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March 19, 1984

To: Members of the Executive Board

From: The Secretary

Subject: Absence of Managing Director and Deputy Managing Director

The Managing Director will be absent from the Fund on Tuesday, March 20, 1984 to attend a meeting in New York convened by the Secretary-General of the United Nations to discuss economic problems in Africa.

Inasmuch as the Deputy Managing Director will also be absent from the Fund on March 20, attending a meeting in New York with commercial bankers on Ecuador, Mr. Whittome has been designated Temporary Acting Managing Director on Tuesday, March 20, 1984.

Other Distribution:  
Department Heads  
Division Chiefs