RECOMMENDATION OF THE STATUTORY COMMITTEE

TO: The President, International Development Association

Recommendation of the nominee selected by the Republic of Niger as a member of the Committee under Section 1 (d) of Article V of the Articles of Agreement on the proposed Credit for the Agricultural and Livestock Transformation Project to the Republic of Niger

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 grants to the Republic of Niger a credit in an amount of EUR 89,200,000. The purpose of said credit is to increase agriculture productivity and access to markets for small and medium farmers and agri-food small and medium enterprises in the Participating Project Regions.

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

2. The undersigned member of the Committee is of the opinion that the project toward the financing of 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 Niger and is of high developmental priority in the light of the needs of the Republic of Niger.

3. Accordingly, the undersigned member of the Committee finds that said project merits financial assistance from the Association, and hereby recommends said project for such assistance.

[Signature]
Nominee selected by Governor for the Republic of Niger

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Dated at Washington, D.C.