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To: Members of the Executive Board

From: The Secretary

Subject: Release of Occasional Paper No. 32

Occasional Paper No. 32, "World Economic Outlook, September 1984: Revised Projections by the Staff of the International Monetary Fund" is available for release to the press on Thursday, September 27, after adjournment of the Annual Meetings, but before the final press conference of the Managing Director. It would be useful to release the paper at that time because there would still be press representatives present in Washington from around the world. Thus, adequate attention could be given to the report and the press would be provided with an additional story. In this connection, Executive Directors will recall the consensus reached during the Executive Board discussion of the Work Program (EBM/84/77, 5/14/84) that the updated survey should be released after the Annual Meetings were over in order to avoid competition with the Annual Report. It is believed that the press coverage of the Annual Report will have been completed by Thursday, September 27 and, accordingly, it is intended to release the Occasional Paper on September 27. It is requested that any Executive Director with any question about the release should contact Mr. Mohammed (662-3465).

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