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SOUTH PACIFIC COMMISSION  
HEALTH EDUCATION MATERIALS AND ADVISORY SERVICES PROJECT

879-0005

SOUTH PACIFIC REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT OFFICE  
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PROJECT AUTHORIZATION

South Pacific Regional  
Development Office

South Pacific Commission  
Health Education Materials  
and Advisory Services

Project 879-0005

1. Pursuant to Section 105 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, I hereby authorize the South Pacific Commission Health Education Materials and Advisory Services Project (the "project") undertaken by the South Pacific Commission (the "Grantee") on behalf of member countries involving planned obligations of the amount not to exceed Sixty Seven Thousand United States Dollars (\$67,000) in grant funds over the two-year period, September 1, 1984 - August 31, 1986, subject to the availability of funds in accordance with the AID OYB/Allotment process, to help in financing foreign exchange and local currency costs of the project.
2. The project is designed to enable the health education unit of the Grantee to increase the production and varieties of health education materials it distributes in the region, for the training of personnel in the production of local materials, and for advisory services to member countries and territories. It will provide the region with basic health education tools on which local health educators may base their programmes. Additional advisory services and training will better equip health educators to perform their tasks and to develop health education materials themselves.
3. The Grant Agreement which may be negotiated and executed by the office to whom such authority is delegated in accordance with AID regulations and delegations of authority shall be subject to the following essential terms and covenants and major conditions, together with such other terms and conditions as AID may deem appropriate:
  - a) Except as AID may otherwise agree in writing, goods and services financed under the grant shall have their source and origin in countries included in AID Geographic Code 935. This includes sea and air transportation financed under the project when United States source and origin are unavailable.



PROJECT PROPOSAL FOR U.S.A.I.D. ASSISTANCE

PROJECT TITLE : HEALTH EDUCATION MATERIALS AND  
ADVISORY SERVICES

REQUESTING AGENCY : SOUTH PACIFIC COMMISSION

PROPOSED STARTING DATE : JANUARY 1984

DURATION : 2 YEARS

## HEALTH EDUCATION MATERIALS AND ADVISORY SERVICES

### BACKGROUND

Among the many programmes and services provided by the South Pacific Commission to the 22 countries of the Pacific are those addressing the health needs of the region. In this respect the South Pacific Commission employs an Epidemiologist, Dental Public Health Officer, Health Education Officer, Nutritionist (newly created position), and an Adviser in Environmental Health and Food Hygiene. Additional field staff are located on site in specific project areas.

Health education has traditionally been a main component of the SPC health programme due to demand from the Island governments. The Ninth Regional Conference of Permanent Heads of Health Services (French Polynesia, March 1981) recommended 1) that "the South Pacific Commission give assistance upon request to each country to develop and foster its own health education programme and 2) the continuation and strengthening of the Commission's programme in Health Education". In addition, at the Seminar of South Pacific Women (French Polynesia, July 1981), the representatives recommended "that the health education unit of the South Pacific Commission be strengthened by:

- (a) increasing the professional personnel from one health education officer to two;
- (b) increasing the funding of this unit to enable production of health education materials, and for the training of personnel in the production of local materials."

Due to budgetary constraints encountered in recent years, SPC has had to seek external funding for many components of its work programme and to reduce expenditures in others. While SPC will continue to employ the Health Education Officer under its regular budget, funds for materials development, training, clearing-house and advisory services need to be sought from external sources.

### WORK TO DATE

In the past the Health Education section has developed many materials addressing the very important area of nutrition education. Production has included posters and booklets on Infant Feeding, the Three Food Groups and Dental Health; Slide/tape shows on Diabetes and Local Foods; a food leaflet series promoting island foods, and a book on nutrition education is in process. However, the recent creation of the post of Nutritionist will now enable the Health Education Officer to address other aspects of health which have been largely neglected in recent years. Outside the area of nutrition, production has included booklets on dengue fever, prevention and treatment of some common childhood diseases, and child safety.

