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**Re: Proposal for pension and social security schemes for
government employees in the *System of National Accounts 1993***

Dear Mr. Edwards:

We have received your letter dated November 14, 2006. Unfortunately, the technical matter you address does not fall within the purview of the Central Bank of Bolivia. Accordingly, we will refrain from issuing an opinion.

However, we recommend that you contact the National Statistics Institute (INE), which is responsible for preparing Bolivia's national accounts, to obtain a qualified opinion on the proposal by the Eurostat-European Central Bank Task Force.

Sincerely yours,

/s/

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