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Evaluation of Mr. Hernán NAVARRO (Argentina) for the post
EGU-015 Economic Geologist

1. Mr. Navarro is a 49-year-old geologist who has been positively evaluated by Mr. Carman for the post PAN-106-SC Economic Geologist and very strongly recommended by the Project Manager of the mineral survey project in Liberia, Mr. Pontus Ljunggren, for the post of Economic Geologist in such project.

2. During the writer's recent visit to Monrovia, Mr. Ljunggren spoke very highly of Mr. Navarro's technical capability and of his ability in the organization and direction of mineral exploration projects, based on his personal experience when Mr. Navarro was acting as Chief Geologist of the counterpart in the Mendoza project.

3. After reviewing his file, the substantive office agrees with such evaluations. Therefore, it is recommended that his name be included in the list of candidates submitted to the Government of Equatorial Guinea, along with those of Messrs. Alexei J. Wagner (Switzerland) and Marco Ferrante (Italy), as suggested in our memorandum of 23 April 1970 to Mr. Hylfelt.

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