Training courses have been conducted in various countries around the region upon request. The Health Education Officer also provides assistance to the Community Education Training Centre and Mobile Training Units as well as to other relevant SPC-organised conferences and seminars.

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## BASELINE DATA

Experience in the region and requests from Island governments have led to the conclusion that there is still much work to be done in health education, particularly in the following areas:

- (1) Family health (maternal health, family planning, reproductive physiology, population education, etc.)
- (2) Personal hygiene and cleanliness
- (3) Village sanitation and clean water
- (4) Certain diseases such as malaria
- (5) Smoking and alcohol use and abuse.

Although it is acknowledged that health education is not a panacea for all that ails, it is evident that many persons in the Pacific region do not have adequate information available to help them make informed choices on many aspects of health. The difficulties of communication and transportation add to the isolation of the Island countries, and the spread of health information is not immune to the affects of this isolation.

The South Pacific Commission makes every effort to produce materials relevant to the Pacific region, however variation among the Islands is great and materials which are suited to all countries of the region are difficult to produce. Therefore SPC encourages health and education departments in the region to produce their own materials as well as recognising the need for assistance to the countries in this respect. Translation and printing of materials produced by SPC in Pacific native languages have been carried out in the past upon request and should be continued.

## OBJECTIVES AND METHODOLOGY

### Long-term objective

To improve the health status of Pacific peoples by reducing incidence of diseases and improving knowledge and understanding of positive health practices.

### Short-term objectives

1. To produce simple educational materials in English, French and in some Pacific languages to be distributed throughout the SPC region.
2. To improve SPC's lending library of slides, films and video tapes to better respond to requests from the region in this regard.
3. To provide clearing-house and advisory services in health education in the region.
4. To provide assistance to Island governments interested in developing their own educational materials.

## Project activities

1. Revision and reprinting of SPC materials.  
 There are a limited number of health education materials which have been very popular and are in continuing demand. Among these are the booklet entitled "Primary Care and Prevention of some Common Diseases in Children", "Child Safety" and the French versions of "Dengue Fever" and "Dental Health". It is proposed to reprint those that are in high demand and revise them as necessary.
2. Production of new health education materials.
  - (a) A series of simple booklets on family health is proposed. Explanation of human reproduction, sexually transmitted diseases, family planning, and population education are areas of great need in the region. Maternal health during pregnancy and after will be included. The effects of alcohol and smoking on health, personal hygiene including prevention and treatment of lice and scabies, and health in older adults are also proposed.
  - (b) Posters on the dangers of smoking and alcohol on health are proposed.
  - (c) Village sanitation and clean water are aspects of health that need addressing as demonstrated by the recent cholera epidemic in Truk. A flipchart of steps to good village sanitation and clean water is proposed as well as a slide/tape show on same.
  - (d) Translation and printing of certain materials in Pacific languages is proposed upon request of the country. Limitation in funds for this service will require decisions on priority areas should multiple requests be received.
3. Improve SPC's lending library of audio-visual materials.  
 Purchase of films, video tapes and slide shows to be lent to countries in the region upon request is proposed. SPC currently has a library of approximately 12 films, 15 slide shows and 50 filmstrips that are borrowed by governments, health educators and institutions. While filmstrips used to be a popular item, very few requests have been received in recent years for this type of technology. Most requests currently are for 16 mm films, slides or video tapes. Video is used in some schools and homes in even the remotest of the islands and may well be the best technology to target for these more sophisticated types of health education materials.  
  
 Materials available for the loan service require renewal and replenishment due to depreciation and loss. Purchase of films on smoking and alcohol are of top priority as these items are requested frequently from the region and are currently not available.
4. Clearing-house and advisory services.  
 Advice, assistance and training are provided on request to countries on health matters and programme formulation. Advice on the development of school health education programmes is an example of assistance that is in demand currently. Although SPC's budget includes funds for travel, this service also requires materials assistance in terms of photocopying and other basic supplies.

