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SENEGAL RATIFIES LAW OF SEA CONVENTION

Six Countries Sign

Senegal has ratified the United Mations Convention on the Law of the Sea, adopted at Montego Bay, Jamaica, on 10 December 1982. Its instrument of ratification was received by the United Mations Office of Legal Affairs on 25 October.

Also, the Convention has been signed by Samoa (28 September), Guinea (4 October), Argentina (5 October), Switzerland (17 October) and Bolivia and Oatar (27 November).

The Convention has been ratified, accepted or acceded to by the following 13 countries plus Namibia (United Nations Council for Namibia): Bahamas, Belize, Cuba, Egypt, Fiji, Gambia, Ghana, Ivory Coast, Jamaica, Nexico, Philippines, Senegal and Zambia.

The Convention will enter into force 12 months after the date of deposit of the sixtieth instrument of ratification or accession.

The Convention deals with virtually every use of the oceans -- navigation and overflight, resource exploration and exploitation, conservation and pollution, fishing and shipping. Its articles and annexes constitute a guide for the behaviour of States in the world's oceans, defining maritime zones, laying down rules for drawing boundaries, assigning legal duties and responsibilities and providing machinery for the settlement of disputes.

The Convention provides that all activities on the sea-bed beyond national jurisdiction will be controlled by an International Sea-Bed Authority. Also created under the Convention is an International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea designed to settle disputes over the interpretation or application of the Convention.

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^{*} This revision corrects the list of States and other entities that have signed the Convention so far, and notes the closure for signature on 9 December 1984.

The Convention was closed for signature on 9 December 1984.

The following 159 States and other entities signed the Convention:

Afghanistan, Algeria, Angola, Antiqua and Barbuda, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Barbados, Belgium, Belize, Benin, Bhutan, Bolivia, Botswana, Brazil, Irunei Darussalam, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burma, Burundi, Byelorussia, Cameroon, Canada, Cape Verde, Central African Pepublic, Chad, Chile, China, Colombia, Comoros, Congo, Cook Islands, Costa Rica, Cuba, Cyprus, Czechoslovakia, Democratic Kampuchea, Democratic People's Republic of Morea, Democratic Yemen, Denmark, Djibouti, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Egypt, El Salvacor, Equatorial Guinea, Ethiopia, Furopean Economic Community (EEC), Fiji, Finland, France, Gabon, Gambia, German Democratic Republic, Ghana, Greece, Grenada, Guatemala, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Haiti, Monduras, Hungary, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Iran, Irag, Ireland, Italy, Ivory Coast, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Macagascar, Malawi, Malaysia, Daldives, Mali, Malta, Mauritania, Dauritius, Texico, Donaco, Mongolia, Morocco, Mozambique, Mamibia (United Mations Council for Mamibia), Mauru, Mepal, Metherlands, Mew Zealand, Micaragua, Miger, Niceria, Niue, Morway, Oman, Pakistan, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Catar, Republic of Korea, Romania, Rwanda, Saint Christopher and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Samoa, Sao Tome and Principe, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Solomon Islands, Somalia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Suriname, Swaziland, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, Todo, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Tuvalu, Uganda, Ukraine, USSR, United Arab Emirates, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay, Vanuatu, Viet Fam, Yemen, Yugoslavia, Zaire, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

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October 6, 1986

Mr. Bhagwat Singh
HABITAT
United Nations Secretariat
DC2, 9th Floor
United Nations Plaza 2
New York, N.Y. 10017
USA

Dearest Bhagwat:

I am just back from Malmö where we had n excellent one-week programme. it was a real success.

Now I need all the documents on the enclosed list, to have our collection quite complete. Could you be so very kind as to collect these for us, or ask Garcia to do so?

To save time, I would be most grateful if you could have them airmailed directly to

Dr. Renate Platzöder Stiftung Wissenschaft and Politik Haus Eggenberg D8026 Ebenhausen bei München Germany, Federal Republic.

I shall call you one of these days.

All the very best and much love,

Yours as ever,

Elisabeth Mann Borgese

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February 2, 1989

H.E. Ambassador Bhagwt Singh 404 East 66th Street New York, N.Y. 1002 USA

Dearest Bhagwat and Betty:

Could you do me two favours?

- 1. I am enclosing copy of my leter to Manuela. I am sure Betty will be able to understand it. Could you talk to her and see whether she is interested? I think it is a very very good offer, but it may not be what they want.
- 2. I need some information about the Soviet proposal, I think of last year, to transform the Trusteeship Council into a Council entrusted with the conservation of the Environment. Actually, the information is needed in Malta, and if you could send one copy to me and one copy to

Mr. Tony Macelli, Foundation for International Studies St. Paul's Street Valletta, Malta

that would be just great.

Please. Please.

Much love to the whole household, two-legged and four-legged,

Yours as ever,

Elisbeth Mann Borgese

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Date: 6 November, 1989

To: Vanderbilt, IOI, Malta

From: Elisabeth Mann Borgese, IOI, Halifax, Canada

Dear Fox:

UNEP keeps asking for Bhagwat Singh's ticket so they can finally refund the money. Bhagwat says he gave you the ticket in Moscow. Do you have it? Is it in Malta? Could you please arrange that it be sent ASAP to Morozov Interproject Moscow?

I hope things are proceeding well.

My love all around.

Elisabeth

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To:

Ambassador Bhagwat Singh

FAX No:

212 734 7608

From:

Elisabeth Mann Borgese

FAX No.:

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Date:

March 15, 1992

Subject:

to req uest more systematic and more positive treatment of the

L.o.S. Convention

Dear Bhagwat,

I am attaching a couple of paragraphs, as agreed.

