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Sweden publishes IMF statement on the Swedish economy

A delegation from the International Monetary Fund (IMF) has been visiting Sweden in connection with the consultations that the IMF holds with member countries. In the course of the visit, which ends today, the delegation has met representatives from the Riksbank, the Ministry of Finance, the Ministry of Industry, Employment and Communications, the National Institute of Economic Research and the labour market organisations, for example.

The IMF's appraisal of the Swedish economy is contained in the statement, which is attached. The IMF's statement will also be accessible on the Riksbank's website: www.riksbank.se.

Mr Jacques Artus, who heads the delegation, will be available for questions at 2 p.m. today, Wednesday, at the Riksbank. Admission by press card from no. 11 Brunkebergstorg.

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