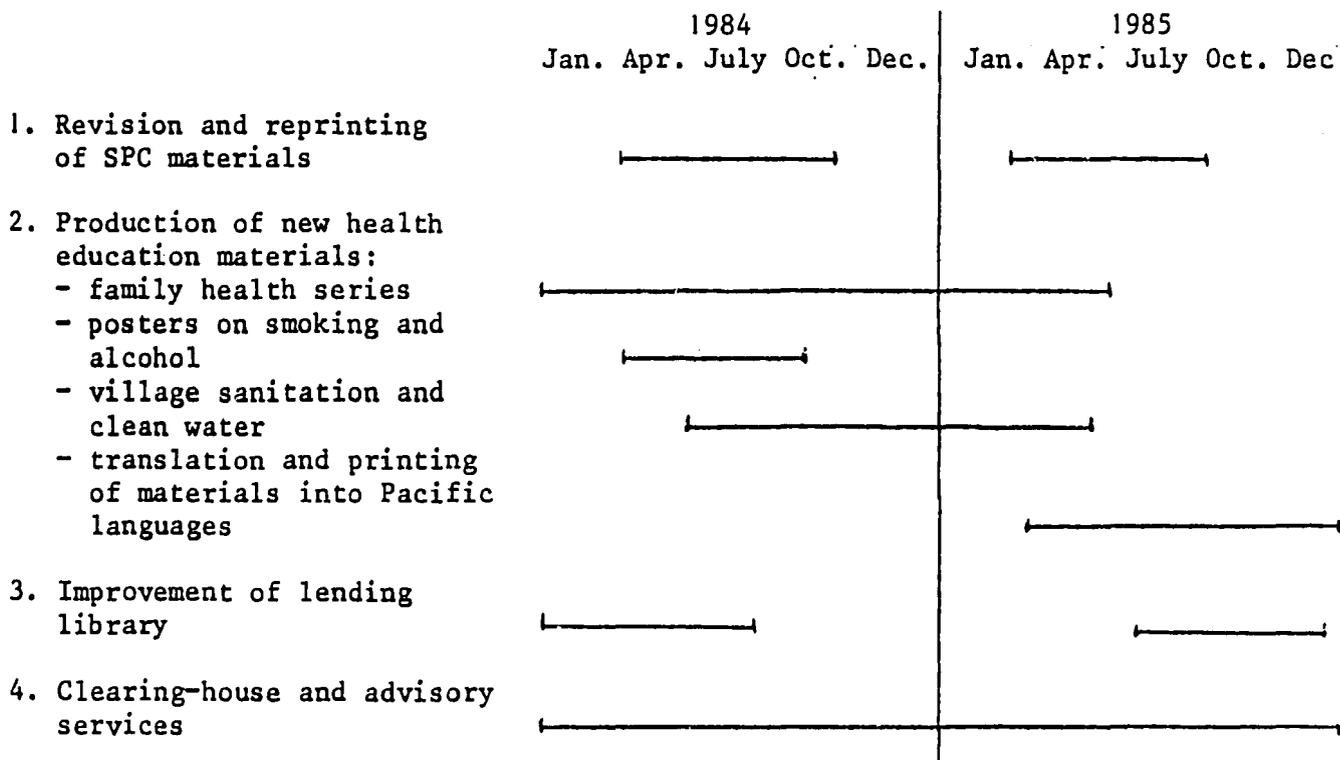
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Assisting countries in developing their own health education materials is an important adjunct to this service. Requests for funds for printing costs or purchase of basic production materials are frequent and their provision would encourage the creative production of materials adapted to specific countries.

### REVIEW AND EVALUATION

Review and evaluation will be carried out by the SPC Health Education Officer based on reports of the user agencies and groups in participating countries. She will also prepare progress reports for the funding agency to the required schedules.

### TIME FRAME



### ASSUMPTIONS

The success of the project assumes the continuing support of governments of the region for SPC activities and the need for improvement of health education programmes in the region.

