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The main objectives for 2006 are to enhance the relevance and effectiveness of UNHCR's protection activities (Global Strategic Objective 1) by initiating a strategic review of state and subregional protection priorities, and incorporating new strategies into national protection work plans. Additionally, UNHCR is strengthening its strategic partnerships within the United Nations system and with NGOs, government authorities and civil society (Global Strategic Objectives 6 and 7) through increased engagement in regional fora such as the Asia-Pacific Consultations (APC) and the Bali Process. A strong focus will be maintained on finding durable solutions for protracted situations in the region (Global Strategic Objectives 2 and 3), as well as on appropriate engagement in new areas such as statelessness and internally displaced people (Global Strategic Objective 5). Finally, the Office is broadening its focus on increasing the level and diversity of funding from traditional and non-traditional donors.