Let me know how things are going.

Much love,

Elizably

A/Conf.151/PC/100/Add.21, 17 December 1991.

- 127. Considering the fundamental importance of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea which
- . contains the only existing comprehensive, binding and enforceable, international environmental law, covering pollution from land-based, oceanic and atmospheric sources;
- . integrates effectively the protection of the environment and the development of its living and nonliving resources, of science and technology, and of human resources;
- . covers ocean space as a whole as well as all its juridical subdivisions, whether under national jurisdiction or beyond;
- deals with all major uses of ocean space and resources, including the protection, rational use and development of its living and nonliving resources as well as shipping and navigation;
- . offers the most advanced institutional framework for international cooperation in the development and transfer of environmentally and socially sustainable technology;
- is the only existing legal instrument providing for mandatory, binding and enforceable settlement of disputes arising from environmental issues;

all States should ratify and implement this Convention which provides a global legal and institutional framework for the Protection of Oceans, all Kinds of Seas including Enclosed and Semi-Enclosed Seas, Coastal Areas and the Protection Regional Use and Development of their Living Resources (Section II, Chapter 9) of Agenda 21.

- 133. **Settlement of disputes,** such as on trade and environment, should be dealt with in accordance with the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, in appropriate bilateral, regional and international forums, including GATT,...
- 139. International organizations and donor countries should encourage the development of international and regional centres of excellence in marine technology and in the analysis and assessment of scientific data on the oceans, in accordance with Parts XIII and XIV of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea.

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Tel: 212 986-1154

26 May 1993

Mrs. Elizabeth Mann Borgese Pearson Institute Dalhousie University 1321 Edward Street Halifax, Nova Scotia B3H 3H5 Canada

Dear Mrs. Mann Borgese,

H.E. Mr. Bhagwat-Singh has requested me to write to you suggesting a method by which financial reimbursement of expenses incurred in connection with telephone bills, and requests by you for the collection and dispatch of documents etc., could be made.

He suggests a cheque for \$500 be sent to me and the cheque made out in my name. I would then deposit it in my account at the Chemical Bank. All transactions would be detailed and receipts mailed to you at periodic intervals.

It is hoped this arrangement meets with your approval and we look forward to hearing from you.

I remain.

Julier May Yours sincerely,

Julia Hall AALCC

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P.O. Box 524 VALLETA, MALTA

Telephone: 236596

Telefax: 247594 Cables: INTEROCEAN Telex: 1946 OCEANS MW

COPY

May 30, 1993

Mrs. Julia Hall
5 Tudor City Place
1531
New York, N.Y. 10017
USA

Dear Mrs. Hall,

Thanks very much for all the material.

I am enclosing my check for \$500. This is just a temporary measure. We have to set up things in an orderly way with the Executive Director in Malta.

We'll be in touch.

All the very best, and thanks again,

Elisabeth Mann Borgese

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P.S. Could you get me a permanent identification so that I don't have to hassle every time I come to the U.N.?

Still Tover?

Mrs. Elizabeth Mann Borgese Pearson Institute Dalhousie University 1321 Edward Street Halifax, Nova Scotia B3H 3H5 Canada 5 Tudor City Place, #1531 New York, N.Y. 10017 USA

9 December 1993

Dear Mrs Mann Borgese.

I am enclosing a list of receipts for expenses incurred in connection with the \$500 sent to me at the beginning of June 1993.

I have listed in my account book all the telephone calls referred to me by Ambassador Bhagwat Singh and reimbursed him accordingly. I enclose the receipts I have for the telephone and I hope you will excuse their confused appearance. I hope to improve on this particular area.

Express mail	\$76.12
Fax	6.00
Faxes	82.00
Repair to Fax	129.90
Tele re BS	98.88
Stamps	2.77
Office expenses	22.00
Services rendered	
by J.Hall	90.00

\$507.67

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The Ambassador has asked me to request a further cheque to cover future expenses.

With thanks,

Julia Hall Attaché AALCC

Juliu Hall

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NEW YORK, N.Y. 10017-9992

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TOTAL: \$ 46.00

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NEW YORK, NY 10017-9991

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Service Guarantee: If this shipment is mailed at designated USPS Express Insurance Coverage: (See section 295 of the Domestic Mail Manual for

- . The Customer Receipt must be presented when a claim is filed.

Waiver of Signature and Indemnity (Domestic Only)

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5.	OCT 27	JAPAN	081335864706	09:44 PM	DD Can	rade 1	2.55
				Sul	o Total		\$26.86

Convenience calls (collect, third number and other operator assisted)

No. Date	Called from	Called to	Time	Rate	туре	win.	Amount
Calling nu	umber 734-7608						rimonii
6. OCT 28	NEW YORK NY	WASHINGTON DC	12:10 PM	DAY	Third	1	2.17
	212 758-0413	202 797-2356			Number		,
7. OCT 28	NEW YORK NY	WASHINGTON DC		DAY	Third	4	2.86
	212 758-0083	202 797-2356	/		Number	5	
		5	on		Sub Total	,	\$5.03
Indicators:	a AT&T SPECI	AL COUNTRY (SM) CALL	- CHARGE	S ARE			010684

INCLUDED IN SUBTOTAL - DISCOUNT APPLIED

Rate: DS-Dial Standard DD-Dial Discount

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Total	\$31.89

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Total AT&T invoice charge



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Helpful numbers

To question your New York Telephone charges please call - (212) 890-2100 Mon - Fri - 8:00 am to 8:00 pm Sat - 8:30 am to 4:00 pm

To order or change your service please call - (212) 890-2350 Mon - Fri - 8:00 am to 8:00 pm Sat - 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

For Repair Service please call 1 890-6611 or 611

Account Information Line

Using a touch-tone phone call 1 800 698-3545 to:

' Check amount you owe, make payment arrangements, report a payment

* Temporarily suspend or restore your service * Disconnect your service

Weekdays - 8 am to 8 pm Sat - 8 am to 4 pm

No charge applies on calls to the above telephone numbers if placed from within your Regional Calling Area or to an 800 number. Check the Customer Guide pages of your NYNEX telephone directory for more information.