### POST-PROJECT EXPECTATIONS

This project will provide the region with basic health education tools on which local health educators may base their programmes, particularly in the areas of family health, village sanitation and clean water, and the effects of smoking and alcohol. Additional advisory services and training will better equip health educators to perform their tasks and to develop health education materials themselves.

FINANCIAL NARRATIVE

1. INPUT BY SPC (in CFP francs 00's)	<u>1984</u>	<u>1985</u>
Health Education Officer Salary and ancillary costs	35,875	33,000
Travel costs of Health Education Officer	8,000	8,000

The SPC Regional Media Centre will provide some assistance in material production.

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR U.S.A.I.D. FUNDS (in \$US)

	<u>1984</u>	<u>1985</u>
1. Revision and reprinting of SPC materials	3,000	4,000
2. Production of new health education materials:		
- Family health series	10,000	6,000
- Posters on smoking and alcohol	3,000	2,000
- Village sanitation and clean water : flipchart slide/tape	5,000	5,000
- Translation	1,000	1,000
- Printing in other languages	5,000	6,000
3. Upgrading of lending library	2,000	2,000
4. Clearing-house and advisory services	3,000	3,000
5. Distribution of materials, postage and freight	3,000	3,000
	<u>35,000</u>	<u>32,000</u>

TOTAL : \$US 67,000  
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COUNTRY CHECKLIST

A. GENERAL CRITERIA FOR COUNTRY  
ELIGIBILITY

1. FAA Sec. 116. Has the Department of State determined that this government has engaged in a consistent pattern of gross violations of internationally recognized human rights? If so, can it be demonstrated that contemplated assistance will directly benefit the needy? N/A. This is a regional project with an international organization:
  
2. FAA Sec. 113. Has particular attention been given those programs, projects, and activities which tend to integrate women into the national economies of developing countries, thus improving their status and assisting the total development effort? Yes. This project focuses on the delivery of health education materials.
  
3. FAA Sec. 481. Has it been determined that the government of the recipient country has failed to take adequate steps to prevent narcotics drugs and other controlled substances (as defined by the Comprehensive Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Act of 1970) produced or processed, in whole or in part, in such country, or transported through such country, from being sold illegally within the jurisdiction of such country to U.S. Government personnel or their dependents, or from entering the U.S. unlawfully? N/A

4. FAA Sec. 620(b). If assistance is to a government, has the Secretary of State determined that it is not dominated or controlled by the international Communist movement? N/A.
5. FAA Sec. 620(c). If assistance is to a government, is the government liable as debtor or unconditional guarantor on any debt to a U.S. citizen for goods or services furnished or ordered where (a) such citizen has exhausted available legal remedies; and (b) the debt is not denied or contested by such government? N/A.
6. FAA Sec. 620(e) (1). If assistance is to a government, has it (including government agencies or subdivisions) taken any action which has the effect of nationalizing, expropriating, or otherwise seizing ownership or control of property of U.S. citizens or entities beneficially owned by them without taking steps to discharge its obligations toward such citizens or entities? N/A.
7. FAA Sec. 620(a), 620(f), 6200; 81 App Act. Secs. 512 and 513; ISDCA of 1980 Secs. 717 and 721. Is recipient country a Communist country? Will assistance be provided to Angola, Cambodia, Cuba, Laos or Vietnam? (Food and humanitarian assistance distributed directly to the people of Cambodia are excepted). Will assistance be provided to Afghanistan or Mozambique without a waiver? Are funds for El Salvador to be used for planning for compensation or for the purpose of compensation, for the confiscation No.

nationalization, acquisition or expropriation of any agricultural or banking enterprise, or property or stock thereof?

