TO: The President, International Development Association

Recommendation of the Committee under Section 1 (d) of Article V of the Articles of Agreement on the proposed Credit (Emergency Agriculture Production Support Project) to the Republic of Chad

The undersigned Committee constituted under Section 1 (d) of Article V of the Articles of Agreement of International Development Association (the Association) hereby submits its recommendation pursuant to said Section in respect of the proposal that the Association grants to the Republic of Chad a credit in an amount equivalent to SDR 16,200,000. The purpose of said credit is to support communities and producer organizations in increasing: (a) the production of selected crops and livestock species in selected areas of the Recipient's territory; and (b) the use of sustainable land and water management practices in climate vulnerable ecosystems.

1. The Committee has carefully studied the merits of the proposal to provide such a credit, and of the purpose to which the proceeds of the credit are to be applied.

2. The Committee is of the opinion that the project for which the proceeds of such credit 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 Republic of Chad and is of high developmental priority in the light of the needs of the Republic of Chad.
Accordingly, the Committee finds that said project merits financial assistance from the Association, and hereby recommends said project for such assistance.

COMMITTEE

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Dated at Washington, D.C.

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