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CR-292-CK-1 On March 2, 1972, the International Development Association (IDA) has approved a \$19 million credit for a \$46.4 million highway project in Zaire. The project consists of the rehabilitation of about 1,180 miles of high-priority roads; road maintenance and equipment; personnel training; technical assistance and equipment; feasibility studies of about 370 miles of roads and detailed engineering of about 250 miles of roads; and technical and staff assistance for the newly created Bureau of Roads.

Among those present at the signing of the credit documents on March 23, 1972 were, from left to right: Mr. Mohamed Nassim Kochman, Executive Director of IDA for Zaire; His Excellency Ileka Mboyo, Ambassador of Zaire to the United States; and Mr. J. Burke Knapp, Vice President of IDA.

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