Basic service November 7 through December 6	\$19.06			
Local calls	15.17			
Itemized calls Directory information				
County emergency services surcharge	2.44			
Federal Tax (3%)	1.12			
State and Local taxes (8.25%)	3.15			
Total	\$42.86			
Basic service				
	\$14.52			
These charges are for November 7 through December 6. You have Message Rate Service.				
	3.50			
These charges are for November 7 through December 6. You have Message Rate Service. Line charge ordered by the Federal Communications Commission Wire maintenance charge (Optional)	1.04			



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Itemized calls

Directly dialed

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OCT 13

OCT 20

OCT 20

OCT 20

No.	Date	Place called	Number called	lime	Kate	win.	Amount
	Calling number	er 212-734-7608					
1.	OCT 08	RED BANK NJ	908 842-2270	8 11 AM	DAY	8	\$1.84
2.	OCT 09	NATICK MA	508 655-2547	12 57 PM	NIGHT	40	5.20
3.	OCT 09	BEE CREEK TX	512 264-2333	9 15 PM	NIGHT	55	7.15
4.	OCT 11	INDIA	91116836849	9 31 AM	DS	1	3.89
5.	OCT 11	INDIA	91116836849	9 34 AM	DS	1	3.89
6.	OCT 11	CREDIT	91116836849	9 35 AM	DS	1	3.89CR
7.	OCT 12	INDIA	91116836849	1 40 PM	DS	5	11.65.

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Convenience calls (collect, third number and other operator assisted)

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		nber 212-734-7608						1/
14.	OCT 13	NEW YOR NY 212 758-0083	KETCHHRBOR NS 902 868-2818	6 23 PM	EVE	Third Number	4	3.31 V
			Cana	da		Sub Total		3.31
						Total		\$62.03
Rate	e: D:	S-Dial Standard	DI	E-Dial Eco	nomy			

Taxes

Total AT&T charges

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15. Federal tax

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11 42 AM

7 39 AM

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NY Gross receipts tax surcharge

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\$1.95 3.09 \$5.04

Total \$67.07



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Summary of AT&T charges

Itemized calls	\$124 23
Directory information	1.30
NY Gross receipts tax surcharge	
Federal Tax (3%)	3.95
State and Local taxes (8.25%)	. 45
Total	\$135.91

itemized calls

Directly dialed

No.	Date	Place called	Number called	Time	Rate	Min.	Amount
(Calling numbe	r 212-734-7608					
1.	SEP 08	GERMANY	4986657172	2 31 PM	DD	7	\$6.64
2.	SEP 09	CONCORD MA	508 287-0117	9 36 AM	DAY	18	4.14
3.	SEP 09	NATICK MA	508 655-2547	9 38 PM	EVE	13	1.95
4.	SEP 09	WHITINSVL MA	508 234-6371	9 52 PM	EVE	23	3.45
5.	SEP 10	WESTPORT CT	203 227-0313	9 32 AM	DAY	6	1.38
6.	SEP 10	GERMANY	4986513518	12 37 PM	DS	15	17.03
7.	SEP 10	NORWALK CT	203 846-4847	8 26 PM	EVE	2	.26
8.	SEP 10	CREVECOEUR MO	314 878-4552	10 15 PM	EVE	1	.15
9.	SEP 12	STEDMAN NY	716 789-4921	12 05 PM	NIGHT	6	.79
10.	SEP 12	WESTFIELD NY	716 326-6434	12 15 PM	NIGHT	2	.27
11.	SEP 12	RIPLEY NY	716 736-5296	12 24 PM	NIGHT	4	.53
12.	SEP 12	BELMONT MA	617 484-0222	2 48 PM	NIGHT	1	.13
13.	SEP 14	WESTPORT CT	203 227-0313	10 17 AM	DAY	2	.46
14.	SEP 15	WESTPORT CT	203 227-0313	11 08 AM	DAY	1	.23
15.	SEP 15	GERMANY	4986657172	12 10 PM	DS	12	13.76
16.	SEP 20	NATICK MA	508 655-2547	8 09 PM	EVE	19	2.85
17.	SEP 21	WOODBRIDGE NJ	908 750-7958	9 42 AM	DAY	4	.92
18.	SEP 21	GERMANY	49894316753	2 30 PM	DD	8	7.51
19.	SEP 23	WASHINGTON DC	202 456-7787	8 51 AM	DAY	2	. 46
20.	SEP 23	SWITZERLND	41229990001	9 37 AM	DS	6	7.39
21.	SEP 24	KETCHHRBOR NS	902 868-2818	7 50 AM	NIGHT	10	2.71
22.	SEP 26	CHAUTAUQUA NY	716 357-3851	5 16 PM	EVE	9	1.54
23.	SEP 26	STEDMAN NY	716 789-4921	5 25 PM	EVE	12	2.05
Pate	ns-n	ial Standard	DD-Dial [Discount			



