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19 April 1973

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the requests received under the Programme of Participation in the Activities of Member States for 1973-1974 (reference CL/2222 of 27 September 1972) have now been examined and that I have taken my decisions in respect of them, bearing in mind in particular the directives given to me by the General Conference at its seventeenth session in resolution 5.31, the order of priority indicated by governments when making their requests and the funds available.

I have the pleasure to inform you that the following project(s) submitted by you have been accepted:

Number:

- 4093 Assistance for training course in oral traditions (not exceeding \$2,800)
- 4095 Assistance for research on the cultural history of the New Hebrides (not exceeding \$1,200)

4092 2-month consultant on planning of activities in the arts

The Minister of Foreign Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Wellington (New Zealand) Aid for the above-mentioned project(s) will be granted in accordance with the principles, criteria and conditions laid down in resolution 7.21 adopted by the General Conference at its twelfth session (1962), as amended by resolution 5.41 adopted by the General Conference at its fourteenth session (1966) and by resolution 5.3 adopted by the General Conference at its sixteenth session (1970).

I would call your attention to the fact that, under the existing regulations, the Member State or organization concerned is required, when Unesco's aid takes the form of financial participation, to submit to me, at the close of the project, a statement to the effect that the funds have been used for the purpose of the project. This statement must be accompanied by a report on the way in which the money has been used. Any funds unused should be returned to Unesco.

If the foregoing proposals and the conditions laid down in resolutions 7.21, 5.41 and 5.3 meet with your approval, the <u>present letter and your reply will con-</u> stitute an agreement between <u>Unesco and the Government of New Zealand</u>. Receipt of this reply will enable me to authorize the programme sectors concerned to grant you the aid requested. It would be appreciated if your reply could be sent as quickly as possible and, <u>at the latest</u>, within two months of the date of the present letter.

With a view to hastening and facilitating the implementation of the Participation Programme, I should be most grateful if you would give due consideration to the time limits and the annexed information concerning the various types of technical and financial assistance.

Please accept, Sir , the assurances of my highest consideration.

Enclosure: 1 annex

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ANNEX

TIME REQUIRED BY THE SECRETARIAT AND DETAILS CONCERNING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PARTICIPATION PROGRAMME FOR 1973-1974

Consultants

(This category comprises persons recruited for periods of from one month to six months at the most.)

As it takes Unesco's Bureau of Personnel two or three months to recruit, a detailed description of the jobs and of the qualifications and degrees required should reach the Secretariat at least four months before the consultant is to take up his duties.

Experts

(This category comprises persons recruited for periods exceeding six months.)

As it takes Unesco's Bureau of Personnel five or six months to recruit, a detailed description of the jobs and of the qualifications and degrees required should reach the Secretariat at least six months before the expert is to take up his duties.

Fellowships

As at least six months elapse between the time when candidates' files are sent in and the time when the fellowship is formally awarded (see the Guide to Unesco Fellowships, forwarded to National Commissions via note EDV/3043 of 18 November 1972), candidates' files should reach the Division of Training Abroad, Unesco, as soon as possible and not later than four months after the date of the present letter.

N.B. Unless complete condidates' files have been received by 31 March 1974 at the latest in the case of fellowships for periods of six months or more and by 1 July 1974 at the latest in the case of fellowships for periods of four months or less, it will not be possible to administer the fellowships under the budgetary appropriations approved for 1973-1974.

Equipment

If the equipment desired is not specified in the request, a detailed list of equipment to be ordered must reach the Secretariat <u>not later than three months</u> after the date of the present letter. The requisite documentation will be supplied on request by the Purchase and Stores Division, Unesco.

Financial assistance for meetings

If the following information is not included in the request, it should reach the Secretariat <u>at least four months</u> before the date of the meeting, which must take place in 1973-1974:

purpose and length of the meeting

provisional agenda

participants and observers

estimate of expenditure, indicating that part of the cost which is to be covered by Unesco's financial contribution.

PM 125/6/22/1

23 July 1973

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter DG/7/9/417/PP dated 19 April 1973, which reads

as follows:

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The Director-General,

United Nations Educational, Scientific & Cultural Organisation,

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The proposals set out in your letter (and in the annex attached to your letter) are acceptable to the Government of New Zealand and I accordingly confirm that your letter and this reply should constitute an agreement between UNESCO and the Government of New Zealand which shall enter into force on the date of this reply.

Accept, Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Minister of Foreign Affairs