



The United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) presents its compliments to the Permanent Mission of Japan to the United Nations and has the honour to refer to the latter's Note Verbale No. SC/06/472 dated 19 July 2006 concerning the Japanese contribution of fifteen million eight hundred and six thousand one hundred and sixty-eight U.S. dollars (US\$15,806,168, hereinafter referred to as the "Grant") as a part of "Japan's Emergency Assistance to Improve Medical Care, Public Health and Job Creation for Palestinians" through the UNDP Trust Fund for the Programme of Assistance to the Palestinian People (PAPP) for the execution of the following three projects: "Emergency Water Supply and Rehabilitation Programme in the Gaza Strip (US\$5,424,106)"; "Improvement of Solid Waste Management in the West Bank: Procurement of Equipment (US\$5,522,062)"; and "Employment Generation Through Emergency Response to Solid Waste Management in the Gaza Strip (US\$4,860,000)" (hereinafter jointly referred to as the "Projects") (details are attached).

UNDP wishes to thank the Government of Japan for its generous offer and confirms its acceptance. UNDP will assure that:

- (1) UNDP will notify in writing the Government of Japan of the number and type of the U.S. dollar bank account of the headquarters of UNDP (with the name and address of the bank) to receive the Grant from the Government of Japan.
- (2) The Grant will be used for the Projects appropriately and exclusively as soon as possible.
- (3) Every effort will be made to publicize and increase the visibility of the Japanese contribution through, for example, the issuance of press releases, as well as attaching the Japanese national flag, printing "From the people of Japan" on UNDP's equipment procured with the Grant, or placing sign boards which identify the contribution of the Government of Japan. However, UNDP will immediately consult with the Government of Japan when UNDP determines that such actions may jeopardize the United Nations privileges and immunities provided under the 1946 Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the United Nations and the safety and security of UN and UNDP staff. The Government of Japan understands that the UNDP equipment and vehicles routinely carry the UNDP logo and other indications of ownership prominently displayed.
- (4) A detailed report on the use and the effect of the Grant will be submitted to the Permanent Mission of Japan periodically and upon its request.



- (5) The Grant will be credited to UNDP accounts in the year received.
- (6) The Projects will be implemented in accordance with the project documents, and UNDP will carry out the activities in accordance with its regulations, rules, policies and procedures.
- (7) With the understanding that the activities would be subject exclusively to the internal and external audits laid down in UNDP Financial Regulations and Rules, UNDP will make available relevant documents related to such audits expeditiously to the Permanent Mission of Japan upon its request.
- (8) The Government of Japan and UNDP will consult with each other in respect of any matter that may arise from or in connection with the Grant.

The United Nations Development Programme avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Permanent Mission of Japan to the United Nations the assurances of its highest consideration.

New York, 19 July 2006





(Attachment)

The contribution of the Government of Japan decided on 11 July 2006 is earmarked for the following activities:

1. Personnel costs of project managers and site engineers
2. Various activities
 - (1) Drilling of wells; construction of water tanks, reservoirs, line booster stations, and pressure lines
 - (2) Procurement of equipment for solid waste management
 - (3) Cleaning up towns and villages
3. Programme support costs

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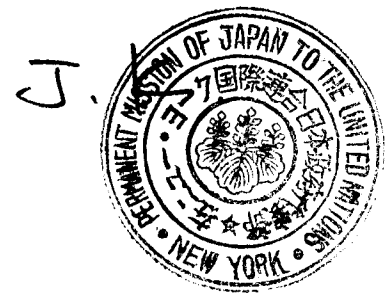
The Permanent Mission of Japan has further the honour to request UNDP to be good enough to assure the following points:

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