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Itemized calls, continued

24. NY Gross receipts tax surcharge

Directly dialed

No.	Date	Place called	Number called	Time	Rate	Min.	Amount
(Calling numbe	r 212-734-7608					
1.	SEP 27	BEE CREEK TX	512 264-2333	8 42 PM	EVE	18	\$2.70
2.	SEP 28	GERMANY	498665877	2 06 AM	DE	1	1.15
3.	SEP 28	GERMANY	498665877	3 00 AM	DE	8	5.98
4.	SEP 28	DARIEN CT	203 655-7677	8 00 AM	DAY	6	1.38
5.	SEP 30	RED BANK NJ	908 842-2270	8 45 PM	EVE	29	3.77
6.	SEP 30	NATICK MA	508 655-2547	9 16 PM	EVE	16	2.40
7.	OCT 01	RED BANK NJ	908 842-2270	8 51 PM	EVE	9	1.17
8.	OCT 02	WHITINSVL MA	508 234-6371	1 55 PM	NIGHT	50	6.50
9.	OCT 03	SWITZERLND	41218252607	12 54 PM	DS	2	3.10
10.	OCT 03	RED BANK NJ	908 842-2270	9 25 PM	EVE	21	2.73
11.	OCT 04	ADA MI	616 676-4620	8 09 AM	DAY	1	. 24
12.	OCT 04	ŲK	44712832210	10 44 AM	DS	1	1.44
13.	OCT 04	ŬK	44716172000	10 49 AM	DS	3	3.36
14.	OCT 04	SANBARBARA CA	805 966-3888	12 05 PM	DAY	3	.75
15.	OCT 04	GERMANY	4986651736	4 31 PM	DD	1	1.42
16.	OCT 06	SWITZERLND	41229990001	7 05 AM	DS	3	4.26
17.	OCT 06	SWITZERLND	41229990203	7 13 AM	DS	1	1.94
18.	OCT 07	CIVINGSTON NJ	201 535-3838	8 38 AM	DAY	1	. 23
19.	OCT 07	MORRISTOWN NJ	201 267-6989	8 41 AM	DAY	1	. 23
				Su	b Total		121.35

Convenience calls (collect, third number and other operator assisted)

No.	Date	Called from	Called to	Time	Rate	Туре	Min.	Amount
Calli	na nun	ber 212-734-7608		UK Mic Anthron		Acet Benji al		
20. S	EP 10	nber 212-734-7608 NEW YOR NY 212 734-7608	DIR ASST AL 205 555-1212	8 57 PM	PE PERSO	Operator N Assist		2.59
						Sub Total		2.59
				N.Y. Sta	te/MTA	surcharge		.29
						Total		\$124.23
Rate:	DS	S-Dial Standard		DD-Dial Dis	count		DE-Di	al Economy
	PI	-Person Economy						
Directo	ory in	formation						
Intersta	te, Car	nada and/or 809						

Directory information						
Interstate, Canada and/or 809 21. 2 requests at \$.65 each	Total	\$1.30 \$1.30				
Taxes	Taxes					
22. Federal tax	ONA JESTA BRUDA BUDAUSH NO	\$3.95				
23. State and Local taxes		. 45				



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AT&T Invoice Charges For Period Ending OCT 30, 1993

Thank you for using AT&T

Itemized calls

Directly dialed

No.	Date	Place called	Number called	Time	Rate	Min.	Amount
Ca	lling number	734-7608					711104111
1. 2. 3. 4.	OCT 22 OCT 24 OCT 27 OCT 27	RED BANK NJ RED BANK NJ GERMANY GERMANY	908 842-2270 908 842-2270 049891415451 049891415451	09:15 PM 09:11 PM 11:18 AM@ 11:30 AM@		39 18 m 8 m 9	\$5.07 2.34 7.99 \(\text{8.91}
5.	OCT 27	JAPAN	081335864706	09:44 PM		ude 1	2.55 × \$26.86

Convenience calls (collect, third number and other operator assisted)

No.	Date	Called from	Called to	Time	Rate	Type	Min.	Amount
C	Calling nu	umber 734-7608						
6.	OCT 28	NEW YORK NY 212 758-0413	WASHINGTON D 202 797-2356	C 12:10 PM	DAY	Third	1	2.17 V
7.	OCT 28	NEW YORK NY 212 758-0083	WASHINGTON D 202 797-2356	C 12:12 PM	DAY	Number Third Number	4 4	2.86
				D & W.		Sub Total	\$	\$5.03
III.	icators:		AL COUNTRY(SM) CAN SUBTOTAL - DISC					
Rate	You H	DS-Dial Stan lave Saved Special Count	2.99 with the					
						Total		\$31.89
Tax	ces							
8.	Federal	Tax @ 3%						1.00
9.	New Yor	k Gross Receipts Ta	ax Surcharge					1.50

Total AT&T invoice charge

\$34.48

Total



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Itemized calls

Directly dialed

No.

