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RECOMMENDATION OF THE STATUTORY COMMITTEE

TO: The President, International Development Association

Recommendation of the nominee selected by the Republic of South Sudan as a member of the Committee under Section 1(d) of Article V of the Articles of Agreement on the proposed Second Additional Grant for Health Rapid Results Project to the Republic of South Sudan

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 provide to the Republic of South Sudan an additional grant in an amount equivalent to 28,600,000 Special Drawing Rights (equivalent to approximately $40,000,000). The purpose of said grant is to provide additional funds to supplement the financial assistance furnished by the Association under the Financing Agreement (Health Rapid Results), dated April 20, 2012 and the Financing Agreement (Additional Financing for Health Rapid Results), dated May 9, 2014, between the Republic of South Sudan and the Association. The Project is expected to be considered by the Association's Board of Executive Directors on June 27, 2016, and its expected closing date is September 30, 2017.

1. The member of the Committee has carefully studied the merits of the proposal to provide such an additional grant, and of the purpose to which the proceeds of the additional grant are to be applied.

2. The member of the Committee is of the opinion that the project in support of which the proceeds of such additional grant are to be applied continues to come 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 South Sudan and is of high developmental priority in the light of the needs of the Republic of South Sudan.

3. Accordingly, the member of the Committee finds that said project continues to merit financial assistance from the Association, and hereby recommends said project for such additional assistance.

Nominee selected by Governor for the Republic of South Sudan

Dated at Washington, D.C.

June 10, 2016