogg Square
P.O. Box 3599
Battle Creek, MI 49016

E. Thomas Coleman
BASF Corporation
Washington, DC

Mr. Hector Cori
Global Director
Nutrition Intervention Programs
Roche Vitamins, Inc.
45 Waterview Boulevard
Parsippany, NJ 07054-1298

Dr. Nils Daulaire
Global Health Council
20 Palmer Court
White River Jct., VT 05001

Frances Davidson
Child Survival Division
Office of Health and Nutrition
US Agency for International Development

Vincenza DeAngelis
Special Assistant to the Minister for
International Cooperation and La
Francophonie
Government of Canada
Hull, Quebec Canada K1A 0G4

Rachel Delfino
Presidential Assistant and Public Affairs
Republic of the Philippines
San Lazaro Compound
Rizal Ave., Sta. Cruz
Manila 1003
Philippines

Dr. Montague W. Demment
Director, Global Livestock CRSP and
Professor
University of California, Davis
Davis, CA

Vivian Lowery Derryck
Assistant Administrator
Africa Bureau
US Agency for International Development

Marita M. Ejercito
Sister-in-law of the First Lady of the
Philippines
Malacanan Palace
Manila 1003
Philippines

Pilarica M. Ejercito
Sister-in-law of the First Lady of the
Philippines
Malacanan Palace
Manila 1003
Philippines

Dr. Luisa Ejercito Estrada
First Lady of the Philippines
Office of the President
Malacanan Palace
Manila 1003
Philippines

Mr. James Ervin
First Vice President
Lions Club International
300 22nd Street
Oak Brook, Ill 60523-8842

Thomas H. Fox
Bureau for Policy and Program Coordination
US Agency for International Development

Genoveva dela Fuente
Sister of the First Lady of the Philippines
Malacanan Palace
Manila 1003
Philippines

Dr. Victor L. Fulgoni III
Vice President of Food and Nutrition
Research
Kellogg Company
1 Kellogg Square
P.O. Box 3599

His Excellency Damodar Gautam
Royal Nepalese Embassy
2131 Leroy Place, NW
Washington, D.C. 20008

Christopher E. Goldthwait
Associate Administrator and General
Manager
Foreign Agricultural Service
Department of Agriculture
South Building
1400 Independence Ave., SW
Washington, D.C. 20250

Duff Gillespie
Deputy Assistant Administrator
Population, Health and Nutrition
US Agency for International Development

The Honorable Tony P. Hall (D-OH)
United States Congress
1436 Longworth House Office Building

Washington, DC 20515

Mr. Bill Hudson
Vice President
CalWestern Packaging Company, Inc.
P.O. Box 1387
Greenwood, Arkansas 72936-1387

Reynaoldo M. Jebelosa
Close-in-photographer
Republic of the Philippines
San Lazaro Compound
Rizal Ave., Sta. Cruz
Manila 1003
Philippines

His Excellency Dunstan Weston Kamana
Embassy of the Republic of Zambia
2419 Massachusetts Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20008

Dr. Hans Kast
President
Consumer Products and Life Science
BASF Corporation
3000 Continental Drive North
Mt. Olive, NJ 07828

Mr. Hideaki Kobayashi
Envoy Extraordinary and Minister of
Plenipotentiary
Embassy of Japan
2520 Massachusetts Ave. N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20008-2869

His Excellency Kobina Arthur Koomson
Embassy of Ghana
3512 International Drive, NW
Washington, DC 20008

Huguette Labelle
President
The Canadian International Development
Agency

200 Promenade du Portage
Hull, Quebec Canada K1A 0G4
Mr. Arnold G. Langbo
Chairman of the Board
Chief Executive Officer
Kellogg Company
1 Kellogg Square
P.O. Box 3599
Battle Creek, MI 49016

Ernest Loevinsohn
Director
Food Aid Center and Multilateral Policy
Canadian International Development Agency
200 Promenade du Portage
Hull, Quebec Canada K1A 0G4

Cheri Malanick
Child Survival Division
Office of Health and Nutrition
US Agency for International Development

The Honorable Diane Marleau
Minister for International Cooperation and
Minister responsible
for La Francophonie
Hull, Quebec Canada K1A 0G4

Singleton McCallister
General Counsel
US Agency for International Development

Dr. Susan Pineda Mercado
Undersecretary for Health
Republic of the Philippines
San Lazaro Compound
Rizal Ave., Sta. Cruz
Manila 1003
Philippines

Jim Michel
Legal Counselor

US Agency for International Development

Ms. Sharon Mitchell
Vice President for Research and
Development
Food and Beverage Technology Division
The Proctor & Gamble Company
Miami Valley Laboratories
P.O. Box 538707
Cincinnati, OH 54253-8707

His Excellency Mustafa Salim Nyang'Anyi
Embassy of the United Republic of Tanzania
2139 R Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20008

Marianne O'Sullivan
Bureau for Legislative and Public Affairs
US Agency for International Development

Alex Palacios
Senior Program Funding Officer
UNICEF, 3 UN Plaza
New York, NY 10017