Date

	Calling numbe	r 212-734-7608					
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2.	OCT 09	NATICK MA	508 655-2547	12 57 PM	NIGHT	40	5.20
3.	OCT 09	BEE CREEK TX	512 264-2333	9 15 PM	NIGHT	55	7.15
4.	OCT 11	INDIA	91116836849	9 31 AM	DS	1	3.89
5.	OCT 11	INDIA	91116836849	9 34 AM	DS	1	3.89
6.	OCT 11	CREDIT	91116836849	9 35 AM	DS	1	3.89cm
7.	OCT 12	INDIA	91116836849	1 40 PM	DS	5	11.65.
8.	OCT 12	CONCORD MA	508 287-0117	9 11 PM	EVE	27	4.05.
9.	OCT 13	GERMANY	4986632553	11 42 AM	DS	78-	1000
10.	OCT 20	SWITZERLND	41229990001	7 39 AM	DS	1	1.94
11.	OCT 20	SO ORANGE NJ	201 762-5100	8 09 AM	DAY	2	_66.
12.	OCT 20	SWITZERLND	41229990001	9 54 AM	DS	10	12.38 V
13.	OCT 21	SWITZERLND	41229990020	4 19 AM	DE	2	1.85
				Sut	Total		58.72

Number called

Convenience calls (collect, third number and other operator assisted)

No.	Date	Called from	Called to	Time	Rate	Туре	Min.	Amount
14.	OCT 13	NEW YOR NY 212 758-0063	KETCHHRBOR NS 902 868-2818		EVE	Third Number Sub Total	4	3.31 × 3.31
Rete		5-Diel Standard		I-Dial for		Total		162.63

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16 NY Cross receipts has surcharge

Total

Rate

Time

Min.

Amount

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Summary of AT&T charges

Place called

Itemized calls \$14.05 NY Gross receipts tax surcharge .70 Federal Tax (3%) \$15.19 Total

Itemized calls

Directly dialed Date

Rate:	pp-p	ial Discount			Total		\$14.05
5.	AUG 07	COLOMBIA	5712590176	8 38 AM	DD	5	5.51
4.	AUG 06	COLOMBIA	5712590176	8 33 AM	DD	2	2.81
3.	AUG 06	COLOMBIA	5712575384	8 31 AM	DD	1	1.91
2.	AUG 05	COLOMBIA	5712575384	2 40 PM	DD	1	1.91
1.	AUG 05	COLOMBIA	5712575384	9 06 AM	DD	1	\$1.91

Number called

Time

Rate

Min.

Amount

Taxes

No.

6.	Federal tax		\$.44
7.	NY Gross receipts tax surcharge		.70
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Dalhousie University

International Ocean Institute



FAXED

FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

To:

Julia Hall

FAX No:

212 734 7608

From:

Elisabeth Mann Borgese

FAX No.:

1 902 868 2455

Date:

December 17, 1993

Subject:

Accounts

Dear Julia,

Thanks very much for your statement, and for all your invaluable help.

I have two queries with regard to the expenses:

- 1. Why do we have to pay for the fax? I did not use it very much. If anything at all should be charged to us, it would be half. The other half --at least!, considering the time of usage involved --should go to IUCN.
- 2. Telephone charges. There should be absolutely none. Everything was charged to my telephone credit card, and, during this period, there is not even any call from him to me here (in any case, it is usually I who call him).

Please advise me on these two points. I'll send you a new check early in january.

Let me use this occasion to send you my warmest wishes for Christmas and the New Year.

Yours as ever,



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RECEIVED JAN 0 6 1994

5 Tudor City Place, #1531 New York, N.Y. 10017 USA

212 986-1154

29 December 1993

Dear Mrs Borgese,

Ambassador Bhagwat-Singh left New York last week for the Christmas vacation and on his departure handed me your Fax of December 17th. He also gave me the draft of a reply to your two queries, plus a request to enclose a copy of his travel itinerary.

He was somewhat surprised at the points raised in your FAX. We maintain the record/account for three different organizations and are very careful to keep receipts, bills and vouchers as separately as possible. As you may imagine, it is quite time-consuming and sometimes not very clear cut. However, in your case all the telephone calls, faxes, postage, etc., are actual expenses, with receipts. The New York Telephone Company gives itemized details of calls every month in the bill for Ambassador Bhagwat-Singh and you were sent copies of the bills for your records. I understand that most of the calls made by you from here (734-7608) were charged to your credit card, but there are other calls/faxes made on behalf of IOI mostly to Canada. In any case, these are actual charges on Ambassador Bhagwat-Singh's monthly bill.

IOI has not so far been charged anything for the installation (purchase of the FAX machine). In actual fact, the usage of FAX messages sent/received is considerably less both in cases of IUCN and AALCC. He only thought it fair to charge IOI for the rare repair expenses of FAX in all these years.

If you still have any objections to the statement of expenses, then I will ask Ambassador Bhagwat-Singh to reimburse these actual occurred expenses from his personal account. As it is, Ambssasor Bhagwat-Singh says he is hardly fully compensated for all the expenses.

At the moment we do not have any reserve funds.

Thank you for your good wishes and may I wish you a peaceful and happy New Year.

Yours sincerely,

Julia

Mrs. Elizabeth Mann Borgese Pearson Institute Dalhousie University 1321 Edward Street Halifax - Nova Scotia B3H 3H5 Canada

Man Hall

AMBASSADOR BHAGWAT-SINGH

DAY/DATE	AIRLINE/FLIGHT	FROM/LEAVE	TO/ARRIVE	ADDRESS
Tuesday 21 Dec 93	Swissair 101	New York 8.40 p.m.	Zurich 10 a.m. (22 Dec. 93)	Suvrett House St.Moritz Tel: (082) 21121 Fax (082) 38524

Wednesday	Swissair	Zurich	New York
5 Jan. 94	100	1.00 p.m.	3.45 p.m.

