Dedicated to Environmental Education, Ecological Restoration & the Reforestation of the Island Nation of Haiti

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North Miami, August 15, 2012

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CITY MANAGERS OFFICE

City of North Miami
Mayor Andre Pierre, Esq.
Vice-Mayor Jean Marcellus
Councilwoman Marie Erlande Steril
Councilman Scott Galvin
Councilman Michael Blynn
Manager Stephen Johnson
776 NE 125 Street
N. Miami, FL 33161

Mr. Mayor, Council, and Mr. Manager,

Operation Green Leaves (OGL) is a well-known and long-established not for profit organization that has had a number of initiatives in Haiti over the years. Our actions have mostly been in the areas of environmental protection, reforestation and sanitation in that country which, as you know, has been confronted with serious difficulties and problems in said areas.

OGL has learned that, with the view of continuing to provide its citizens with improved and reliable services, as its Mayor and Council has always sought to, the City of North Miami's Department of Sanitation is about to dispose of a number of garbage collection equipment. OGL was able to inspect and select seven (7) pieces among the Department's fleet and is interested in obtaining them.

This letter is to request that the City of North Miami grant the equipment that were identified to Operation Green Leaves, which will then ship them to Haiti for use in various sanitation and garbage collection operations in low-income neighborhoods among other assignments. Maximum Supplies, a Haitian company will be responsible for shipping to Port-au-Prince where it will also be in charge of their operation. OGL can attest to the fact shipping will in no way be a burden to the tax-payers of the City of North Miami.

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Operation Green Leaves thank the City of North Miami in anticipation for its understanding and cooperation and wish to commend its Mayor, Council, and administration for the excellent work performed which led to its selection as one of the ten best cities in the USA.

Yours Truly,

Nadine Patrice
Executive Director

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
DISTRICT DIRECTOR
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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASU

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Addendum Applies:
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Dear Applicant:

Based on the information you recently submitted, we have classified your organization as one that is not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Internal Revenue Code because you are described in section 509(a)(2).

Your exempt status under section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code as an organization described in 501(c)(3) is still in effect.

This classification is based on the assumption that your operations wil continue as you have stated. If your sources of support, or your purposes, character, or method of operation change, please let us know so we can consi the effect of the change on your exempt status and foundation status.

This supersedes our letter dated May 01, 1996.

Grantors and contributors may rely on this determination unless the Internal Revenue Service publishes notice to the contrary. However, if you lose your section 509(a)(2) status, a grantor or contributor may not rely on this determination if he or she was in part responsible for, or was aware of the act or failure to act, or the substantial or material change on the part the organization that resulted in your loss of such status, or if he or she acquired knowledge that the Internal Revenue Service had given notice that would no longer be classified as a section 509(a)(2) organization.

If we have indicated in the heading of this letter that an addendum applies, the addendum enclosed is an integral part of this letter.

Because this letter could help resolve any questions about your privat foundation status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

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If you have any questions, please contact the person whose name and lephone number are shown above.

Sincerely yours,

District Director