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H.E. Mr. Mohamed Daoud  
President and Prime Minister  
Kabul, Afghanistan

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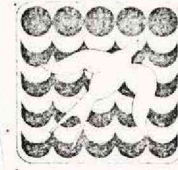
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H.E. Mr. Justice A.M. Sayem  
President of the People's Republic of Bangladesh  
Dacca, Bangladesh

*Mr. Justice*

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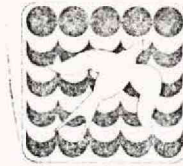
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H.E. Mr. A. M. Mogwe  
Minister of External Affairs  
Office of the President  
Private Bag 1  
Gaborone, Botswana, S. Africa

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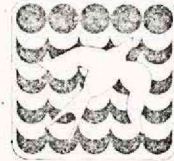
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Lieutenant Colonel Waeal Abdelkader Kamoujue  
Minister of Foreign Affairs and of Cooperation  
Ndjamena, Republic of Chad, Africa

*My dear Mr. Kamoujue,*

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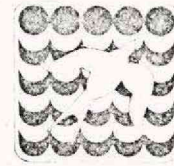
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Minister of Foreign Affairs  
Havana, Cuba

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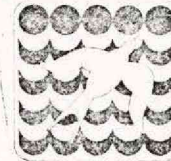
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Minister of Foreign Affairs  
Conakry, Guinea, West Africa

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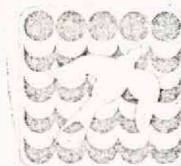
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January 24, 1977

H.E. Mr. Frederick Wills  
Minister of Foreign Affairs  
Georgetown  
G U Y A N A

*My dear Mr. Wills*

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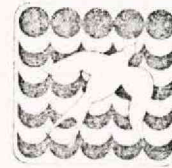
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January 20, 1977.

Mr. N.K.P. Salve MP Lok Sabha  
4 Dupleix Lane  
New Delhi, India.

*My dear N.K.P.,*  
The enclosed copy of my letter to Dr. Jagota and the enclosures are self-explanatory. In short: We are planning an "expanded cooperative program on the new international economic order and the law of the sea" and we would like to get it supported by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Countries at its meeting in March in New Delhi. India's position is crucial in this matter.

The Law of the Sea Conference is really not doing very well right now. There are three ways of reacting to this situation: To criticize the Conference openly and to spell out fully the implications of its failure. Or to keep quiet; sign whatever can be signed, and minimize failure; or to try, at this critical stage, to infuse some kind of new third-world fighting spirit into it, and still get some satisfactory results.

My position, of course, is the third. There is still much that can be done.

This is why I attach importance to our cooperative program, which is based on new ideas and will spin off new ideas over the next several years. And we will have to grapple with these problems for many years to come.

Whatever you can do to help will be enthusiastically appreciated. I could come to India even in time for the meeting of the Coordinating Bureau, if you thought this useful. Or I could send a representative. At any rate, I am looking forward to seeing you in March.

Incidentally, the Proceedings of Pacem in Maribus V, with the piece on the Indian Ocean, and the proceedings of Pacem in Maribus VI, with your remarks on this subject, are finally going to be published. As, of course, are those of Pacem in Maribus VII (Algiers, on the New International Economic Order and the Law of the Sea) where we sorely missed you. It was an excellent meeting, though.

I hope your health is holding up. Please accept my most fervent wishes for 1977.

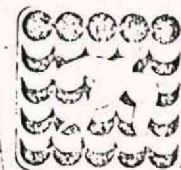
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*Yours cordially*  
*E. Brabes*

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*Dr. S. P. Jagota  
Joint Secretary + Sec Ad  
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Dear Dr. Jagota:

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This is where we need your cooperation and help. Could you convince your Government to support the proposal?

Two days ago I discussed it also with Shirley Amerasinghe who, as Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the IOI, had been familiar with the proposal from the beginning. If India, Algiers, Yugoslavia, and Sri Lanka support the proposal, it will undoubtedly go ahead. So India's position in the matter is rather crucial. Shirley is going to take the matter up with Ambassador Jaipal before leaving New York, so the matter is rather urgent.

