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UNIVERSAL ACCESS & SERVICE FUND

1. Purpose

The purpose of this paper is to seek funding support from Universal Access & Service Fund for five of our Schools located in isolated parts of the four regions of Papua New Guinea; Southern Region, Highlands Region, Momase and the N.G.I

2. Background

Under the National Education System, the Church Agencies who are major partners in the delivery of Education Services in PNG owns 50% of the various Education Institutions.

Out of the 50% the Catholic Church owns 25% to 30% of the Education Institutions in the country. Many of the schools they own are located in very remote parts of the country.

3. Facts and Considerations

- 3.1 The information we gain is not in detail as it is the start of the year and the contact persons are not on location.
- 3.2 We value your initiative to help our schools and the local community within and around all the Schools identified.

4. Financial Implications

Nil. The support is given by the donor.

5. Policy Implications

Nil

6. Planning Implications

The donor with respective schools

7. Recommendations

- 7.2 That the donor endorses the four schools with the information provided.
- 7.3 That we acknowledge and appreciate the service rendered by the service provider.

	ST. ANNE'S VOC CENTRE SIDIEA	ST. JUDE H/S MONGOP	SACRED HEART SCH BEMA	NERGAIMA H/S
LOCATION	ALOTAU	KAVIENG	KEREMA	KUNDIAWA
TRANSPORTATION ACCESS	SEA- BOAT/DINGY	LAND	AIR	ROAD
NO. OF STUDENTS	389	600	280	300
COMMUNITY POPULATION	3000	4000	4 - 5000	4 -5000
MOBILE PHONE ACCESS	YES ON CERTAIN LOCATIONS ONLY	YES	YES ON CERTAIN LOCATIONS	YES
INTERNET ACCESS	NIL	NIL	NIL	YES ON CERTAIN LOCATIONS
ELECTRICITY	YES	YES	YES	YES GENSET

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