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

A request has been received from the Sudanese authorities for short-term technical assistance in the context of the tax reform measures that are presently being planned. This assistance would comprise a review of the direct and indirect taxation systems presently in force.

It is proposed to comply with this request and to send a mission to Khartoum for up to three weeks in August 1985. The mission would comprise Mr. E.-A. Conrad, Advisor, Mr. Peter S. Griffith, Assistant Chief, Tax Administration Division, Mr. Donogh C. McDonald, Economist, all of the Fiscal Affairs Department, accompanied by a secretary. (The mission would be assisted by a member of the panel of fiscal experts experienced in indirect tax administration.)

In the absence of a request for discussion by an Executive Director by noon on Wednesday, July 24, 1985, 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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