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Dear Sir/Madam,

**Subject: Implementation of the UN Joint programme on
"Promoting social equality in the Gobi-areas of south Mongolia
by fostering human security with integrated and prevention
approaches"**

I am delighted to inform you that the UN Agencies (UNDP, UNICEF, UNFPA and WHO) in Mongolia will collaborate with the Government of Mongolia to improve human security of the vulnerable populations affected by both serious poverty and climate change in South Mongolia (6 soums in Govi-Altai, Bayanhongor, and Omno Govi) through provision of education, primary health care, water governance and income generation opportunity.

Official approval for the programme was received from the UN Human Security Trust Fund in New York on 12 April 2010. The project implementation period is for 3 years and the total cost amounts to USD 2, 703,679. The main goal of the project is to alleviate social inequality of the most neglected and vulnerable populations affected by both serious poverty and climate change in Southern Mongolia (the Gobi-areas), in order to enhance their human security with integrated, multi-sectoral and preventative measures.

The Joint Programme shall be implemented through the related ministries in following thematic areas;

- To increase access to safe drinking water and build capacity of service providers.
- To improve the quality of education through development of rights-based Child-Friendly Schools.
- To enhance access and quality of people-centered Primary Health Care.
- To provide target communities with income generation and
- To promote the concept of Human Security in Mongolia.

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I am pleased to share with you the programme document for your endorsement and kindly request that you sign the document and nominate a representative from your agency to actively participate as a member of the Joint Programme Committee. An official launch is proposed for May, a date and venue for this event will be shared with you shortly.
Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Rana Flowers'.

Rana Flowers,
UN Resident Coordinator. a.i.



**PROMOTING SOCIAL EQUALITY IN THE GOBI-AREAS OF
SOUTH MONGOLIA BY FOSTERING HUMAN SECURITY WITH
INTEGRATED AND PREVENTION APPROACHES**

FULL PROPOSAL


For the UN Trust Fund for Human Security (UNTFHS)


UN Country Team in Mongolia


I. Basic data


Date of submission	18 February, 2010
Benefiting country and Locations	Mongolia, 3 Provinces of South Mongolia near the Gobi Desert: Govi-Altai, Bayanhongor, and UmnoGovi (2 most vulnerable soums selected from each Province)
Title of the project	"Promoting social equality in the Gobi-areas of south Mongolia by fostering human security with integrated and prevention approaches"
Duration of project	36 months (3 years) from March 2010 to February 2012
UN organization responsible for management of the project:	<u>United Nations Development Programme</u> UNDP Country Office Mongolia UN-House, 12 United Nations Street 210646 Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia
Executing UN organization(s)	<i>Participating UN agencies:</i> (1) United Nations Development Programme UNDP Country Office Mongolia UN-House, 12 United Nations Street 210646 Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia (2) United Nations Children's Fund UNICEF Mongolia UN House 2, 12 United Nations Street 210646 Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia (3) World Health Organization WHO Mongolia Room 301, 3 rd Floor Bldg of Ministry of Health Olympic Street – 2 Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia (4) United Nations Populations Fund UNFPA Mongolia UN House 1, 12 United Nations Street 210646 Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia
Non-UN implementing & collaborating partners	The Cabinet Office, Ministry of Education, Culture and Science Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Light Industry Ministry of Health, Ministry of Nature, Environment and Tourism (Water Authority), Ministry of Roads, Transportation, Construction and Urban Development, Public Utilities Service Organizations (PUSOs), Mongolian National Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Local NGOs and Community-based Organizations in the Gobi Areas
Total project budget	USD 2,703,679 (for three years)


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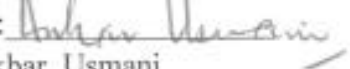
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