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To: Members of the Executive Board

From: The Secretary

Subject: **Notification of Ongoing GAO Review—Food Crisis in Southern Africa**

In EBD/03/5 (1/17/03), Executive Directors were notified of a request for the Fund to cooperate in an ongoing review of the food crisis in Southern Africa by the U.S. General Accounting Office (GAO). The cover memorandum for that paper indicated that the notification was being circulated to Executive Directors for their comments prior to the Managing Director taking a decision to approve the GAO's request for cooperation. The purpose of this communication is to inform Executive Directors that no comments were received, and the Managing Director has decided to proceed to cooperate with the GAO.

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