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Dear Ms. Pamela Ateka,

Herewith we would like to let you know that your annual narrative and financial report has been approved. Many thanks for your detailed response to our additional questions.

For your future projects, we would like to advise you to not mainly focus on abstinence and faithfulness in your messages (see under 'solo verses' and 'short stories'), but also on other - and maybe more realistic - indicators of HIV/AIDS prevention and risk reduction (e.g. responsible behaviour and condom use). Also be very careful in insinuating a high risk of HIV-infection by doctors treating HIV-infected patients (see under 'plays'). Given the sources of HIV-transmission, this risk is almost non-existent.

We wish you good luck with all your future activities!

With kind regards,

on behalf of Miriam Elderhorst,
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