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August 26, 1985

Professor Elisabeth Mann Borgese, Department of Political Science, Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia B3H 4H6

Dear Professor Borgese:

Thank you very much for your letter of August 19, 1985 in which you requested the support of our Foundation for the Management and Conservation of Marine Resources training programme organized by the International Ocean Institute.

Your request will be referred to members of the Board of Directors of our Foundation for a preliminary review to determine the degree of interest we may have in assisting you with this programme. Once the results of that review are known, we will contact you again and advise you whether your request will be referred to a full meeting of our Board of Directors for a decision.

Yours sincerely,

K. A. Hodgson

Executive Director

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December 3, 1985

Professor Elisabeth Mann Borgese, Department of Political Science, Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia B3H 4H6

Dear Professor Borgese:

Please refer to our letter of August 26, 1985 in which we advised that your request for funding would be referred to members of the Board of Directors of our Foundation for a preliminary review. The results of that review are now available, and there was not sufficient interest expressed to warrant placing your application before a full meeting of our Board of Directors. Therefore, we will not consider your application any further.

In spite of our inability to assist you, we would nonetheless like to wish you every success in securing the funding you require for your programme.

Yours sincerely,

K. A. Hodgson Executive Director

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May 2, 1985

David B. Shires, M.D., MPH, FCFP,
Director,
International Health Office,
Lester Pearson Institute for International Development,
1321 Edward Street,
Halifax, Nova Scotia
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Dear Dr. Shires:

Thank you very much for your letter of April 23, 1985 expressing interest in the work of our Foundation. Our latest Report was for 1983 which you have already seen; however, we are now enclosing a copy of the grants that were made during 1984, which brings you up to date with our current activities.

I would be very pleased to meet with you near the end of May to discuss the possibility of your organization submitting an application to our Foundation for possible funding.

Would you please note our change of address as shown on our letterhead.

Yours sincerely,

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K. A. Hodgson Executive Director

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August 18, 1985

Mr. K.A. Hodgson Executive Director The Gladys and Merrill Muttart Foundation 530,9919-105 Street Edmonton, Alberta T5K 1B1

Dear Mr. Hodgson:

My colleagues at the Lester Pearson Institute at Dalhousie University showed me the report of your Foundation on the 1984 Grants which I have studied with great interest.

In cooperation with the Lester Pearson Institute, my Institute has just completed a 10-week training programme in marine resource management and conservation for civil servants from developing countries. This was one of a series of sixteen 10-week programmes which we have completed so far. Others are scheduled for the future, at Dalhousie, in Malta, and in other parts of the world, including the Peoples Republic of China and the Indian Ocean.

As a sample I am enclosing the syllabus for a programme which will start next months in Yugoslavia.

We are an independent nongovernmental international organisation with headquarters in Malta. We are governed by a
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of the Board is H.E. Ambassador Layachi Yaker of Algeria.
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members of the Board. Our second governing body is the Planning Council, of which I have the honor to be the chairman.
It is composed of 24 outstanding scientists, diplomats,
legal experts and industrial experts.

Our annual budget is around CA\$ 800,000. Almost 25 percent of this comes from CIDA, our major donor, followed by the Commonwealth Secretariat, various U.N. agencies, and Governments of States hosting our conferences or training programmes.

Our activities consist of policy research, publications (the Ocean Yearbook, published for us by the University

of Chicgo Press), Conferences (Pacem in Maribus), and training.

Our main emphasis is on North-South cooperation in ocean affairs and on working with developing countries to enable them to get the greatest benefit from the new law of the sea. We are convinced this can make a significant contribution to development and an improvement of the world food situation.

We would very much like to apply for a grant from your Foundation. If, in principle, our activities were to be of interest to you, could we perhaps discuss some concrete possibilities upon my return to Dalhousie early in September.

I am presently in Geneva attending the Third Session of the Preparatory Commission for the International Seabed Authority & the Internationl Tribunal for the Law of the Sea.

Looking forward to hearing from you, with all good wishes,

Sincerely yours,

Elisabeth Mann Borgese

Professor

Please reply to

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Sorry about the typos! No secretary!