



MINISTRY OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Te Manatū Whakahiato Ora

CERTIFICATE OF ACCREDITATION [Adoption (Intercountry) Act 1997]

28 July 2004

Compassion for Orphans has met the criteria set out in section 15 of the Adoption (Intercountry) Act 1997 and I have approved Compassion for Orphans as a New Zealand accredited body.

I have delegated to Compassion for Orphans the functions set out in Articles 9, 18, and 20, and paragraphs 2 and 3 of Article 19 of the Hague Convention on the Protection of Children and Co-operation in Respect of Intercountry Adoption according to Regulations 3(1)(a),(c),(d) and (e) of the Adoption (Intercountry) Regulations 1998.

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