Friday	United Airlines	New York	Buenos Aires	Sheraton Hotel
14 Jan. 94	979B	8.40 p.m.	9.40 a.m.	1225-1275
			15 Jan. 94	San Martin Street
				1104 Buenos Aires
				Tel: 541-311-6311
				Fax: 541-312-0346

Thursday United Airlines Buenos Aires New York 27 Jan. 94 979B 10 p.m. 7 a.m. (28 Jan. 94)





Dalhousie University

International Ocean Institute



January 10, 1994

Mrs Julia Hall
3 Tudor City Place
#1531
New York, N.Y. 10017
USA

Dear Julia,

Thanks for your explanation.

As you point out, sometimes the divisions are not very clear cut; but the amount involved certainly is not very great. Please consider your accounts as accepted by us, and I am enclosing my check for US \$500, for the next round!

I am looking forward to seeing you soon, and let me use this occasion to send you my warmest wishes for 1994!

Yours cordially,

Elisabeth Mann Borgese

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5 Tudor City Place, #1531 New York, N.Y. 10017 USA

23 January 1994

Dear Mme Borgese,

Thank you for your letter of January 10, 1994 together with the enclosure of a cheque for \$500.00 received yesterday. The printed label containing my address should be amended, however, as the number of my apartment building is 5 and not 3. This probably accounts for the length of time the letter took to arrive.

Fortunately you have missed the icy weather we have just experienced. Everything came to a standstill including myself.

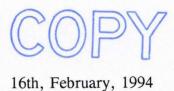
Wishing you a productive visit at the end of this month,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

Julia Hall

Mme. E. Mann Borgese International Ocean Institute Dalhousie University 1220 LeMarchant Street Halifax, Nova Scotia Camada B3H 3P7



Ms. Julia Hall 5 Tudor City Place, No. 1531 New York, N.Y. 10017 U.S.A.

Dear Ms. Hall,

Thank you for forwarding those papers to me on behalf of Elisabeth Mann Borgese, and for drawing attention to the error in your postal address. We had in fact already noticed it, but it was good to know that the cheque had arrived safely anyway.

Speaking of errors in addresses, your most recent package was addressed to the Pearson Institute on Edward Street, which we actually moved from in August of last year! When I checked your letter of 23rd January to Elisabeth, I noted that you had put LeMarchant Street, which is correct, but had got the number wrong! (It is 1226 not 1220.) I think you do have the "new" address, but if not, you'll find it at the bottom of this page.

Thanks again for your help in sending the materials from Elisabeth. I hope you are surviving the latest subarctic temperatures ...!

Yours sincerely,

Madeleine Coffen-Smout Programme Assistant



Dalhousie University



International Ocean Institute



FACSIMILE MESSAGE

TO:

His Excellency Ambassador Bhagwat-Singh

FAX:

212 734 7608

FROM:

Nicole F. Hegedus, Acting Coordinator, International Ocean Institute

FAX:

(1)-(902) 494-2034

DATE:

January 12, 1995

RE:

United Nation Publications

PAGE:

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His Excellency Ambassador Bhagwat-Singh,

I am writing to you on behalf of the Margaret Wood, director of the Halifax operational centre of IOI. She asked me to request if you would be so kind to contact the UN department in charge of distributing free United Nations publications. I have listed below all the mailing list of all our operational centres.

IOI - CANADA

Elisabeth Mann Borgese Founder and Honorary President International Ocean Institute Dalhousie University 1226 LeMarchant Halifax, Nova Scotia CANADA B3H 3P7

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Director
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The University of the South Pacific
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Dr. V.S. Raju
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IOI - India
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Indian Institute of Technology
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IOI - CHINA

Professor Hou Wenfeng
Director
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Tsutomu Fuse Executive Director IOI-Japan Yokohama City University 22-2 Seto Kanazawa-Ku Yokohama-Shi 236 JAPAN **IOI - AFRICA**

Dr. Diafara Toure Director IOI - Senegal Centre de Recherches Oceanographiques de Dakar - Thiaroye (CRODT) Dakar, SENEGAL

I would like to thank you in advance for your kind attention to this matter.

Yours sincerely,

Nicole F. Hegedus

Ricale J. Hogdus

Acting Coordinator, International Ocean Institue - Halifax



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FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

To:

H.E. Ambassador

Bhagwat Singh

FAX No:

212 734 7608

From:

Elisabeth Mann Borgese

FAX No.:

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Date:

28 January, 1995

Subject:

U.N. Publications

Bhagwat,

For the training programme (no hurry) I would need the following publications;

- 1. E.94.I.18, REPORT OF THE GLOBAL CONFERENCE ON THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT OF SMALL ISLANDS DEVELOPING STATES.
- 2. E.94.II F.24, WASTE RECYCLING FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT. THE CASE OF OBSOLETE OIL AND GAS PRODUCTION STRUTURES IN ASIA PACIFIC WATERS.
- 3. E.95.II.F.22 Integrated Applications of Remote Sensing and GIS for Land and Water Resource Management. Proceedings of the Regional Seminar, Bangalore, India, 16-19 November 1994.
- 4.E.94.II.F.11 Human Resources Development
- 5.E.94. V.13. The Law of the Sea. Practice of States at the Time of the Entry into Force of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea.

If possible, free ot charge!

Thanks. Love.



10/5-36

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16 November 1995

Ambassador K. Bhagwat-Singh Apartment 12c 404 East 66th Street New York NY 10021 U.S.A.

My Dear Bhaqwat and Betty.

It was great that you could both be with us for the Royal Visit on Tuesday - and I know that the Master, President and Fellows were delighted to welcome you both back to Corpus on such a memorable occasion.

