

PAY-PAY wa Syakassighe
(Phonetic: pie pie)

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Governor, Bank of Zaire
(since April 1985)

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Addressed as: Mr. Pay-Pay



[redacted]
[redacted] He, Finance Minister
Djamboleka Loma, and Prime Minister Kengo wa
Dondo constitute the government's economic team.

Before entering government, Pay-Pay had been involved in a prosperous pharmaceutical business. During 1980-84 he held the economy, industry, and commerce portfolio twice and served briefly as Minister for Government Investment Holdings (1982-83). He was the president - director general of the marketing division of the national mining conglomerate GECAMINES for a year before taking up his present position. [redacted]

Pay-Pay, who is about 41, is from Bukavu in northern Kivu region. [redacted]
[redacted] In October 1985 he accompanied
the President on an official visit to the United States. He speaks English, French, and his
native Swahili. As of 1975 he was married. [redacted]

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