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CR-437-UAR-1 A \$5 million equivalent credit was extended by the INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION (IDA), an affiliate of the WORLD BANK, to help finance a population project in Egypt.

Simple demographic facts illustrate the seriousness of the population problem in Egypt. The current population of 35 million, if the present trend of 2.5% annual increase continues, will double by the year 2000. This will add strains on a country whose population density quadrupled during the last century, and which stands today at 950 persons per square kilometer of inhabitable land, a density rivalled only by two or three other countries in the world.

Among those present at the signing of the credit documents on November 6, 1973, were, from left to right: Mr. Mohamed Alsharekh, Alternate Executive Director of IDA for Egypt; Mr. Ahmed Tawfic Khalil, Minister Plenipotentiary, Egyptian Interests Section, Embassy of India; and Mr. Munir P. Benjenk, Regional Vice President of IDA.

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