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The Permanent Mission of Italy to the United Nations presents its compliments to the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and has the honor to inform the latter that the Italian Government has approved a voluntary financial contribution of 2,000,000 (two million) Euro in support of UNFPA/UNICEF's Joint Programme on Female Genital Mutilation "Elimination of Female Genital Mutilation/cutting: Accelerating Change (FGM – Phase III)" for the year 2021.

This contribution confirms the longstanding commitment of the Italian Government to eradicate this harmful practice globally, in line with SDG 5.3 of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, and in support of UNFPA/UNICEF's Joint Programme.

UNFPA, as administrative agent of the Programme, is kindly requested to provide, at its earliest convenience, an official note of acceptance of the above-mentioned contribution, containing the bank account information for the disbursement of the funds.

The Permanent Mission of Italy to the United Nations avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) the assurances of its highest consideration

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