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**United Nations (United Nations Population Fund)
and
Papua New Guinea**

Exchange of letters constituting an agreement between the Government of Papua New Guinea and the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) on the application mutatis mutandis of the Standard Basic Assistance Agreement between the Government of Papua New Guinea and the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) concluded on 7 April 1981, to the activities and personnel of UNFPA in Papua New Guinea. New York, 17 January 2000, and Port Moresby, 31 January 2001

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**Organisation des Nations Unies (Fonds des Nations Unies pour la
population)
et
Papouasie-Nouvelle-Guinée**

Échange de lettres constituant un accord entre le Gouvernement de la Papouasie-Nouvelle-Guinée et le Fonds des Nations Unies pour la population (FNUAP) concernant l'application mutatis mutandis de l'Accord de base type en matière d'assistance entre le Gouvernement de la Papouasie-Nouvelle-Guinée et le Programme des Nations Unies pour le développement (PNUD), conclu le 7 avril 1981, aux activités et au personnel du FNUAP en Papouasie-Nouvelle-Guinée. New York, 17 janvier 2000, et Port Moresby, 31 janvier 2001

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Excellency,

I have the honour to refer to the Agreement between the United Nations Development Programme and the Government of Papua New Guinea concluded on 7 April 1981 (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 honour 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 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 honour to propose that the UNDP SBAA apply mutatis mutandis to the activities and personnel of UNFPA in Papua New Guinea.

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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His Excellency
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