I look forward to seeing you again in late January in New York - and I won't forget to bring over 12 Corpus Christi table mats with me!

The College would be very grateful to you, Bhagwat, for your advice and guidance in establishing a frequent series of high level forums at Corpus and Cambridge each year where international statesmen and women can meet with leading academics and scientists. Perhaps we can talk this through in detail in January.

Meanwhile by the time you receive this I hope that you have had several days of rest and relaxation in White Plains.

My very best wishes to Anna, and my warmest regards to you both.

Ears.

Tam.

Tony Byrne Director of Development



Dalhousie University

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December 19, 1996

Ambassador Bhagwat Singh 404 East 66th Street New Yori, N.Y. USA

Dear Bhagwat,

Thanks for the receipts and info.

Hans Corell's receipt was for US\$40; however, my check was for US\$50, which is a little awkwrd. Well, I figure there are bank charges on my ckeck to him as well as on my check to you, and this just means, I am carrying the bank charges instead of you!

I have corrected by records accordingly, and here is my ckeck to you for US\$28.

All the best to you for your sad vacation!

Yours as ever,

Elralls

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April 20, 1997

Subject:

Burhenne\Tolba

Dear Bhagwat,

You remember, Wolfgang suggested that I should talk to Tolba about that scandal of taking that item on the genetic resources of the deep seabed off the Agenda.

Since I did not see Tolba any more, I wrote the attached letter.

Could you give it To Wolfgang during your Monday luncheon, so that he can give it to Tolba? Unless you want to give it to Tolba yourself!

I cancelled my air ticket and rented an Avis car and drove it to Halifax, to bring the two dogs, Sambro and Ada, for a renewed trial marriage! (Ada is here only for company!). It was a long haul, and the weather was absolutely dreadful. Yesterday I drove for 16 hours!

My love all around,

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Thursday, May 07, 1998

H.E. Bhagwat Singh AALCC 404 East 66th Street Apartment 12c New York 10021 USA New York

Dear Ambassador,

Elisabeth Mann Borgese asked us to provide you with new business cards. Please find enclosed samples of various layouts. Should any of these layouts be acceptable to you please contact our office and we will then have cards printed for you.

I understand that you wish the cards to be printed in blue ink and the lettering embossed. If these details are incorrect please let us know when you contact our office.

Yours sincerely,

Darlene Manning Administrator Blugwer Singly

DRAFT ONLY FOR YOUR INFORMATION: HAVE NOT SENT AND WILL NOT SEND

Mr. Prime Minister,

As I learned from our colleague in New York, you will be visiting New York and the United Nations in June -- during the very days that I will be in Malta, for the meeting of the Executive Committee of our Board. So I will miss you in both places which is unfortunate because I had intended to ask for your advice and cooperation with regard to a proposal which we would like to push at the U.N.

The Year of the Ocean is entering its final phase, and I do believe, it should not be allowed to pass without leaving a concrete result for the future: Something to enhance the implementation and progressive development, not only of the Law of the Sea Convention but of all the Conventions, Agreements and Programmes adopted in the wake of the Rio Conference on Environment and Development, all of which have an important ocean dimension. At present, all these instruments are not properly coordinated.

There is now wide spread agreement that a forum is needed where the closely interrelated problems of ocean space (to use the language of the Law of the Sea Convention) can be considered as a whole. This forum can only be created at the level of the General Assembly of the United Nations of which all States parties to all the different Conventions are members.

However, the General Assembly itself, overloaded with work as it is already, cannot possibly devote the time that would be needed to fully discuss the problems involved and agree on a coherent policy which then should be implemented by the various specialized agencies in a coherent and consistent manner.

It is our suggestion, therefore that the General Assembly should institute a Committee of the Whole, which should be convened every two years for the necessary length of time -- probably at least one month if not two.

I am attaching a few pages, taken from my forthcoming Report to the Club of Rome, which explains this proposal in some more detail This Report will be published in November by the United Nations University Press, with an introduction by the ex-Prime Minister of the Netherlands, Dr. Ruud Lubbers, my colleague in the Club of Rome.

We think the proposal should be put forward in November/December, when the annual Law of

the Sea Resolution is up for discussion -- just before the end of the Year of the Ocean. But if this were to be done, one would have to start now to find allies and co-sponsors for the proposal.

We also think it would be splendid and "historically just" if Malta could take this initiative and introduce the proposal. I am sure one could mobilize wide spread support for it -- including the support of the Secretary-General.

I would be most grateful for your reaction.

With all good wishes,

Respectfully yours

Elisabeth Mann Borgese Professor Policy Integration: The Ocean Assembly

When, with the adoption and opening for signature of the Law of the Sea Convention, UNCLOS III came to its end in 1982, it was clear that there no longer existed a body in the UN system, capable of considering the closely interrelated problems of ocean space as a whole. During the decade and a half that has passed since then, the need for such a body became ever more glaring.

This problem arises from a lacuna in the Convention itself. In this respect, as in some others, the Convention is unfinished business, a process rather than a product Unlike other Treaties, which provide for regular meetings of States Parties to review and, eventually, to revise such Treaties, the Law of the Sea Convention severely limits the mandate of the meetings of States Parties restricting it, after the establishment phase, to the periodic election of Judges to the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea, the approval of the expenses of that institution, and amendments to the Statute thereof. The mandate of the Assembly of the International Sea-bed Authority, the only other body comprising all States parties, obviously is limited to sea-bed issues.

