The WORLD BANK has approved a $9 million loan for an education project in Barbados. The project will help enhance the effectiveness and efficiency of the country's education system, and make possible the effective application of modern and relevant curricula. It will also enable the Erdiston Teacher Training College to function as a teacher resource center, and the Barbados Institute of Management (BIMAP) to undertake in-plant training and advisory services to small-scale enterprises. (Refer to WORLD BANK News Release No. 79/34)

Among those present at the signing of the loan documents on December 29, 1978, were, seated from left to right: The Honorable Louis Tull, Minister of Education of Barbados; Mr. Nicolas Ardito-Barletta, Vice President, Latin America and the Caribbean Region, WORLD BANK; and His Excellency Oliver H. Jackman, Ambassador of Barbados to the United States.

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