8. FAA Sec. 620(i). Is recipient country in any way involved in (a) subversion of, or military aggression against, the United States or any country receiving U.S. assistance, or (b) the planning of such subversion or aggression? N/A.
9. FAA Sec. 620(j). Has the country permitted, or failed to take adequate measures to prevent the damage or destruction, by mob action, of U.S. property? N/A.
10. FAA Sec. 620(k). Does the program furnish assistance in excess of \$100,000,000 for the construction of a productive enterprise, except for productive enterprises in Egypt that were described in the Congressional Presentation materials for FY 1977, FY 1980 or FY 1981? No.
11. FAA Sec. 620(l). If the country has failed to institute the investment guarantee program for the specific risks of expropriation, inconvertibility or confiscation, has the AID Administrator within the past year considered denying assistance to such government for this reason? N/A.
12. FAA Sec. 620(m). Is the country an economically developed nation capable of sustaining its own defense burden and economic growth and, if so, does it meet any of the exceptions to FAA Section 620(m)? N/A.

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13. FAA Sec. 620(o); Fishermen's Protective Act of 1967, as amended, Sec. 5. If country has seized, or imposed any penalty or sanction against, any U.S. fishing activities in international waters, N/A.

a. has any deduction required by the Fishermen's Protective Act been made?

b. has complete denial of assistance been considered by AID Administrator?

14. FAA Sec. 620(q); 81 App. Act. Sec. 517. N/A.

(a) Is the government of the recipient country in default for more than six months on interest or principal of any AID loan to the country?

(b) Is the country in default exceeding one year on interest or principal on any U.S. loan under a program for which the Continuing Resolution appropriates funds?

15. FAA Sec. 620(s). If contemplated assistance is development loan or from Economic Support Fund, has the Administrator taken into account the percentage of the country's budget which is for military expenditures, the amount of foreign exchange spent on military equipment and the amount spent for the purchase of sophisticated weapons systems? (An affirmative answer may refer to the record of the annual "Taking Into Consideration" memo: "Yes, taken into account by the Administrator at time of approval of Agency OYB." This approval N/A.

by the Administrator of the Operational Year Budget can be the basis for an affirmative answer during the fiscal year unless significant changes in circumstances occur.)

16. FAA Sec. 620(t). Has the country severed diplomatic relations with the United States? If so, have they been resumed and have new bilateral assistance agreements been negotiated and entered into since such resumption? N/A.
17. FAA Sec. 620(u). What is the payment status of the country's U.N. obligations? If the country is in arrears, were such arrearages taken into account by the AID Administrator in determining the current AID Operational Year Budget? N/A.
18. FAA Sec. 620A; 81 App. Act Sec. 520. Has the country aided or abetted, by granting sanctuary from prosecution to, any individual or group which has committed an act of international terrorism? Has the country aided or abetted, by granting sanctuary from prosecution to, any individual or group which has committed a war crime? N/A.
19. FAA Sec. 666. Does the country object, on basis of race, religion, national origin or sex, to the presence of any officer or employee of the U.S. there is to carry out economic development program under FAA? N/A.

20. FAA Sec. 669, 670. Has the country, after August 3, 1977, delivered or received nuclear enrichment or reprocessing equipment, materials, or technology, without specified arrangements or safeguards? Has it detonated a nuclear device after August 3, 1977, although not a "nuclear-weapon State" under the nonproliferation treaty?
- N/A.

B. FUNDING SOURCE CRITERIA FOR COUNTRY ELIGIBILITY

Development Assistance Country Criteria.

- a. FAA Sec. 102(b)(4). Have criteria been established and taken into account to assess commitment progress of country in effectively involving the poor in development, on such indexes as: (1) increase in agricultural, (2) reduced infant mortality, (3) control of population growth, (4) equality of income distribution, (5) reincome distribution, (5) reduction of unemployment, and (6) increased literacy?
- N/A. This is a regional project to an international organization.
- b. FAA Sec. 104(d)(1). If appropriate, is this development (including Sahel) activity designed to build motivation for smaller families through modification of economic and social conditions supportive of the desire for large families in programs such as education in and out of school, nutrition, disease control, maternal and child health services, agricultural production, rural development, assistance to urban poor and through community development programs which give recognition to people motivated to limit the size of their families?
- Yes. Health education materials and training address concerns.

PROJECT CHECKLIST

A. GENERAL CRITERIA FOR PROJECT

1. 81 App. Act. Unnumbered; Sec. 653(b).  

