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Statement by IMF Resident Representative in Ukraine

Max Alier, the International Monetary Fund (IMF) Resident Representative in Ukraine, issued the following statement in Kyiv today:

"An IMF mission headed by Mr. Thanos Arvanitis will visit Ukraine on February 1-11 to conduct discussions on the second review under the Stand-By Arrangement (SBA)".

The SBA was approved on July 29, 2010 for SDR 10 billion (about US\$10.6 billion) in support of the authorities' economic adjustment and reform program (see [Press Release No 10/305](#)).