

Czech Republic aid to ACEH

May 16, 2006
Banda Aceh

The Czech Republic provided in 2005 **aid of a total of EUR 6.5 million** for the humanitarian emergency, rehabilitation and reconstruction assistance to Aceh. These contributions were provided through direct bilateral aid from Czech government, Czech non-governmental organizations and through United Nations Agencies.



The Czech Republic **humanitarian emergency** aid in 2005 to Aceh included pharmaceuticals and vaccinations, school supplies and toys and water treatment plants. First aid was sent immediately within few hours of disaster and arrived to Medan on December 31, 2004 and the Czech Republic Minister of Foreign Affairs Mr. Cyril Svoboda brought second aid to Banda Aceh and Meulaboh on March 11, 2005.

The Czech Republic **governmental aid for rehabilitation and reconstruction** consists of deliveries of **13 drinking water treatment plants (Viwa 5) and distribution network systems** reconstruction in Banda Aceh, Jantho and Meulaboh. The Czech companies **TESLA** and **GEOTEST** will do the realization of these projects in 2006. The first 3 units of water treatment plants were handed over to Kabupaten Aceh Besar on May 16, 2006.

The Czech Republic **non-governmental aid** for rehabilitation and reconstruction consists of reconstruction of **27 schools in Meulaboh** by **ADRA Czech Republic** and several village and schools rehabilitation projects plus food chain supplies and community life improvement in Banda Aceh, Aceh Besar and Aceh Jaya by **Czech Catholic Charity**.

CZECH REPUBLIC AID TO ACEH in 2005

thousands EUR

	Allocated 2005	Disbursement 2005
Czech humanitarian emergency aid	555	555
Czech governmental aid for rehabilitation and reconstruction	3 086	
Czech non-governmental aid for rehabilitation and reconstruction		
ADRA Czech Republic	1 861	412
Czech Catholic Charity	986	482
Others (estimates)	15	15
Total	6 503	1 464

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