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ggDCQiStudents at_University of Zimbabwe '
V H Dear friends;
At the meeting of African Ministers of Education in Harare
a ? JUNE/July 1982, discussions were held on the possibility
. e of increasing the number of student'S- from SADC countries
admitted to the University of Zimbabwe. The University stated
3 that the shortage of accommodation hampered intake of students.
3 ' The SIDA representative at the meeting promised to look into
' the chances of getting funds to obtain a hotel or the like in
Harare to ease the accommodation problem.

and to process the proposal through the Ministry of Education
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l At the same time the University started to look for properties
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E and Culture to the SADC; machihey; U
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H Discussions were also held with EEC, WUS and UNHCR on the
i funding and implementation of the project. 2
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:% Through Swaziland the project was presented in SADC and formally
. endorsed as a SADC project to be presented to Sweden for
L ill funding.
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5 0 supply SEK 2,4 million towards
SIDA took a quick decision to
was signed with the University
. 5 5 the project and ' an agreement
f i in July, 1983. The Ministry of Education and Culture and the
E55 Ministry of Finance, Economic Planning and Development also ,
signed for Zimbabwe Government. , l
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The actual handing over of a check for the SEK 2,4 million
will take place on 19 October, 1983, in Harare.
: The agreement made it possible for the University to purchase
f the Mopht Royal Hotel on Rhodes Avenue/8th Street in Harare;
There will be room for about 100 students. The University wants
to mix the student population: L ' the target for social and other
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it if a and refugee students from South Africa and elsewhere.

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' The Swedish Legation in Pretoria

In response to this offer the University has vowed to increase its intake of qualified students from SADCC countries and refugees f:qug9u_th Afriqg and Namibia. IE is enVisaged Eha E aE"leasEiquarter of th_e 100 should be used for theSe 11 non-zimbabwean-students.

:? i: I from outside Zlmbabwe will have to- ihcrease. It is not a
' I matter of quota or automatic admigeioh to tourses. HOWever, the- SIDA contribut-ion will- make Ehe University more. willing to take in student 5 from outside.

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The Student Union bn'campUS has made it-very dleet that non-zimbabWeans can not take places from-zimbabweans at the Uni-te versity. Intake of outsiders could Only be allowed if there i 13 A - were spare placesr which do eXist.in.Certain.subjects.

I You are advised to imform relevant ministries and organizations '

SI! J iof Ehe expanded po'ssibilities to send students to the University I 11" of Zimbabwe, quoting the agreement between SIDA; and the UniVersity..For a prospectus of courses etc they should write i to

f3 Universityiof Zimbabwe . I

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: l N ' Mount Pleasant/HARARE/ZIMBABWE. ,% x

H l Yours sincerely,

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