(a) Describe how authorizing and appropriations Committees of Senate and House have been or will be notified concerning the project; (b) is assistance within (Operational Year Budget) country or international organization allocation reported to Congress (or not more than \$1 million over that amount)?

(a) FY1984 Congressional notification with data page.  
(b) Yes.
2. FAA Sec. 611(a)(1). Prior to obligation in excess of \$100,000, will there be (a) engineering, financial other plans necessary to carry out the assistance and (b) a reasonably firm estimate of the cost to the U.S. of the assistance?  

N/A
3. FAA Sec. 611(a)(2). If further legislative action is required within recipient country, what is basis for reasonable expectation that such action will be completed in time to permit orderly accomplishment of purpose of the assistance?  

N/A
4. FAA Sec. 611(b); 81 App. Act. Sec. 501. If for water or water-related land resource construction, has project met the standards and criteria as set forth in the Principles and Standards for Planning Water and Related Land Resources, dated October 25, 1973?  

N/A

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5. FAA Sec. 611(e). If project is capital assistance (e.g., construction), and all U.S. assistance for it will exceed \$1 million, has Mission Director certified and Regional Assistant Administrator taken into consideration the country's capability effectively to maintain and utilize the project?
6. FAA Sec. 209. Is project susceptible of execution as part of regional or multilateral project? If so, why is project not so executed? Information and conclusion whether assistance will encourage regional development programs.
7. FAA Sec. 601(a). Information and conclusions whether project will encourage efforts of the country to: (a) increase the flow of international trade; (b) foster private initiative and competition; and (c) encourage development and use of unions, and savings and loan associations; (d) discourage monopolistic practices; (e) improve technical efficiency of industry, agriculture and commerce; and (f) strengthen free labor unions.
8. FAA Sec. 601(b). Information and conclusion on how project will encourage U.S. private trade and investment abroad and encourage private U.S. participation in foreign assistance programs (including use of private trade channels and the services of U.S. private enterprises).
- Yes. It is a regional project.
- N/A. This is a small regional project focussed on Health Education Concern.
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9. FAA Sec. 612(b); Sec. 636(h);  
Describe steps taken to assure  
that, to the maximum extent  
possible, the country is contri-  
buting local currencies to meet  
the cost of contractual and  
other services, and foreign  
currencies owned by the U.S.  
are utilized in lieu of dollars. N/A.
10. FAA Sec. 612(d). Does the U.S.  
own excess foreign currency  
of the country and, if so, what  
arrangements have been made for  
its release? No excess currency coun-  
is involved in this Pro
11. FAA Sec. 601(e). Will the pro-  
ject utilize competitive selec-  
tion procedures for the award-  
ing of contracts, except where  
applicable procurement rules  
allow otherwise? Yes.
12. App. Act. Sec. 521. If assis-  
tance is for the production  
of any commodity for export,  
is the commodity likely  
to be in surplus on world  
markets at the time the resul-  
ting productive capacity becomes  
operative, and is such assis-  
tance likely to cause substan-  
tial injury to U.S. producers  
of the same, similar or compe-  
ting commodity? N/A.

B. FUNDING CRITERIA FOR PROJECT

1. Development Assistance Project Criteria.

- a. FAA Sec. 102(b); 111; 113; 28(a). Extent to which activity will (a) effectively involve the poor in development, by extending access to economy at local level, increasing labor-intensive production and the use of appropriate technology, spreading investment out from cities to small towns and rural areas, and insuring wide participation of the poor in the benefits of development on a sustained basis, using the appropriate U.S. institutions; (b) help develop cooperatives, especially by technical assistance, to assist rural and urban poor to help themselves toward better life, and otherwise encourage democratic private and local governmental institutions; (c) support the self-help efforts of developing countries; (d) promote the participation of women in the national economies of developing countries and the improvement of women's status; and (e) utilize and encourage regional cooperation by developing countries?

