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## BAHASA AIRPLANE

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16mm colour, 12 mins. 45 secs.

Most of the work of the United Nations takes place, not in the halls of political debate or the corridors of bureaucracy, but in the rice-paddies, the dispensaries and the training schools of the developing world.

This is one of a series of films, entitled MAKING A DIFFERENCE, celebrating the men and women who have chosen to work, a long way from home, to try and make the world a better place.

BAHASA AIRPLANE is a film about David Andrews, from Oklahoma, who was sent by the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) and the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) to Indonesia, to help strengthen that country's civil aviation network. "Bahasa" in Indonesian, means "language", and "Bahasa Airplane" is what Indonesians increasingly must learn as they build a communications network among the 13,000 islands that form their nation.

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