

\$1m pledged for Mozambique

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HARARE — The Commission of the European Communities has pledged more than \$1 million for emergency programmes in Mozambique, a statement from the EEC delegation in Zimbabwe has said.

The programmes, to benefit two Mozambican provinces, will comprise \$740 000 for Zambezia province and \$460 000 for Tete province

and will be implemented by two British non-governmental organisations, Oxfam (UK) and World Vision (UK).

The programme in Tete will be executed from Zimbabwe and will provide emergency rehabilitation programme for displaced peasant farmers. The target is to supply 15 000 families with seeds, tools and extension services support.

This is the third assistance to the Tete province financed by the EEC and executed from Zimbabwe this year. The first was a consignment of 6 000 million tonnes of maize and the second was \$1,86 million worth of maize and the second was \$1,86 million worth of groundnuts, beans, milk powder, blankets and medicines

through the Zimbabwe Freedom from Hunger Campaign.

● The Zimbabwe Defence Forces Welfare Fund last week got a further boost of more than \$3 500 from a local group of companies and a co-operative society.

The Aberfyle group of companies gave \$3 000 and a Harare fruit and vegetable growers' co-operative society gave \$507,50. — Own Corr.