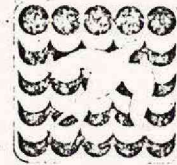
I plan to be in India towards the end of March, in connection with another matter (see attached letter) and would be glad to give any additional information or explanation if needed. I could also anticipate my visit if this were advisable. (I am scheduled to be in the Soviet Union after the meeting of the Evensen group in Geneva, and then to proceed from the Soviet Union to India, but, if necessary, I could go to the Soviet Union later).

I am enclosing a number of background documents.

All the best to you for 1977.

*Yours cordially  
E. Robert Hansen*

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January 24, 1977

Dr. Hasjim Djalal  
Direcktorat Jenderal Politik  
Departemen Luar Negeri  
Jalan Pejambon G  
Jakarta  
I N D O N E S I A

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The proposal, of course, is still in draft form, and we are open to suggestions for improvements and additions. Also -- and this is not yet mentioned in the draft proposal -- we intend to establish a special Council of the IOI, of representatives of developing countries participating in the program, to help us plan and to supervise its implementation.

I am enclosing a number of background documents as well as a tentative chart for the implementation of the program.

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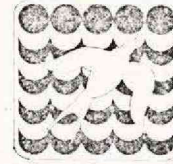
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His Excellency  
Mr. Sadoun Hamadi  
Minister of Foreign Affairs  
Bagdad, Iraq

*Excellency*

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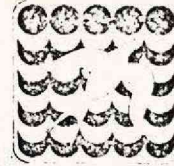
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January 24, 1977

Ambassador Sir Egerton Richardson  
Box 244  
Kingston 6  
J A M A I C A

Dear Egerton:

We have done a lot of work on the "expanded cooperative program." Last week I was back in Algeria and had a series of very fruitful discussions on the subject. We are now ready to send the proposal to all members of the coordinating bureau of the Non-Aligned Countries which, we hope, will adopt a resolution of general approval and a recommendation to member countries to cooperate.

Jamaica, I see, is a member of the coordinating Bureau. Could you be so very kind as to try to convince your Government to support our proposal? I know we have already some very substantial support among members -- and yours would be very, very helpful.

We shall have a meeting of the Planning Council in June in New York and Pacem in Maribus VIII in late October/early November.

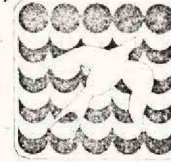
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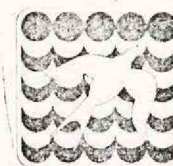
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H.E. Mr. Moumouni Djermakoye Adamon  
Minister of Foreign Affairs  
Niamey, Niger, West Africa

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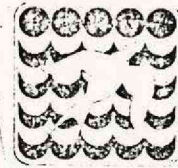
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January 19, 1977

Chief Adebo  
P.O. Box 139  
Abeokuta  
N I G E R I A

Dear Simeon:

May we, once more, call on you for your cooperation and help.

During the last years, the International Ocean Institute has done a lot of work on the New International Economic Order and the Law of the Sea. This, as a matter of fact, was the subject of Pacem in Maribus VII which was held, very successfully, in Algeria a couple of months ago. In particular, we have done some work on the proposal Nigeria introduced during the last session of the Law of the Sea Conference, on a unified joint-venture system for seabed mining, as you will see from the little article I am enclosing.

Since the Algerian conference, we have developed an "Expanded cooperative program on the N.I.E.O. and the L.o.S." I am enclosing a copy. We have discussed it already with a number of governments and received great encouragement. We are now ready to submit it to the next meeting of the coordinating bureau of the Non-Aligned Countries which, as you probably know, will meet in Delhi in March.

Nigeria is a member of the Bureau. Could you be so very kind as to try to convince your Government to Support our proposal? This would be extremely helpful.

We are planning an African Seminar, probably next fall, and this proposal will be submitted to the meeting of African Ministers next month. Perhaps this will bring me to Nigeria, at last.

