

UK aid to Maputo up ^{Ch: 13/2/87}

MAPUTO — The British government is making an additional commitment of the equivalent of \$13 million in project aid to Mozambique, the British Minister for Overseas Development, Mr Christopher Patten, announced at a Press conference in Maputo.

Mr Patten said that his government was now discussing with the Mozambican authorities ways in which the money will be spent.

Meanwhile Iran will soon begin supplying Mozambique with oil, the Iranian charge d'affaires in Maputo, Mr Ahmad Naghmeh, said yesterday.

Mr Naghmeh was speaking at a Press conference in the Iranian embassy, held to mark the ninth anniversary of the victory of the Islamic revolution that overthrew the Shah of Iran. — Ziana-AIM.