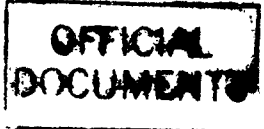


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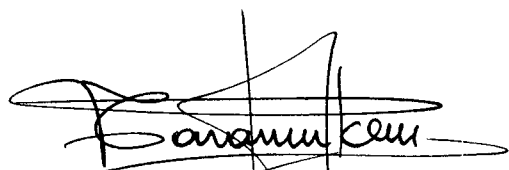
RECOMMENDATION OF THE STATUTORY COMMITTEE

TO: The President, International Development Association

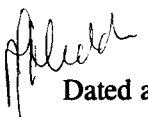
Recommendation of the nominee selected by the Democratic Republic of Congo as a member of the Committee under Section 1 (d) of Article V of the Articles of Agreement on the proposed Credit and Grant (Quality and Relevance of Secondary and Tertiary Education Project) to the Democratic Republic of Congo

The undersigned member of the Committee constituted under Section 1 (d) of Article V of the Articles of Agreement of International Development Association (the Association) hereby submits this recommendation pursuant to said Section in respect of the proposal that the Association grant to the Democratic Republic of Congo a credit in an amount equivalent to SDR94,300,000 and a grant in an amount equivalent to SDR50,800,000. The purposes of said credit and grant are to: (i) improve the teaching and learning of mathematics and science in the Recipient's general secondary education, and (ii) enhance relevance of technical and vocational education and training in priority sectors in secondary and tertiary education levels in the Recipient's territory.

1. The member of the Committee has carefully studied the merits of the proposal to grant such a credit and grant, and of the purpose(s) to which the proceeds of the credit and grant are to be applied.
2. The member of the Committee is of the opinion that the project toward the financing of which the proceeds of such credit and grant are to be applied comes within the purposes of the Association as set forth in Article I of said Articles of Agreement, and that said project is designed to promote the economic development of the Democratic Republic of Congo and is of high developmental priority in the light of the needs of the Democratic Republic of Congo.
3. Accordingly, the member of the Committee finds that said project merits financial assistance from the Association, and hereby recommends said project for such assistance.



Nominee selected by Governor for the
Democratic Republic of Congo



Dated at Washington, D.C.

5/11/2014

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