With my very best wishes for 1977 -- and hoping that we shall get together during this year.

Yours cordially,

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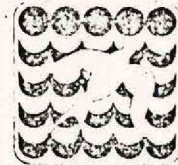
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H.E. Mr. Carlos Alzamora  
Ambassador  
Permanent Mission of Peru to  
the United Nations  
301 East 47th Street, Room 16-A  
New York, N.Y. 10017

Dear Carlos,

It is sad that we have not seen each other since you took up your post in New York. You always seem to be away when I am there. Let us hope I will be more fortunate in 1977.

Today I should like to ask your help and cooperation. After Pacem in Maribus VII in Algeria, we have developed an "expanded cooperative program on the New International Economic Order and the Law of the Sea." I am enclosing a copy of the second draft, which is the result of extensive consultations with a number of governments of non-aligned countries. I am glad to report that it has received very favorable reactions, especially in Algeria and Yugoslavia, and we are now ready to submit it to the forthcoming meeting in New Delhi of the coordinating bureau of the Non-Aligned Countries.

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With all good wishes,

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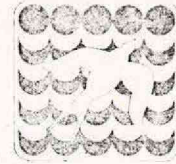
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*P.S. This letter was prepared before our phone conversation. Now you are the other way! - I hope it will work out!*

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January 25, 1977

H.E. Mr. Mehgoub Makkawi  
Minister of Foreign Affairs  
Khartoum, Sudan  
Africa

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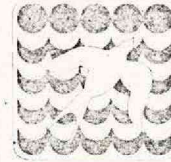
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Minister of Foreign Affairs  
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S Y R I A

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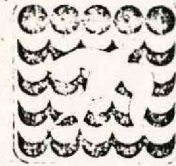
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Attorney General  
Attorney-General's Chambers  
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Dar es Salaam  
THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA

Dear Dr. Warioba:

We have done a lot of work on the "expanded cooperative program on the New International Economic Order and the Law of the Sea." Last week I was back in Algeria and had a series of very fruitful discussions on the subject with Minister Yaker and members of the Algerian Delegation to the Law of the Sea Conference. We are now ready to send the proposal to all members of the coordinating bureau of the Non-Aligned Countries which, we hope, will adopt a resolution of general approval and a recommendation to Member countries to cooperate.

Tanzania is a member of the Coordinating Bureau. Could you be so very kind as to try to convince your Government to support our proposal? I know we have already some very substantial support on the Committee, and Tanzania's cooperation would be extremely helpful. At the same time we will also submit plans for an African seminar to the forthcoming meeting of African Ministers. This seminar should take place next fall.

There will be a meeting of our Planning Council early in June in New York (during the UNCLOS session), and I am looking forward to seeing you there, if not before. Are you planning to come to the Evensen meeting in Geneva? I think it is going to be of absolutely crucial importance.

With all good wishes,

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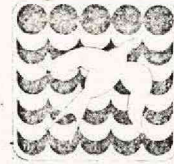
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Minister of Foreign Affairs  
Deputy Prime Minister  
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*By Alice M. Borgese*

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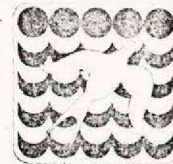
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Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
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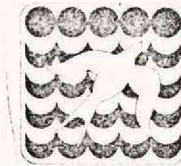
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H.E. Dr. Siteke Mwale  
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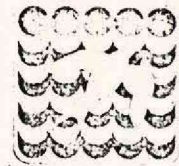
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January 12, 1977

Mr. Ali Mohamed Jasidah  
Secretary General  
OPEC  
Dr. Karl Luegerring 10  
1010 Vienna  
A U S T R I A

Dear Mr. Jasidah:

Having just returned from Algiers after a series of interesting discussions, I should like now to ask for your help and cooperation in a matter which has the full support of the Algerian Government. As a matter of fact, it was Minister Yaker who suggested that I get in touch with you.

The International Ocean Institute is an independent institution at the University of Malta. I am enclosing some background material, describing our activities and containing the names of the members of our Governing bodies.

