

**IMMEDIATE
ATTENTION**

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July 11, 2008

To: Members of the Executive Board
From: The Acting Secretary
Subject: **Executive Board Travel**

The Secretary has received the following memoranda:

1. From Mr. Mozhin, dated July 8, 2008.

Please inform the Executive Board that my Senior Advisor, Mr. Lev Palei, will travel on official Fund business to Moscow for consultations with the Russian authorities. Mr. Palei plans to take a few days of personal leave while on mission.

Mr. Palei intends to leave Washington on Friday, August 1, and return on or about Thursday, August 21, 2008.

2. From Mr. Rutayisire, dated July 8, 2008.

Would you please inform the Executive Board that my Senior Advisors, Mr. Régis N'Sonde, Mr. Mohamed Sidi Bouna, and I will be traveling on official Fund Business to Nouakchott, Mauritania to attend the African Caucus Meeting scheduled on July 31 to August 2, 2008; and Meeting of Management with Mauritanian authorities.

We intend to leave Washington, D.C. on Monday, July 28, 2008 and return Washington, D.C. on or about Monday, August 4, 2008.

3. From Mr. Silva-Ruete, dated July 8, 2008.

Please advise the Executive Board that my Advisor David Vogel will be traveling on official Fund business to Montevideo – Uruguay to participate in the staff mission and to consult with his authorities. After the mission, Mr. Vogel will take some time on personal leave.

Mr. Vogel intends to leave Washington, D.C., on Sunday, August 3, 2008 and return on or about Monday, August 25, 2008.

4. From Mr. Murray, dated July 11, 2008.

Please advise the Executive Board that my Advisor, Mr. Simon Duggan, will travel on official Fund business to the Seychelles to accompany a Staff Visit.

Mr. Duggan will depart Washington, D.C. on July 25 and return on August 5, 2008.

In the absence of objection by the **close of business on Monday, July 14, 2008**, the travel will be deemed approved by the Executive Board and it will be so recorded in the minutes of the next meeting thereafter.

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