This is a small, regional project to an international organization and is focussed on Health Education Materials and advisory services.

- b. FAA Sec. 103, 103A, 104, 105, 106, 107. Is assistance being made available: (include only applicable paragraph which corresponds to source of funds used. If more than one fund source is used for project, include relevant paragraph for each fund source).

- (1) (104) for population planning under Sec. 104(b) or health under Sec. 104(c); if so, (i) extent to which activity emphasizes low-cost, integrated delivery systems for health, nutrition and family planning for the poorest people, with particular attention to the needs of mothers and young children, using paramedical and auxiliary medical personnel, clinics and health posts, commercial distribution systems and other modes of community research. Yes.
- c. (107) is appropriate effort placed on use of appropriate technology? (relatively smaller, cost-saving, labor using technologies that are generally most appropriate for the small farms, small businesses, and small incomes of the poor). Yes.
- d. FAA Sec. 110(a). Will the recipient country provide at least 25% of the costs of the program, project, or activity with respect to which the assistance is to be furnished (or has the latter cost-sharing requirement been waived for a "relatively least developed" country)? N/A.
- e. FAA Sec. 110(b). Will grant capital assistance be disbursed for project over more than 3 years? If so, has justification satisfactory to Congress been made, and efforts for other financing, or is the recipient country "relatively least developed"? No.
- f. FAA Sec. 281(b). Describe extent to which program recognizes the particular needs, desires, and capacities of the people of the country; utilizes the country's intellectual resources to encourage institutional development; and supports civil education and training in skills required for effective participation in governmental processes essential to self-government. N/A.
- g. FAA Sec. 122(b). Does the activity give reasonable promise of contributing to the development of economic resources, or to the increase of productive capacities and self-sustaining economic growth? Yes.

STANDARD ITEM CHECKLIST

A. Procurement.

1. FAA Sec. 602. Are there arrangements to permit U.S. small business to participate equitably in the furnishing of commodities and services financed? Such arrangements are impractical in this Project.
2. FAA Sec. 604(a). Will all procurement be from the U.S. except as otherwise determined by the President or under delegation from him? Yes.
3. FAA Sec. 604(d). If the cooperating country discriminates against U.S. marine insurance companies, will commodities be insured in the United States against marine risk with a company or companies authorized to do a marine insurance business in the U.S.? Yes.
4. FAA Sec. 604(e); ISDCA of 1980 Sec. 705(a). If offshore procurement of agricultural commodity or product is to be financed, is there provision against such procurement when the domestic price of such commodity is less than parity? (Exception where commodity financed could not be reasonably procured in U.S.) N/A.
5. FAA Sec. 603. Is the shipping excluded from compliance with requirement in Section 901(b) of the Merchant Marine Act of 1936, as amended, that at least 50 per centum of the gross tonnage of commodities (computed separately for dry bulk carriers, dry cargo liners and tankers) financed shall be transported on privately-owned U.S.-flag commercial vessels to the extent that such vessels are available at fair and reasonable rates? Yes.

- FAA Sec. 621. If technical assistance is financed, to the fullest extent practicable will such assistance, goods and professional and other services from private enterprise, be furnished on a contract basis? If the facilities of other Federal agencies will be utilized, are they particularly suitable, not competitive with private enterprise, and made available without undue interference with domestic programs? Yes.  
N/A.
7. International Air Transport. Fair Competitive Practices Act, 1974. If air transportation of persons or property is financed on grant basis, will provision be made that U.S.--flag carriers will be utilized to the extent such service is available? Yes.
8. 81 App. Act. Sec. 504. If the U.S. Government is a party to a contract for procurement, does the contract contain a provision authorizing termination of such contract for the convenience of the United States? It will.
- B. Construction.
1. FAA Sec. 601(d). If a capital (e.g., construction) project, are engineering and professional services of U.S. firms and their affiliates to be used to the maximum extent consistent with the national interest? N/A.
2. FAA Sec. 611(c). If contracts for construction are to be financed, will they be let on a competitive basis to maximum extent practicable? N/A.
3. FAA Sec. 620(k). If for construction of productive enterprise, will aggregate value of assistance to be furnished by the U.S. not exceed \$100 million? N/A.

