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UN develops millennium project 01/18/2005 – 17:19(GMT+7)

New York, Jan. 18 (VNA) – A 3,000-page report on the UN Millennium Project, called "Investing in Development: A Practical Plan to Achieve the Millennium Development Goals," was submitted to UN Secretary-General Kofi Annan in New York on Monday.

The report contains feasibility studies for improving the economies of many developing and transitional countries and calls for specific investment to address a wide spectrum of problems, not for handouts or charity.

The report recommends that rich countries double their investments in poor countries to reach the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) of halving extreme poverty by 2015 and going beyond to eliminate it by 2025.

"Higher education is at the centre of the development process, but assistance to poor countries often focuses mainly on primary schools," the report says.

According to the report, countries should take advantage of opportunities for their citizens to learn about technologies, along with institutional and management arrangements, at every stage of an infrastructure project.

"This technological learning can promote the private sector and stimulate development," the report reads.-Enditem

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