

## Incorporation At Last!

**A** year in the making, the Alberta Crop Industry Development Fund became a company on May 9th 2001.

With the cooperation of our signatory organizations in **cereals, oilseeds, forages, special crops and horticulture**, we are getting closer to being able to invest in Alberta's crop industries.

To date, the ACIDF has hired a full-time manager, established a permanent office, and developed strategic plans. We have also created an Internet site for distribution of forms, deadlines and other information.

The remaining step is to complete the funding agreement with AAFRD. This process is underway and we are optimistic things will be completed soon.



## Website Announces Application Deadlines

**T**he ACIDF website is operational. Set your browser to [www.acidf.ca](http://www.acidf.ca) for full information on our policies, procedures, partners and deadlines.

The website will be the main distribution point for our sample application form. Volunteers across the industry have been helping us fine tune the paperwork, toward a simple, effective and economical process.

The first year will be a learning year for us. Applications will be accepted beginning June 1, 2001 for projects involving market development, investment attraction or extension projects. Dates for research and science projects have yet to be announced.

For more information:

[www.acidf.ca](http://www.acidf.ca)