July 10, 1978.

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With all good wishes,

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosed you will find a short description of the Institute's history and scope of activities, the list of the members of its Board of Trustees and Planning Council, and descriptions of our three ongoing porjects.

As you will see from this material, the Institute was established in 1972 with the help of the UNDP. The establishment of this Institute was, in fact, one of the last things Paul Hoffman did before his illness, and he was Honorary President of our Board. The IOI's work has been supported by foundation grants (the Ford Foundation, General Service Foundation, Agnelli, etc.), by Governments (the Netherlands, Mexico, Jamaica, Algiers, Sweden), by private donations (we have established two Public Foundations: the Friends of the IOI in the USA and the Canadian Friends of the IOI, for the collection of tax-free contributions), and by royalties on books.

Our main activities at present are the preparation of Pacem in Maribus IX and Pacem in Maribus X. PIM IX will take place in Yaounde in January, 1979. It will be devoted to African problems. A provisional agenda is enclosed. PIM X (1980) will be a general NGO Conference on the Law of the Sea and Ocean Management. The place has not yet been determined.

Furthermore, we are developing three major projects:

1. The Ocean Yearbook. The publication of volume I is imminent, and I am enclosing an announcement. This

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has been financed by the General Service Foundation, the Government of the Netherlands, and the Gulben-khian Foundation in Lisbon. We are now preparing volume II with the same support.

- Marine Resources, Ocean Management, and International Development Strategy for the 80s and Beyond by Arvid Pardo, myself, and consultants. A project outline is enclosed. This has been initiated with a grant from IFDA. We are presently negotiating for an additional grant from FUNDPAP. The project has already been reviewed by the Ocean Economics and Technology Office of the Department of International Economic and Social Affairs of the U.N. and is "viewed as being constructive and useful ... could complement the work of the United Nations." (Letter from Ramaswami Mani, Chief, Office of the Under-Secretary General, Department of International Economics and Social Affairs, U.N., June 9).
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- 4. Lastly, we are continuing our studies on the institutional requirements of the new Law of the Sea. This was initiated in cooperation with Jan Tinbergen in the framework of the RIO Report and, on the request by Jan Tinbergen, it was financed separately by the Netherlands Government. I am sending you a copy of the volume resulting from this work, entitled The New International Economic Order and the Law of the Sea.

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