We have done a great deal of work on the New International Economic Order and the Law of the Sea. One of the studies of that title served as background paper for the recent RIO conference in Algiers which our Institute organized together with the Club of Rome under the sponsorship of the Algerian Government.

We are now planning greatly to expand our services to developing countries, as explained in the attached memorandum "Expanded cooperative Program." The Algerian Government is in full agreement with each one of the points we are proposing. The memorandum will be submitted to the forthcoming meeting of the coordinating Committee of the Non-Aligned Countries in New Delhi in March.

We are, of course, aware of the deep interest of your organization in the subject we are dealing with and in your preparedness to help whenever you can.

May we therefore apply to you for a grant to help us implement our program? While we hope to enlist the direct collaboration of at least some of the OPEC countries, we



Mr. Ali Mohamed Jasidah

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thought that, as an organization you might consider a collective contribution from your special Development fund. We thought of a contribution of the order of US\$100,000. This could be a general contribution, or it might be earmarked for a particular purpose according to your decision.

We are planning -- also in accordance with the suggestions of the Algerian Government -- to establish a Special Council for the IOI, composed of representatives of Developing Countries participating in this mutual self-reliance program, to plan and supervise the use of these funds.

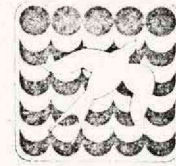
I shall be back in Europe early in March to attend a Law of the Sea working session in Geneva. It would be easy to take a couple of days to see you in Vienna to discuss the matter further, if this were of interest to you and the time were convenient. In the meantime I would be grateful for your reactions and suggestions.

With my warmest wishes for a successful 1977 -- may it be the Year of the 77!

Yours sincerely,

Elisabeth Mann Borgese  
Chairman, Planning Council

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H.E. Mr. Farouk Kaddoumi  
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Palestine Liberation Organization  
Beirut, Lebanon

*Dear Mr. Kaddoumi,*

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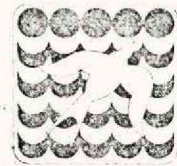
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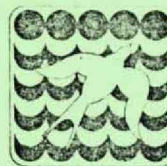
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EXPANDED COOPERATIVE PROGRAM ON THE  
NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ORDER AND THE LAW OF THE SEA

A Proposal by the International Ocean Institute to the  
Coordinating Committee of the Non-Aligned States

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## I. Introduction

The International Ocean Institute (IOI) was established a little over three years ago at the University of Malta. The IOI has organized seminars and published studies that first drew attention to the interaction between the establishment of a New International Economic Order and the making of the new Law of the Sea.

The IOI, working from a Third World country, Malta, now proposes to expand its activities to be of more service to other Third World countries during the difficult period of transition when the Law of the Sea Convention is being finalized, adopted, ratified, and implemented. The expanded program proposed here has four major components:

- A. Research and advice on economic and legal matters arising from the new Law of the Sea
- B. Scholarships in international ocean affairs and the New International Economic Order
- C. OCEAN YEARBOOK -- basic data on economic, ecological, other scientific and legal aspects which are essential for decision-makers in marine policy
- D. Regional seminars as a contribution to advancing regional cooperation and further development of the Law of the Sea in a more geographically specific and socio-economically comprehensive framework.

While maintaining its established program of research, seminars, convocations, and publications, financed prevalently through contributions from Governments, foundations and individuals in the developed world, the IOI proposes to finance the expanded cooperative program on the New International Economic Order and the Law of the Sea on a cooperative basis with small contributions from Third World countries. Based on the conviction that, in building a New International Economic Order, ends and means must be consistent, this proposal is an experiment in collective self-reliance and cooperation among Third World countries.

