

To: Unicode Technical Committee

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RE: Request to Remove Bamum from Amendment 5

I received an email request on 28 June 2007 from Dr. Konrad Tuschcherer, Co-Director of the Bamum Scripts and Archives Project at the Archives du Palais des Rois Bamoun, Foumban, Cameroon, asking that Bamum script be withdrawn from Amendment 5.

Dr. Tuschcherer has been in close consultation with His Majesty, Sultan Ibrahim Mbombo Njoya, King of the Bamum, and as a result asks for a delay on Bamum until local consensus can be reached, probably in 2008, after a meeting with the user community is held.

As a result of the email communication from Dr. Tuschcherer, I ask the UTC abide by Dr. Tuschcherer's request.