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To: Members of the Executive Board

From: The Secretary

Subject: Ethiopia - Request for Technical Assistance

The National Bank of Ethiopia has requested technical assistance of a Fund staff member expert in time series data base management systems to assist in formulating plans to establish a data bank for financial and economic statistics. Such assistance would pertain to development of an overall strategy in the area of statistical data base systems and include procedures, capabilities, and methodology for processing time series.

To comply with this request, it is proposed that Mr. Robert Kline, Division Chief, Bureau of Computing Services, be sent to Ethiopia for the period May 2-9, 1984.

In the absence of a request for discussion by an Executive Director by noon on Tuesday, April 17, 1984, the proposal will be deemed to have been approved by the Executive Board and it will be so recorded in the minutes of the next meeting thereafter.

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