## II. Program

### A. Research and advice

The new Law of the Sea will fact Third World countries with a whole series of new tasks and responsibilities requiring extensive consultation with experts from intergovernmental organizations or industrial firms. The intergovernmental organizations, however, will themselves have to go through a process of adapting to new demands made on them by the new Law of the Sea. It is not likely that they will be able to expand their services quickly and widely enough to respond to the most pressing needs of the Third World countries during this period of transition. Consulting industrial firms, on the other hand, are often too entrenched in the old economic order to be able to assist in advancing the new. It is of crucial importance that problems arising from the new Law of the Sea should be solved in a way that advances the principles of the New International Economic Order.

Problems on which the IOI is prepared to do research and offer advice, if requested by Governments, include the following:

- the delimitation of national ocean space, in particular, the drawing of baselines and the delimitation of the continental shelf
- the surveillance of national ocean space
- contracts, leases, joint ventures, international cooperation for the conservation and exploitation of living resources in national ocean space and the exploration and exploitation of the non-living resources of the continental shelf
- arrangements concerning scientific research by foreign vessels or institutions
- installations within national ocean space
- interaction of uses and priority setting
- regional cooperation



- relation between coastal and landlocked States
- interaction between national and international management systems

Where the intergovernmental organizations are bound by their terms of reference to a sectoral approach to questions of ocean management, the IOI has developed an integrated and systemic approach conducive to effective overall planning in ocean space and the management of interacting uses of the seas. The services offered by the IOI range from the simple providing of information to the elaboration of short-range and long-range plans and projections for the marine area for which advice is requested by the Government of a Third World country. The elaboration of plans would always be effected through cooperation between one or more experts from the country requesting the advice and one or more experts designated by the IOI.

The cost of a fully-developed advisory project to the IOI would be as follows:

12 man-months (divided between experts from the country requesting the advice and the IOI-designated experts) . . . . .	\$36,000
Traveling and subsistence . . . . .	14,000
Computer time . . . . .	<u>10,000</u>
TOTAL	\$60,000

The budget for the first year would be \$1,000,000, covering a dozen fully-developed projects -- which should be chosen in such a way that they would be useful to a number of countries -- and several smaller projects.

B. Scholarships

The IOI's scholarship program differs from general marine science scholarship programs in that it attempts to integrate training in marine sciences and technologies with the study of their application in a new international economic order. Training of marine scientists and technicians oriented towards the building of the new international economic order is of utmost importance for the success of that new order.

The program will be organized on a yearly basis and consist of three components:

1. An introductory course on international ocean affairs and the New International Economic Order, of seven weeks' duration, at the IOI in Malta. This will be a summer school. Lectures and seminars will be held by leading international authorities in the legal, oceanographic, and economic aspects of ocean affairs. Classroom activities will be complemented by occasions for practical acquaintance with the sea (scuba diving, sailing, ship repair in Malta's famous dry docks, etc.)
2. A nine-months' period (one academic year) of specialized training in one or more particular marine science or technology such as coastal management, aquaculture, pollution abatement, offshore drilling technology, deep ocean floor mining, technologies for the production of unconventional energy from the oceans, marine architecture, etc., such training to take place at the most suitable university or institute anywhere in the world as determined by agreement between the candidate and the IOI
3. To conclude the year of scholarship, the participant is to write a thesis, elaborating on the relation of his or her work to the building of a new international economic order in his or her country and region.

The cost to the IOI for each scholarship is as follows:

Subsistance, twelve months @ \$500 . . . . .	\$ 6,000
Travel expense . . . . .	2,000
Tuitions . . . . .	6,500
Unforeseen . . . . .	500
TOTAL	\$15,000

The scholarship program for the first year should provide for twenty participants for a total of \$300,000.

### C. OCEAN YEARBOOK

Due to the fragmentary organization of marine activities, there exists at present no source where the basic data on the economic and other uses of the oceans are systematically assembled and can be studied in their interaction. Some data are readily available, e.g., data on fisheries from FAO, on shipping from UNCTAD, IMCO, and Lloyds. Other data, e.g., on scientific activities or on offshore oil production, require original research. In their totality, economic data on the oceans are nowhere available. In the context of the discussions on a New International Economic Order, such information is now becoming of vital importance.

