

AUSTRALIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER PORT MORESBY

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Mr Dirk Wagener Resident Representative United Nations Development Program Papua New Guinea Country Office

Dear Mr Wagener

Thank you for your letter of 25 June attaching a copy of the Bougainville Referendum Support Project (the Project) Final Report 2018 – 2020. Australia welcomes the report and recognises the Project's successful contribution to the 2019 referendum on Bougainville's future political status.

I note the inclusion of the financial narrative report and confirm Australia's agreement to your proposal to direct remaining Project funds to the UNDP Post Referendum Process Support Project. This assistance will facilitate the important post-referendum consultation processes between the Government of Papua New Guinea and the Autonomous Region of Bougainville.

Yours sincerely

Jon Philp