ORPHANAGE ASSESSMENT REPORT

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Executive summary

This report covers the period from May 2017 to May 2018 and highlights major activities implemented in relation to the Pangmashi Yenkong Foundation in collaboration with Bruijn's Family in Utrecht The Netherlands. This orphanage was established in 2009 to meet the humanitarian needs of indigent children in Baba I Ndop Ngoketunjia division of the North West Region of Cameroon. This summary presents an overview of care and services provided to the children in the orphanage throughout the financial year. Also, included in this report are some recommendations for consideration; and if adopted and implemented, could improve Children's Rights and fundamental care and protection of the kids in the foundation.

Essentially, since 2009 to present, several measures have been taken to improve the care and protection of children living in Baba 1 and the foundation has greatly impacted

the lives of these kids as of today. This is mainly because of the kind gestures exhibited by the Bruijn Foundation. And more, because the Bruijn Foundation is always there to assist the orphanage when it is at it's difficult moments. A case in point is one of the crises we faced this year concerning one of the kid's who got knocked down by a reckless driver at the market square in Baba 1 this year. Nobody including myself believed that this kid would have survived the accident. I say so because of the amount of blood she lost and the fractures she received as a result of the accident. Her head was fractured including her arms and leg. Thanks to the timely intervention and the financial assistance made to the foundation. The hospital bills and other items were duly met and the child's life was saved.

It is worth mentioning that this year has been the most difficult year in the history of the foundation. This is because of the crisis plaguing Cameroon since July 2017. The general affairs of the country have been unstable and this has affected every institution of the country. Life itself has been a battle especially when we take into consideration the socio economic state of Cameroon. Cameroon has suddenly become a police state where citizens find it difficult to manage their daily affairs. In addition to this, the prices of basic goods have skyrocketed almost twice it's original price. That notwithstanding the foundation still manages to thrive despite the prevailing circumstances.

This year, it is our fervent wish that the present status quo of the country changes for the better. The year seems promising as we look up to the best to come.

Long live the Pangmashi Yenkong Foundation,

Long live the Bruijn's Family.

God bless us all.

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