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CR-778-AF Some 6.6 million people, or about half the population of Afghanistan, will benefit from two agricultural projects to be assisted with credits totaling \$40 million from the INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION (IDA), an affiliate of the WORLD BANK. The credits are for an irrigation project to increase agricultural production (\$22 million) and vegetable production and exports (\$18 million). (Refer to IDA News Release No. 78/48)

Among those present at the signing of the credit documents on April 10, 1978, were, seated from left to right: Mr. Kwaku Gyasi-Twum, Alternate Executive Director of WORLD BANK/IDA for Afghanistan; His Excellency Abdul Wahid Karim, Ambassador of Afghanistan to the United States; and Mr. Martijn J.W.M. Paijmans, Acting Vice President, EMENA Region, WORLD BANK/IDA.

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