Hugh Palmer
Assistant Administrator
Bureau for Humanitarian Response
US Agency for International Development

Nupur Parekh
Bureau for Legislative and Public Affairs
Office of Health and Nutrition
US Agency for International Development

Mr. Terry R. Peel
Edington, Peel & Associates, Inc.
1317 F Street, NW, Suite 200
Washington, DC 20004

The Honorable Nancy Pelosi (D-CA)
United States Congress
2457 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Mr. John E. Pepper
Chairman of the Board
Chief Executive Officer
The Procter & Gamble Company
P.O. Box 599
Cincinnati, OH 45201-0599

Mr. Walter Sellers
Immediate Past President
Kiwanis International
3636 Woodview Trace
Indianapolis, IN 46268

Dr. Susan Pettiss
Helen Keller International
686 Medford Leas
Medford, NJ 08055

Dr. John Sever
Rotary International
1 Rotary Center
1560 Sherman Avenue
Evanston, IL 60201

Mr. Larry Pillard
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer
Tate & Lyle, PLC
Sugar Quay, Lower Thames Street
London, EC3R 6DQ
England

His Excellency K M Shehabuddin
Embassy of the People's Republic of
Bangladesh
2201 Wisconsin Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C 20007

His Excellency Raol Chaves Rabe
Embassy of the Philippines
1600 Massachusetts Ave., NW
Washington, DC 20036

Dr. Moses Sichone
HIV/AIDS Advisor
Zambian Ministry of Health
LUSAKA, ZAMBIA

Ms. Bonnie E. Raquet
President, Cargill Technical Services, Inc.
Vice President Corporate Relations, Cargill
Incorporated
1101 15th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20005

Her Excellency Shiela Sisulu
Embassy of the Republic of South Africa
3051 Massachusetts Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20008

Joy Riggs Perla
Director
Office of Health and Nutrition
US Agency for International Development

Alfred Sommer, MD, MHS
Dean
Johns Hopkins University
School of Hygiene and Public Health
Room 1041
Baltimore, MD 21205

Jeffrey R. Rush
Office of the Inspector General
US Agency for International Development

Sally Squires
Health Reporter
The Washington Post
1150 15th St., NW
Washington, DC 20071-0070

His Excellency Francisco Javier Aguirre
Sacasa
Embassy of the Republic of Nicaragua
1627 New Hampshire Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20009

Her Excellency Edith Grace Ssempala
Embassy of the Republic of Uganda

5911 16th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20011

Diane St. Jacques
Member of Parliament
Canada
200 Promenade du Portage
Hull, Quebec Canada K1A 0G4
Judith Mann Starnes
Columnist

The Washington Post
1150 15th St, NW
Washington, DC 20071-0070

His Excellency William Stixrud
Embassy of Guatemala
2220 R Street, NW
Washington, DC 20008

Ms. Justa K. Tantoco
Chief of Staff
Republic of the Philippines
San Lazaro Compound
Rizal Ave., Sta. Cruz
Manila 1003 Philippines

Barbara Turner
Senior Deputy Assistant Administrator
US Agency for International Development

Dr. Joseph J. Valadez
Chairman of the Board

Contact: Nupur Satish Parekh, Office of Legislative and Public Affairs, USAID
(202) 712-4007

Global Vitamin A Effort.doc

Child Survival Collaboration and Resources
Group
1620 Eye Street, NW, Suite 900
Washington, D.C. 20006

Mr. Hendrik Verfaillie
President
Monsanto Company
800 North Lindbergh Boulevard
St. Louis, MO 63167

Dr. Keith West
Johns Hopkins University
School of Hygiene and Public Health
Room 1041
Baltimore, MD 21205

Brenda Wilson
Science Desk Editor and Correspondent
National Public Radio
635 Massachusetts Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20001-3753

Dr. John Paul Zimmer
Associate Scientific Leader
Roche Vitamins, Inc.
45 Waterview Boulevard
Parsippany, NJ 07054-1298

Name Placecards for March 16 VITA Event

Table 1: Head Table (10)

Mr. Hendrik Verfaillie, President, Monsanto Company
Dr. Alfred Sommer, Dean, Johns Hopkins University
Mrs. Hillary Rodham Clinton, First Lady of the United States
Dr. Luisa Ejercito Estrada, First Lady of the Philippines
The Honorable Tony P. Hall
Mr. J. Brian Atwood, Administrator, USAID
Mr. John E. Pepper, Chairman of the Board, Procter & Gamble
Ms. Carol Bellamy, Executive Director, UNICEF
The Honorable Diane Marleau, Minister for International Cooperation and Minister responsible for La Francophonie
Ms. Judy Mann Starnes, The Washington Post

Table 2: Border Table (10)

