RECOMMENDATION OF STATUTORY COMMITTEE

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 Grant (Quality Education for All Project) to the Democratic Republic of São Tomé e Príncipe

The undersigned Committee constituted under Section 1(d) of Article V of the Articles of Agreement of the International Development Association (the Association) hereby submits its recommendation pursuant to said Section in respect of the proposal that the Association grant to the Democratic Republic of São Tomé e Príncipe (the Recipient) a Grant for the Quality Education for All Project in an amount in various currencies equivalent to SDR 600,000. The objective of the Project is to improve the system of in-service teacher training and to strengthen the management of human resources in the education sector in the Recipient's territory.

1. The Committee has carefully studied the merits of the proposal to extend such Grant, and of the purposes to which the proceeds of the Grant are to be applied.

2. The Committee is of the opinion that the Project towards the financing of which the proceeds of such 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 Recipient and is of high developmental priority in the light of the needs of the Recipient.

3. Accordingly the Committee finds that the said Project merits financial assistance from the Association, and hereby recommends the said Project for such assistance.
COMMITTEE

Senior Vice President and Group General Counsel

Nominee selected by Governor for the Democratic Republic of São Tomé e Príncipe

Regional Vice President Africa

Dated at Washington, DC

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