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### **Canada(Alberta) Geomatics Match-Making Mission**



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### **About ISTPCanada**

- Develops and implements R&D collaboration programs under S&T cooperation agreements between Canada and its key trading partners: India, Brazil, China, and Israel
  - Facilitates new R&D partnerships between Canadian companies, research organizations and counterparts in partner countries
    - Technology matchmaking;
    - Partnership Development Activities (PDA)
  - Invests in bilateral R&D projects with commercial potential
    - Positive sum assured by dual due diligence.



# **Program Funding**

- ISTPCanada is funded by Canadian Federal and Provincial governments.
- Federal
  - DFAIT
- Provincial Governments
  - Alberta
  - British Columbia
  - Ontario
- In discussion with other provinces and federal departments



## **Indian Funding Partners**

- Department of Science and Technology
- Department of Biotechnology
- Global Innovation and Technology Alliances (GITA)



## **ISTPCanada-India Program**

#### **Program Activities**

ISTPCanada and Indian funding partner provides Canadian and Indian companies applicants funding support for collborative R&D Projects

#### **Eligible Applicants**

- Companies (Canada and India)
- Encourage the participation of academia, research institutes and other institutes

(\*Note: Canadian government departments, labs, and crown agencies may participate but cannot be recipient of funding)



# **Typical Bi-lateral R&D Project**

#### **Criteria/Features**

- ✓ Project Led by a Company in Canada and Company in India
- ✓ Proposed project must leverage Canadian and Indian strengths
- ✓Address the priority sectors
- ✓ Participation of academia is encouraged
- ✓ Joint project must address a market need
- Companies must have resources to complete the project and future commercialization
- ✓ Equivalence of effort
- ✓ Benefits to both countries