Dr. Susan Pettiss, Senior Technical Advisor, Helen Keller International
His Excellency Damodar Gautam, Ambassador, Nepal
Ambassador Harriet C. Babbitt, Deputy Administrator, USAID
Mr. Arnold G. Langbo, Chairman of the Board & CEO, Kellogg Company
Ms. Sally Squires, The Washington Post
Sir Jorge Allyne, Director, Pan American Health Organization
Dr. John Sever, Rotary International
The Honorable Nancy Pelosi
Mr. Larry Pillard, Chief Executive, Tate & Lyle, Plc
Dr. Hans Kast, President, Consumer Products Division, BASF Corporation

Table 3: Border Table (10)

Ms. Jill Buckley, Assistant Administrator, USAID
Mr. Walter Sellers, Past President Kiwanis International
His Excellency Dunstan Weston Kamana, Ambassador, Republic of Zambia
Ms. Barbara Turner, Senior Deputy Assistant Administrator, USAID
Dr. Hector Cori, Global Director, Nutrition Intervention Program, Roche Vitamins, Inc.
Mr. Ben Barber, The Washington Times
Dr. Keith West, Johns Hopkins University
Mr. Bill Hudson, Vice President, CalWestern Packaging Company
His Excellency William Stixrud, Ambassador, Guatemala
Mr. Mark Schneider, Assistant Administrator, Latin America and Caribbean, USAID

Table 4: Border Table (10)

Ms. Martha Cashman, Vice President, International Development, Land O'Lakes
Her Excellency Shiela Sisulu, Ambassador, Republic of South Africa
Mr. John Cady, President, National Food Processors Association
His Excellency Naresh Chandra, Ambassador, India
Mr. James Ervin, First Vice President, Lions Club International
Dr. Duff Gillespie, Deputy Assistant Administrator, USAID
The Honorable Hideaki Kobayashi, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister, Japanese Embassy
Ms. Luran Neergaard, Associated Press
Dr. Susan Pineda-Mercado, UnderSecretary for Health, Philippines
Ms. Huguette LaBelle, President, Canadian International Development Agency

Table 5: (10)

Ms. Clesteen A. Clark, Vice President, Worldwide Nutrition Marketing, Kellogg Company
Dr. Joseph J. Valadez, Chairman of the Board, Child Survival Collaboration & Resources
The Honorable Diane St. Jacques, Member of the Canadian Parliament
Mr. Christopher E. Goldthwait, Associate Administrator, Foreign Agriculture Service USDA
His Excellency K M Shehabuddin, Ambassador, Peoples Republic of Bangladesh
Mr. Thomas Fox, Assistant Administrator, USAID
His Excellency Francisco Javier Aguirre Sacasa, Ambassador, Republic of Nicaragua
Ms. Bonnie Raquet, President, Cargill Technical Services, Inc.
Mr. Hugh Palmer, Assistant Administrator, USAID
Dr. Montague W. Demment, University of California, Davis

Table 6: (10)

Mr. Terry R. Peel, Edington, Peel & Associates, Inc
Dr. Nils Daulaire, President, Global Health Council
Her Excellency Edith Grace Ssempala, Ambassador, Uganda
Dr. Moses Sichone, HIV/AIDs Advisor, Zambian Ministry of Health
His Excellency Mustafa Salim Nyang'Anyi, Ambassador, Tanzania
Mr. James G. Amato, President, Sister Cities International
Ms. Vivian Lowery Derryck, Assistant Administrator, USAID
Ms. Justa K. Tantoco, Chief of Staff, First Lady of the Philippines
Mr. Jay Byrne, Director of Public Affairs, Monsanto Company
Ms. Singleton McCallister, General Counsel, USAID

Table 7: (10)

Mr. Ernest Loevinsohn, Director, Food Aid Center,
Canadian International Development Agency
Ms. Sharon Mitchell, Vice President, Research &
Development Food & Beverage, Procter&Gamble
Mr. Alex Palacios , Senior Program Funding
Officer, UNICEF
His Excellency Samson Kipkoech Chemai,
Ambassador, Republic of Kenya
Dr. John Paul Zimmer, Associate Scientific Leader,
Roche Vitamins, Inc
Ms. Genoveva dela Fuente, The Philippines
Ms. Laura Q. Del Rosario, Minister Counselor,
Philippines
Mr. Jim Michel, Legal Counsel, USAID
Ms. Rachel Delfino, Presidential Assistant and
Public Affairs, First Lady of the Philippines
Mr. Jeffrey Rush, Assistant Administrator, USAID

Table 8: (10)

Dr. Victor L. Fulgoni III, Vice President of Food
and Nutrition Research, Kellogg Company
Ms. Marita Ejercito, The Philippines
Ms. Pilarica Ejercito, The Philippines
His Excellency Kobina Arthur Koomson,
Ambassador, Ghana
Ms. Brenda Wilson, National Public Radio
Mr. Terry Brown, Management, USAID
Mr. E. Thomas Coleman, BASF Corporation
Dr. Graeme A. Clugston, Nutrition Unit, WHO
His Excellency Mohamed Benaissa, Ambassador,
Kingdom of Morocco
Mr. Vincenza DeAngelis, Special Assistant to the
Minister for International Cooperation, Canada