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To: Members of the Executive Board

From: The Acting Secretary

Subject: Comoros - Notification of Delay in Concluding
the Article IV Consultation

The 1987 Article IV consultation with the Comoros was concluded on September 18, 1987. Since an interval of 12 months until the next consultation was specified for the Comoros, the 1988 consultation should have been concluded by September 18, 1988, or should be concluded at the latest by December 18, 1988, allowing for the three-month grace period beyond the end of the interval specified.

Owing to staffing problems and difficulties in agreeing on a mutually convenient time for the discussions, the consultation mission to the Comoros was delayed until late October 1988. It is now expected that the Board discussion concluding the consultation would take place in January 1989.

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