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**United Nations
(United Nations Population Fund)
and
Botswana**

Exchange of letters constituting an agreement between the United Nations Population Fund and the Government of the Republic of Botswana on the applicability of the Basic Agreement of 14 May 1975 between the United Nations Development Programme and the Government of Botswana. New York, 9 October 1996, and Gaborone, 29 April 1997

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**Organisation des Nations Unies
(Fonds des Nations Unies pour la population)
et
Botswana**

Échange de lettres constituant un accord entre le Fonds des Nations Unies pour la population et le Gouvernement de la République du Botswana concernant l'applicabilité de l'Accord de base du 14 mai 1975 entre le Programme des Nations Unies pour le développement et le Gouvernement du Botswana. New York, 9 octobre 1996, et Gaborone, 29 avril 1997

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Executive Director

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UNFPA
United Nations
Population Fund

9 October 1996

Excellency,

I have the honor to refer to the Agreement between the United Nations Development Programme ("UNDP") and Botswana (the "Government") concluded on 14 May 1975 (the "Standard Basic Assistance Agreement" or "SBAA"), which sets out the basic conditions under which UNDP and its Executing Agencies shall assist the Government in carrying out its development projects.

I have the honor to bring to the attention of the Government that the United Nations Population Fund ("UNFPA"), a subsidiary organ of the United Nations established by the General Assembly pursuant to resolution 3019 (XXVII) of 18 December 1972, which has been cooperating with the Government since 1971 to respond to population and family planning needs and to promote awareness of the social, economic and environmental implications of population problems, has designated its Country Director as the UNFPA representative in the country, in accordance with General Assembly decision 50/438 of 20 December 1995 and the decisions of the governing bodies of UNFPA.

In this connection, I have the honor to propose that the UNDP SBAA apply *mutatis mutandis* to the activities and personnel of UNFPA in Botswana.

I further propose that upon receipt of your acceptance of the above proposal in writing, this exchange of letters shall constitute an Agreement between the Government and the United Nations on the matter, as of the date of your reply.

Accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

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Under-Secretary-General

His Excellency
The Honourable Lt. Gen. Mompoti S. Merafhe, MP
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Gaborone
Botswana.