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

A request has been received from the Belize authorities for technical assistance in the tax field. This would comprise a study of the country's tax structure, including a review of the organization and deficiencies of the Income Tax Department.

It is proposed to comply with this request and to send Mr. Charles Y. Mansfield, Senior Economist, Fiscal Affairs Department, to Belize for about three weeks from early September 1985. (He would be accompanied by a member of the fiscal panel experienced in income tax administration.)

In the absence of a request for discussion by an Executive Director by noon on Tuesday, August 27, 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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