Malta Oceanographic Commission c/o ECONOMIC PLANNING DIVISION, TEL. 225231, 224901 CASTILLE, Your Ref. Our Ref. MALTA. 13 March 1987. Prof. Elisabeth Mann Borgese Pearson Institute Dalhousie University

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Dear Prof. Mann Borgese,

I am enclosing herewith, for your information, a copy of the leading article in the local Times of the 5 March 1987. It is a positive contribution and I trust that you will find it interesting.

I would like to take this opportunity to express my satisfaction at working closely with you on the proposal for the setting up of a Mediterranean Centre for Research and Development in Marine Industrial Technology. Should you require any additional information or clarification from this end during your further studies on the project please do not hesitate to contact me. Indeed, I would be pleased to hear about any relevant developments as they occur. Any future action by the Government of Malta on this initiative needs, as you will certainly understand, to be very well planned and equally well timed.

The setting up of new international institutions of the type envisaged is, of course, not an easy task and the UN system of technical co-operation now does not seem to encourage them, presumably also because of the difficulty of maintaining an acceptable level of financial contributions after the initial first few years of operation. That being the case, then perhaps our final project document should endeavour to propose a set-up that would inherently ensure an ongoing interest in effective participation by the members and, consequently, an ongoing reasonable level of contributions.

With best personal regards.

Yours sincerely,

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