

# STOP

Stop Trafficking of People

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## LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

### **RE: THE OLIVE GROVE AND OLIVIA NAGAN**

Olivia Nagan has been working alongside with me since 2000 and therefore I am well equipped to recommend her.

She has for the past 10 years been actively involved with uplifting programs for the youth of the Cape Peninsula such as NO APOLOGIES – Abstinence Program. She has had an active youth group for the past 18 years where weekly programs have been run on Life Skills and coping mechanisms in volatile circumstances. She has in the meantime started presenting Traffic proof programs for STOP, where she is equipping children and young people not to become victims of human trafficking. As Olivia has up until now been working completely voluntarily, she has proved that her love for children and passion to see them equipped to face the challenges of life has been her first and foremost reason for commitment.

As Director of STOP I have great liberty to endorse the work of “The Olive Grove” and the work that the Director Olivia Nagan is doing through this organisation and I support her fully as I have seen her passion for the youth and huge sacrifices she has made these past years to serve them. I also believe that the work The Olive Grove is doing is not only going to impact the local community but also the whole Cape Province. The programs already developed are busy gaining National and International recognition and can benefit young people far and wide. I therefore support The Olive Grove as an authentic NPO actively contributing to changing of not only individuals, but also families, communities and ultimately the young people of our precious Nation South Africa.

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