BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board hereby approves financing under Section 234 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, of up to \$325 million principal amount, plus interest thereon, for the purchase of natural gas liquids in Nigeria from Mobil Producing Nigeria, Ltd. and Nigerian National Petroleum Corp.



Approved by the Board of Directors on April 29, 2004

Connie M. Downs
Corporate Secretary