C. Other Restrictions.

1. FAA Sec. 122(b). If development loan, is interest rate at least 2% per annum during grace period and at least 3% per annum thereafter? N/A.
2. FAA Sec. 301(d). If fund is established solely by U.S. contributions and administered by an international organization, does Comptroller General have audit rights? N/A.
3. FAA Sec. 620(h). Do arrangements exist to insure that United States foreign aid is not used in a manner which, contrary to the best interests of the United States, promotes or assists the foreign aid projects or activities of the Communist-bloc countries? Yes.
4. Will arrangements preclude use of financing:
  - a. FAA Sec. 104(f). To pay for performance of abortions as a method of family planning or to, motivate or coerce persons to practice abortions; to pay for performance of involuntary sterilization as a method of family planning, or to coerce or provide financial incentive to any person to undergo sterilization? Yes.
  - b. FAA Sec. 620(g). To compensate owners for expropriated nationalized property? Yes.

- c. FAA Sec. 636(i). For purchase, sale, long-term lease, exchange or guaranty of the sale of motor vehicles manufactured outside U.S., unless a waiver is obtained. Yes.
- d. FAA Sec. 660. To provide training or advice or provide any financial support for police, prisons, or other law enforcement forces, except for narcotics programs? Yes.
- e. FAA Sec. 662. For CIA activities? Yes.
- f. 81 App. Act. Sec. 503. To pay pensions, annuities retirement pay, or adjusted service compensation for military personnel? Yes.
- g. 81 App. Act. Sec. 505. To pay U.S. assessments, arrearages or dues. Yes.
- h. 81 App. Act. Sec. 506. To carry out provisions of FAA Section 209 (d) (Transfer of FAA funds to multi-lateral organizations for lending.) Yes.
- i. 81 App. Act. Sec. 510. To finance the export of nuclear equipment fuel, or technology or to train foreign nationals in nuclear fields? Yes.
- j. 81 App. Act. Sec. 511. Will assistance be provided for the purpose of aiding the efforts of the

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government of such country  
to repress the legitimate  
rights of the population of  
such country contrary to  
the Universal Declaration  
of Human Rights?

No.

- k. 81 App. Act. Sec. 515.  
To be used for publicity  
or propaganda purposes  
within U.S. not author-  
ized by Congress?

Yes.

ACTION MEMORANDUM FOR THE REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT OFFICER

FROM : Assistant Regional Development Officer,  
Louis Kuhn *L. Kuhn*

SUBJECT : Initial Environmental Examination for  
South Pacific Commission's Health  
Education Project 879-0005, South  
Pacific Regional, FY-84

Problem: Need a Threshold Decision on the  
subject project.

Discussion: In the AID "Guidelines for the preparation  
of Initial Environmental Examination," AID  
recognizes that there are some projects which  
by their general nature ordinarily have little  
or no impact on the environment. They, there-  
fore, usually do not require the preparation of  
an Environmental Assessment (or Environmental  
Impact Statement). Among such projects ordi-  
narily exempt are:

- Education or training programs not directly  
affecting the environment
- Analyses, studies, academia or investigative  
research, workshops and meetings
- Document and information transfer.

This project is designed exclusively: (1) to  
prepare health education materials; (2) to  
decimate the materials throughout the South  
Pacific; (3) to provide training; and (4) to  
provide clearing house and advisory services.

The project therefore meets the exempt status  
requirement. The project is judged to have  
little, if any, impact on the environment.

Recommendation: That you exempt Project 879-0005 Health  
Education, "Health Education Materials and  
Advisory Services," from requiring the prepara-  
tion of an Environment Statement.

Concur

Non-Concur

Attach: Copy of SPC Proposal  
Health Education  
(Project 879-0005)

*L. Kuhn*  
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Signature

*May 8, 1984*  
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Date

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