The purpose of the OCEAN YEARBOOK thus is to provide a readily available data and information basis on the uses of ocean space and resources and their economic values. This will be an indispensable tool for policy-makers, teachers, students, and interested laymen. It will provide an authoritative, impartial and up-to-date review of major ocean issues. Each volume will contain an overview of the principal events of the year under review -- significant incidents, legislative acts, negotiations, treaties, scientific discoveries, etc. This will be followed by a series of specialized articles on ocean resources (living, nonliving, energy, ocean/land interface); ocean surface and subsurface communications (navigation, pipelines and cables, ocean/air interface); ocean services including air/sea rescue, satellite communications, pollution surveillance, hovercraft; marine sciences; military activities; statistical data and technological developments; treaties and other international acts; publications and notes.

The YEARBOOK will be published for the IOI by the University of Chicago Press. The first issue will be published in October, 1977. The annual cost for research and editorial work breaks down as follows:

1. Staff		
a. Director and Assistant . . . . .	\$ 30,000	
b. Managing Editor and Editorial Assistant . . . . .	10,000	
c. Staff travel . . . . .	5,000	
2. Editorial Board		
a. Fees @ 1000 for 6 Editors . . . . .	6,000	
b. Expenses including travel . . . . .	12,000	
3. Authors' honoraria . . . . .	22,000	
4. Computer contracting (programming and preparation) . . . . .	20,000	
	Subtotal	\$105,000
	15% Overhead	15,750
	TOTAL	\$120,750

The YEARBOOK will be useful to industrialized as well as Third World countries. In the present context it is proposed that Third World countries contribute one-half toward the budget for this component of the program, i.e., \$60,000.

D. Seminars

The IOI has initiated a series of regional seminars with a Mediteranean seminar (Split, Yugoslavia, 1973) and a Caribbean seminar (Kingston, Jamaica, 1974). Both resulted in extensive publications. Regional seminars are conducted by about a dozen of the members of the IOI Planning Council, reinforced by about twenty experts in different marine activities from the countries of the region in which the seminar takes place, including diplomats and representatives of various branches of the Government of the host country. A number of background papers are commissioned in advance.

Experience has shown that regional seminars serve several useful purposes. They are an excellent learning experience for the staff and Planning Council of the IOI, opening new possibilities for developing new concrete services; they give occasion to the institutions and Governments of the region concerned to appraise directly the work of the IOI and of the services it can offer; they provide the integrated, interdisciplinary and international approach to regional marine affairs, including social and political aspects, that the more sectoral and technical frames of reference of other institutions and organizations does not permit. Such an integrated approach, however, is essential for the further development of the law of the sea in a geographically more specific and economically more comprehensive framework.

The cost for regional seminars varies. The average cost breaks down as follows:

1.	Research papers . . . . .	\$5,000
2.	Cost of seminar	
	a. Travel expenses . . . . .	20,000
	b. Sojourn . . . . .	8,000
	c. Seminar costs including simultaneous translation . . . . .	12,000
3.	Publication . . . . .	<u>15,000</u>
	TOTAL	\$60,000

The budget for the first year should be \$180,000, covering seminars in Africa, Latin America and Asia.

### III. Proposal

As a measure of collective self-reliance, it is proposed that the funding for this program should not be sought in large sums from grant-giving institutions or industries -- this would contradict the principles of building a new international economic order -- nor should it be paid for by selling services to individual countries, in which case only countries which could afford to pay for the services would be served. The services should instead be offered free of charge, and the funding should be provided, in a collective effort, by all Third World countries. The contributions required on this basis are very small, even nominal. Even the poorest country could contribute from \$1,000 to \$5,000, in cash or in kind, to the program. It certainly would get back in services more than it put in. The average contribution might be ..... whereas the wealthiest of the developing countries might contribute up to .....

This proposal is submitted for the consideration and appraisal of the Coordinating Committee of the Non-Aligned Countries. If the Committee's assessment were favorable and could be embodied in a Resolution or Recommendation, the International Ocean Institute would then contact each country directly and, wherever possible, arrange for a voluntary contribution to the program.