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Geneva, 8 September 1980

Dear Mrs. Mann-Borgese,

I am sending you a copy of a letter, the original of which was addressed to you by Mr. Jan Pronk on 28 August 1980 via the Austrian Permanent Delegation in Geneva because we understood that you were at the time in Geneva and would receive the letter before your departure. Unfortunately we missed you, the letter was returned here and I immediately re-expedited it to your address in Canada. However, I am not sure that it was sent to you by airmail which means that it might take a fortnight to arrive. So I prefer to send you this copy by airmail and I apologise for any inconvenience which may have been caused to you.

Yours sincerely,

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Dear Mrs. Mann-Borgese,

Further to my letter of 8 July last - by which I sent you a second memorandum on possible co-operation between non-governmental organizations - and to the reactions which I have received so far, I am pleased to inform you as follows.

Given the fact that the date for the informal meeting as originally suggested (19 September 1980) proved to be inconvenient for some participants, I now propose Monday, 6 October next in Geneva hoping this will be convenient for everybody. The meeting will take place at the Graduate Institute of International Studies (132, rue de Lausanne; tel.: (022) 31 17 30), which has kindly offered its hospitality, and start at 10.30 hours. I suggest we continue our meeting over a "subscription lunch" at 13.00 hours across the road in the Hotel Mon Repos and finish by 16.30 hours at the latest.

The agenda of our informal meeting would be limited to the question of how co-operation between non-governmental organizations, primarily those represented at the meeting but not necessarily limited to them - can be promoted in a concrete way.

I should appreciate being informed (c/o UNCTAD) as soon as possible who will attend our meeting. In order to avoid it becoming too large, I would repeat my suggestion that IFDA, IIED, IOI, RIO and SID should each send two representatives (one at board and one at management level) and that the Governments of Canada, The Netherlands, Norway and Sweden each send one or two representatives.

Yours sincerely,

Jan P. Pronk

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May 13, 1979.

Mr. Stig Andersen
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Dear Mr. Andersen:

You may remember that a few months ago I came to see you at your office in Geneva to inform you about our seabed mining training project and inquire about the possibility of UNDP support.

You suggested that I get in touch with Mr. Mashler, which I did at the time. Mr. Mashler's reply was negative: since his interregional/global funds were exhausted. He made no reference to the OPEC funds.

During my recent stay in Geneva I had lunch with Ross Mountain, and he suggested I should contact you again. He also suggested you might put me in touch with G. Arthur Brown who might lend a sympathetic ear to our request. The moment, furthermore, might be favorable, since the Governing Council will meet next month.

I am enclosing copy of my letter to Mr. Brown and I would be very grateful if you could draw his attention to the matter. I know there are developing countries on the Governing Council who are very much interested in the project.

Thanking you for your interest,

Yours sincerely,

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August 21, 1980.

Mr. M.O. Adio
Delegation of Nigeria
UNCLOS

Dear Mr. Adio:

Could you be so very kind as to transmit the enclosed material through the proper channels? Mr. Molokwu indicated that "One delegate from Nigeria here is from this oil corporation and will be glad to collect the letter from you" -- but I don't know which one it is: he does not appear in the list of delegates! So I would be very grateful if you could help out again.

With all good wishes,

Yours cordially,

Elisabeth mann Borgese
chairman, Planning Council.