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To: Members of the Executive Board
From: The Acting Secretary
Subject: Indonesia - Request for Technical Assistance

A request has been received from the Indonesian authorities for technical assistance on the administrative aspects of the major tax reform now being enacted. This includes a new income tax bill covering both companies and individuals; a tax on value added going to the manufacturing stage; and a new tax procedures law to codify tax assessment, return filing and payment. A computer is being installed at the Directorate General of Taxes.

It is proposed to comply with this request and to send a mission to Jakarta for some three weeks in February 1984. The mission would comprise Mr. Richard Latham, Advisor, Fiscal Affairs Department (head), and a secretary. (The mission would be accompanied by three members of the panel of fiscal experts specializing in VAT administration, tax audit, and computer management, respectively.)

In the absence of a request for discussion by an Executive Director by noon on Friday, January 6, 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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