



BUPATI KABUPATEN KEPULAUAN YAPEN

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Attn: Mr. Bennet Chen Wen Bin,
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Economic Division of
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Office,
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Dear Sir,

"Yapen" is the name of the Northern regency of the province of Papua, consist of a group of islands, with the size of approximately 18.900 Km² (eighteen thousand nine hundred square kilometers), is populated around 80.000 (eighty thousand) people. The quantity of the rainfall is quite high which is good for agriculture and plants especially because the soil is very fertile. Grassland grows on vividly while the sea surround the island is very clean, unpolluted and contains so many kinds of healthy fishes which could be seen from the surface of the water.

It's a pity that the islanders are not well educated. They have lived a simple life since they live in the land long time ago. They do not have the adequate skill to explore the wealth of their rich habitat. Growing sweet potatoes, catching fishes using primitive tools make them still left behind, far from becoming a wealthy and developed society.

The regional Government has a very strong intention to leverage the social life of the people through education and direct empowerment by establishing several pilot projects in each region according to their local situation and condition.

Those pilot projects will consist of the following fields:

- I. Agriculture.
 - a. Growing corn, soybean, or which ever suitable with the climate.
 - b. Improvement the technique of plantation to grow cocoa and coffee tree to get a better result quantity as well as in quality. Developing post harvest processing method that guaranties a product of export quality.
 - c. Planting horticultural that suit the local season.

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II. Livestock breeding:

- a. Lay eggs duck breeding. In fact that there are so many rivers in access where duck food are plenty, it is expected that only a small amount of artificial duck food is needed for a good duck breeding program to give abundant duck eggs for sale and self consumption.
- b. Cows breeding for beef and milk program. Including the knowledge of insemination and production of fabricated cow's food.
- c. Pigs breeding, also intended to have a program like above.

III. Fishery.

- a. Aqua culturing several marketable sea weeds.
- b. Aqua culturing several kinds of fish, lobster, shrimp and crab that suit the habitat.

IV. The regional Government also needs assistance to design an integrated animal butchery house.

Due to the limited human resources to teach and guide the practice works on the field as well as marketing the product, we request the help of the Director of Taipei Economic and Trade Office to provide all those skilled personnel as to make our pilot project well accomplished and successful.

In order to set a convenient communication and implementation of this cooperative project, we appoint the following persons as our representative:

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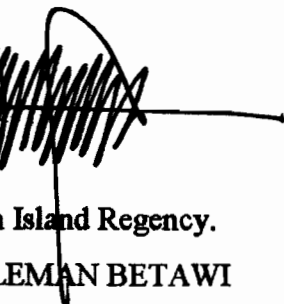
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We look forward to a mutual beneficial cooperation together.

 Yours,

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