



United Nations Office for Project Services

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Office of the Executive Director

19 October 2005

Excellency,

I have the honor to propose the establishment of the Regional Office for Asia of the United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS) in Thailand. In this connection, based on confirmation by UNOPS that it is a United Nations (UN) entity, and as such has the legal capacity to conclude international agreements, I have the honor to propose as follows:

1. In the performance of its functions and activities in Thailand, UNOPS shall possess judicial personality, and thus shall have the capacity to contract, to acquire and dispose of immovable and moveable property, and to institute legal proceedings, in conformity with the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the United Nations of 13 February 1946 and the laws of the Kingdom of Thailand.
2. The Government of the Kingdom of Thailand agrees to apply the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the United Nations of 13 February 1946, generally, and in particular the provisions on the privileges, immunities, inviolability, and facilities specified therein, to UNOPS and its personnel as well as other persons who perform official functions for UNOPS, except those who are locally recruited and assigned to hourly rates.

H.E. Mr. Kantathi Suphamongkhon
Minister for Foreign Affairs
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Sri Ayudhya Rd,
Bangkok 10400, Thailand

3. If the forgoing proposal is acceptable to the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand, this Note together with your Note in reply to that effect, shall constitute the Agreement between the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand and UNOPS, which shall enter into force on the date of the Note in reply, and continue so long as UNOPS operates in the Kingdom of Thailand.

Accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.



Nigel Fisher
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Executive Director



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Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of Your Note dated 19 October 2005 which reads as follows:

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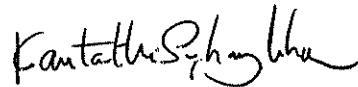
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Mr. Nigel Fisher,
Executive Director of the United Nations Office
for Project Services,
NEW YORK.

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In reply, I have the honour to state that the foregoing proposal is acceptable to the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand, and that the present Note and your Note under reply constitute the Agreement between the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand and the United Nations Office for Project Services.

Accept, Sir, the assurances of my high consideration.



(Dr. Kantathi Suphamongkhon)
Minister of Foreign Affairs of Thailand