

Developing a responsible course for multinationals

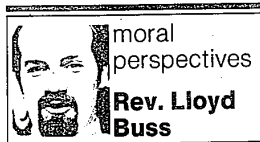
It's mindboggling. The worldwide annual sales of GM or Exxon exceed the gross national products of Venezuela, Argentina or South Korea, and the annual sales of IBM or GE surpasses the gross national product of Thailand, Egypt or Pakistan.

Usually identified as multinationals, it is predicted that by the year 2000, several hundred of these larger multinationals will own between one-half and four-fifths of the world's productive assets.

It is very difficult to measure the effect multinationals have on world-wide development because of the cause and effect relationship and the influences they have over political structures. Another ingredient is the self-righteous attitude multinationals express about their role in over-all development.

ARTHUR FRURER, president of the Swiss-based Nestle says that less developed countries can only develop through economic growth. He claims that "multinationals foster this growth by creating jobs, training workers and injecting know-how and capital into the economy."

Nestle, if anyone has forgotten, is the firm that



has been charged with the unethical distribution of an infant formula that has caused widespread starvation and even death among those unable to maintain use of the formula after discharge from hospital care.

A U.S. Senate subcommittee heard testimony in 1978 that the use of infant formula produced in the United States has caused severe malnutrition and gastroenteritis each year, with many cases leading to death.

IT IS DIFFICULT to know where to start in de-

veloping a more responsible course for multinationals.

Not all are U.S. based and the awesome power the U.S. multinationals reflect make restrictive legislation doubtful. Appeals to national interests are likewise ineffective because of their international scope. When Congress passed a law requiring grain export companies to disclose their international sales, Cargill and Continental, the two largest, shifted their export sales activities to foreign subsidiaries to avoid the law. And more recently, multinational grain companies have shuffled supplies to avoid embargo on grain to Russia. By sending non-U.S. grain to the Soviets, the law is not exactly broken, but certainly not supported.

THERE ARE several ways for us to respond to the threat multinational present, and participation and support of the United Nations' programs would be a first step. The World Health Organization has made some progress in checking Nestle's unethical distribution of the infant formula. A second step

would be to withdraw subsidies and guarantees protecting U.S. multinationals investing in foreign countries. Our Overseas Private Investment Corporation places our money in direct support of any U.S. multinational that might lose its investment in a foreign country due to war, expropriation or being unable to convert currency.

It is the third step that will be more difficult, but in the end, longer-lasting.

We need a new definition of progress and a higher regard for the basic rights of people and countries that we have claimed in need of development.

Laying one brick on top of another is not always progress, and injecting capital and know-how into a country is not always development.

It is a chilling thought to think of oneself as a consumer in a society where the producer has no incentive to profit, and changing that incentive may be well nigh impossible. But for a vast number of people on this earth, they have nothing to lose and everything to gain by trying.

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10:15 AM Second Service
11:15 AM Second Service of Worship

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421-8451

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9:00 AM Christian Education Classes
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E.W. Dunn
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375-0400

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Minister
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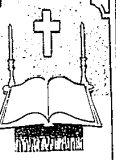
CHURCH SCHOOL 9:30 AM
WORSHIP 11:00 AM

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