

2. COUNTRY/ENTITY
 Interregional

3. PROJECT NUMBER
931-1233

4. BUREAU/OFFICE
 S&T/ED 10

5. PROJECT TITLE (maximum 40 characters)
 Program Development and Support

6. PROJECT ASSISTANCE COMPLETION DATE (FACD)
 MM DD YY
09 30 86

7. ESTIMATED DATE OF OBLIGATION
 (Under "B." below, enter 1, 2, 3, or 4)
 A. Initial FY 82 B. Quarter C. Final FY 86

8. COSTS (\$000 OR EQUIVALENT \$1 =)

A. FUNDING SOURCE	FIRST FY <u>82</u>			LIFE OF PROJECT		
	B. FX	C. L/C	D. Total	E. FX	F. L/C	G. Total
AID Appropriated Total						
(Grant)	(225)	()	(225)	(1,992)	()	(1,992)
(Loan)	()	()	()	()	()	()
Other U.S.						
1.						
2.						
Host Country						
Other Donor(s)						
TOTALS	225		225	1,992		1,992

9. SCHEDULE OF AID FUNDING (\$000)

A. APPRO- PRIATION	B. PRIMARY PURPOSE CODE	C. PRIMARY TECH. CODE		D. OBLIGATIONS TO DATE		E. AMOUNT APPROVED THIS ACTION		F. LIFE OF PROJECT	
		1. Grant	2. Loan	1. Grant	2. Loan	1. Grant	2. Loan	1. Grant	2. Loan
(1) EH	680			1,006		986		1,992	
(2)									
(3)									
(4)									
TOTALS				1,006		986		1,992	

10. SECONDARY TECHNICAL CODES (maximum 5 codes of 3 positions each)

11. SECONDARY PURPOSE CODE

12. SPECIAL CONCERNS CODES (maximum 7 codes of 4 positions each)
 A. Code
 B. Amount

13. PROJECT PURPOSE (maximum 480 characters)
 To provide expertise in specialized areas of education and training to be drawn on by LDCs in pursuit of joint development objectives.

14. SCHEDULED EVALUATIONS
 Interim MM YY MM YY Final MM YY

15. SOURCE/ORIGIN OF GOODS AND SERVICES
 000 941 Local Other (Specify)

16. AMENDMENTS/NATURE OF CHANGE PROPOSED (This is page 1 of a _____ page PP Amendment.)
 To increase life-of-project funding by \$986,000 for a total of \$1,992,000, and to increase the final year of obligation to FY 1986.

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17. APPROVED BY
 Signature: David Sprague
 Title: Acting Director, S&T/ED

Date Signed MM DD YY
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18. DATE DOCUMENT RECEIVED IN AID/W, OR FOR AID/W DOCUMENTS, DATE OF DISTRIBUTION
 MM DD YY

PROJECT AUTHORIZATION

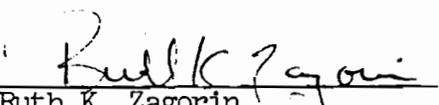
Name of Entity: Interregional
Name of Project: Program Development and Support
Number of Project: 931-1233

1. Pursuant to Section 105 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, the Program Development and Support project, which is centrally funded, was authorized on July 26, 1982. That authorization is hereby amended as follows:

- a. The authorized project obligation period is extended from FY 1985 to FY 1986.
- b. The life of project cost is increased by \$986,000 for a total of \$1,992,000.

2. The authorization cited above remains in force except as hereby amended.

3. The work envisaged by this project is exempt from the provision of Circular A-76 because: 1) it is for the provision of technical assistance, and 2) the facilities and resources of the USDA Graduate School are particularly and uniquely suitable for the technical assistance to be provided and are not competitive with private enterprise.


 Ruth K. Zagorin
 Agency Director for Human Resources
 Bureau for Science and Technology

Date 5.29.84

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16 MAY 1984

ACTION MEMORANDUM FOR THE AGENCY DIRECTOR FOR HUMAN RESOURCES

FROM: S&T/ED, David Sprague *DS*

Problem: Your authorization is required to obligate \$285,882 from the EH Account for the Program Development and Support project (931-1233). Your authorization is also required to increase the life of project funding level by \$986,000 to \$1,992,000 and to extend the project through September 30, 1986.

Discussion: The title of this project has been changed to reflect the program support emphasis. The USDA Graduate School is providing S&T/ED short-term technical assistance and long-term support services in the development of its basic education program. This support activity includes education sector assessments, project design and implementation, research, special analytical studies, project evaluations, and training workshops. Specifically, the RSSA-funded support services have strengthened S&T/ED staff capability in program development, project design and management assistance.

The current RSSA expires September 30, 1985. We had not anticipated funding this project beyond FY 1984. However, we now see a continuing need for the specialized assistance provided through this project. Thus, we propose extending the project through September 30, 1986, with incremental funding in FY 1985 and FY 1986.

The current pipeline is \$524,273. Of this amount, \$224,273 is committed for activities already underway; \$300,000 is earmarked for vocational education and training activities beginning this year. The \$285,882 requested in this Action Memo will fund:

a) continuation of contract personnel:

Economist, full time (G. Eng)
Economist, half time (J. Woo)
Vocational Education Specialist, full time (B. Reinhart)
Education Researcher, (replacement for S. Selbin)
Secretary, full time (B. Sankoh)

b) other services:

Space Rental at 1611 N. Kent Street (Rosslyn Plaza Complex)
Miscellaneous costs to support the new Joint Education Initiative.

Recommendation: That you approve the increase in the life of project funding to \$1,992,000; the extension of the project through September 30, 1986; and the obligation of \$285,882 in EH funds by signing the attached PAF Amendment.

Clearance: S&T/PO, George Eaton *per [signature]*
S&T/MGT, M. Thome *[signature]*

DR
S&T/ED:JROLiver:jro:5/16/84