

## TIMES MIRROR

DR. FRANKLIN D. MURPHY Chairman

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Mrs. Elisabeth Mann Borgese Box 4068 Santa Barbara, California 93103

Dear Mrs. Borgese:

I have your letter of June 8 concerning the possibility of support by the Ford Motor Company of the study project on the China Sea.

I have carried out some informal conversations with the appropriate persons and find that at this moment in time their interests lie elsewhere.

I am sorry I could not be of assistance in this particular regard.

Sincerely.

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