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Dear Mr Pedersen

I refer to the letter of 9 March 1994 which was sent to you under the signatures of the Batlagae Trust, the Reintegration and Development Trust, and the Centres for Community Development

I thought that you might like to know that the Batlagae Trust will be winding down its operations through 1995, and in this respect I am pleased to enclose a copy of our Operational

Plan for 1995. With this in mind, we very much hope that the European Union might be in a position to offer financial support to the vital work which we are doing.

We are continuing to work closely with the Reintegration and Development Trust (RDT), but we have had difficulty in liaising with the Centres for Community Development (CCD).

However, we hope that our appeal for financial assistance in 1995 will be treated as a joint

proposal by the European Union.

Mr Jabulani Dumani of the RDT will provide you with a revised budget which differs from that

supplied in their Draft Implementation Plan forwarded to you in March 1994.

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With reference to our budget for 1995, you will see from the enclosed Operational Plan that

we require an amount of R6,7 million for our final year of operation; however, an amount of R5 million has already been pledged by SIDA and Norway, and we are therefore requesting

that you consider an allocation of R1,7 million for 1995. This funding would be used for bursaries for children from pre-school to tertiary level.

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Should you require any further information, we will be more than happy to provide this for

you. Enclosed is a copy of our 1993 Annual Report for your interest.

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