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Date: Friday, August 16, 1996

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Dear Ms. Lewis,

Margaret Wood is currently out of the province attending a conference, but she asked me to respond to your recent telephone message. I apologise for the delay in getting back to you, but I needed more information before being able to reply, and communications between here and the conference have not been easy.

If I understood your message correctly, I gather that the IOI-Canada Home Page contains information on the Commission which is now out of date. Thank you for drawing this to our attention. The IWCO component of the page was primarily intended to provide information about the Canadian Ocean Assessment project during the time that the surveys were being sent out and the Public Hearings being organized. Since the project is now at the stage of being written up, it is probably time that we remove the IWCO component anyway. If there are any glaring errors which you feel need correcting straight away, we would appreciate being informed by you so that the necessary changes can be made. If not, the text will be removed in the near future as part of the winding down of the COA project.

If the Secretariat is planning on setting up a formal Home Page of its own, we would of course be interested to know the URL so that we can refer to it. We would also appreciate being informed of your E-Mail address in due course, if/when you have one.

Thank you again for being in contact with us. All good wishes with the work of the IWCO.

Yours sincerely,

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Dear Mrs Mann Borgese,

I am taking the liberty to write to you with a request linked to the following developments in the campaign for global awareness of the oceans you might be interested in:

The International School Geneva is doing drawings on the oceans in preparation of the visit of the Chairman to Geneva in October, but also as a starter to an educational project on the oceans. This will be linked to the "Man in the "Sea"/ underwater school project of Ian Koblick of the Marine Resources Development Foundation in Key Largo, Florida, possibly involving the YMCA/SCUBA, the Network of International Schools, the Marine Environmental Studies programme for the International Baccalaureat, devised by the United World College of the Atlantic in Wales, and we are looking for support from UNESCO.

Patron of this project will be the Brazilian painter Adao Pinheiro, who is supporting the Commission and has given us an ocean waterclour painting for reproduction. (On the cultural side contact has also been made with other artists).

Jean-Pierre Lévy, who has now joined us in our Geneva Office, told me that you had written an "oceans" children's story which was illustrated by a Jamaican painter . He also mentioned an illustrated oceans atlas for children. Could I possibly have a copy of these, especially the story (as soon as possible) ? They would be a great help with the children's

Chainworm UNESCO piece.

art project.

Jean-Pierre mentioned also an article(s) you had written on music and the oceans (different composers?). Would you let me have a copy of this as well? And finally, do you perhaps know of an anthology with "oceans" poetry? I would of course be grateful for any ideas or information you would like to pass on.

With many thanks,

Yours sincerely,

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September 15, 1996

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your fax of 12.09.

Dear Ingrid,

It sounds good what you are doing!

I immediately mailed a copy of my children's book *Chairworm and Supershark* as well as a copy of my paper, published by UNESCO, on "the Ocean and the Dreams of Man."

I don't know anything about the atlas for children..

There must be many anthologies of poems about the oceans. There is an infinite number of poems. I must have somewhere a volume that was given to me, of 1,000 pages of poems in Croatian language, about the Mediterranean Sea, written over the last thousand years!

And remember Baudelaire, homme libre, toujours tu cheriras la mer (Fleurs du Mal).

I do have an anthology of legends about the sea: *Legends of the Sea*. Text by F. Morvan. Translated by David Macrae. New York: Crescent Books, 1953. First English edition published by Editions Minerva S.A., Geneva. You probably will find it in Geneva. It is a beautiful book.

Just yesterday, a German lady came to see me who owns an art gallery in Munich. She specialises in native North American Indian and Inuit art, and has organised a

show of their presentations of the sea. I am attaching some information. Her name is Ingrid Katharina Rankl, and you can reach her at the Munich address.

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It is a huge and beautiful field to work with!

Good luck,

Yours as ever

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Dear Elisabeth,

(lhope I may call you that). Thank you very much indeed for your prompt and inspirational support. However, the end of your covering letter did not arrive (received only one page). Don't know if it was important (don't bother if it wasn't).

Many thanks again,

Ingrid Lewis