Theoretically, there would be three ways of dealing with the problem:

One could, perhaps first informally and later by amendment, broaden the mandate of the meetings of States Parties, enabling them to review the implementation of the Convention and to formulate an integrated ocean policy;

One could broaden the mandate of the Assembly of the International Seabed Authority, considering that, on the one hand, sea-bed mining is not going to require very much time for the foreseeable future, while, on the other, "the problems of ocean space are closely interrelated and need to be considered as a whole. "

The General Assembly of the United Nations could be given the responsibility for examining, periodically, all the interrelated problems of ocean space and generating an integrated ocean policy.

The first two alternatives would have the advantage of utilizing existing and otherwise under-utilized bodies for a function for which they would be well prepared. Both would have the disadvantage of a membership that is less than universal. It should also be noted that "closely interrelated problems of ocean space" arise also within other, post-UNCED Convention regimes with a different membership. The first two alternatives would not be suitable for dealing with ocean-related interactions between various Convention regimes, e.g., the overlaps between the Biodiversity and Climate Conventions and the Law of the Sea

As emphasized in the Report of the Secretary-General of the United Nations¹ it is only the General Assembly, with its universal membership that has the capability of dealing with all the closely interrelated problems of ocean space, including those arising from the interactions of various Convention regimes. The disadvantage of the General Assembly, however, is that it cannot possibly devote sufficient time to these problems which would require several weeks, at least every second year.

To solve this problem, the General Assembly should establish a Committee of the Whole to devote the time needed for the making of an integrated ocean policy. Representatives of the upgraded Regional Seas

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¹ Doc. A/51/645

Programmes, the Specialized Agencies of the UN system with ocean-related mandates, as well as the nongovernmental sector should participate in the sessions of this Committee of the Whole -- a sort of "Ocean Assembly of the United Nations," meeting every second year. The integrated policy should be prepared by DOALOS in cooperation with the CSD.



International Ocean Institute United Nations Office

14 May 1998

Dear Ms. Darlene Manning,

Thank you for your letter of 7 May 1998, enclosing various layouts of the business cards. You or some colleague in your office seems to be an accomplished graphic artists to come up with so many designs.

I have selected the one which I am sending along with, another one from an international organization whom I represent here. I think, the IUCN card is a fairly well recognized one.

Ms. Darlene Manning Administrator International Ocean Institute 1226 LeMarchant Street Halifax, Nova Scotia Canada, B3H 3P7 Yours sincerely

Bhagwat-Singh Ambassador



Secretariat

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Date:

September 5, 1998

Dearest Bhagwat,

I phoned While Plains last night because I thought you should be back by now, but you weren't. So I had a long chat with Betty, and she gave me the terribly, terribly sad news about the dogs -- both of them. That must have been unbearable. I want to let you know how deeply sad I am and how I feel with you.

We too had sad losses. Mirabelle and Amanda died -- also very closely to each other, and so suddenly that we could not believe it. But at least we have the puppies, and they are a great consolation.

We have to get you new puppies! Shall I try now in Bergamo, so that you could take them home on he 15th?

Now, here are two business items:

Kofi Annan. We have to sort that out -- preferably even before you come back to New York -- if that were possible. Because the time is getting awfully short.

You remember: that guy -- I forget his name, wanted the official letter confirming the participation of the Governor General, and I did send it to him, and of course I have not heard anything else, but I take it that that idiotic letter he sent is to be considered null and void, and that we have to re-start the matter.

Now, at this time, we have two options: Our preferred option is Monday, November 30 a.m.: Breakfast with the Governor-General; Governor-General to introduce him and remain on the stage during his Key=note address on the significance of the Year of the Ocean. The whole to be

broadcast live internationally by CBC.

The second option is what we had before: Statement during the inaugural session, Sunday November 29 after the Governor-General inaugurates the Conference and Warioba makes a statement.

Our Advisory Council seems to have a strong preference for option 1. They think it would be more effective. But they do want to leave it up to the Secretary-General. Only we have to fix it really soon now.

Everything else is in excellent shape. So do let me know.

The second point concerns our initiative with the UNGA.

I was in Jamaica, for the Sea-bed Authority, and did a lot of leg-work for the General Assembly initiative. Believe it or not, it is getting extremely favourable reactions. I do believe we can get it done. In Europe I have Austria, Netherlands, Sweden, Finland, and Romania, thus far. Probably also Italy. Among the Developing Countries, I have India, China, Indonesia, and Brazil, thus far. They will support it. I will know next week whether Malta will take the official initiative. They have their elections just now. If Malta cannot do it, I had been thinking of Malaysia, where we have excellent connections. Ambassador Tuerk of Austria said, Malaysia has lost prestige in Europe, and I should go for Indonesia. What do you think? Romania suggested we should start putting down some thoughts about a Resolution, and some of us got together (Sweden, Finland) and drafted this pre-pre-pre-draft resolution.

I don't know whether you saw Hans Corell's Oslo speech. It really was very good and supports our basic ideas -- although I agree with you: he would not really want to support them..in any case I sent everything to him. I have no reaction as yet..

I am now sending the material to all the members of the World Commission on the Ocean and to all the Missions in New York. I'll probably will have to come to New York after the UNGA opens (also should go to the dentist!) Let us get it done!

Much love, and please send me a fax!

Yours as ever.

Elruth

my love to Amer!

Did you hear/read anything about the Cannehing of the Report of the World Commission on the Ocean in Lisbon?

Nothing here!



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October 5, 1998

Subject:

Malta

Dear Bhagwat,

Here is a copy of my letter to Guido de Marco. Let us hope he is serious!

The trip was great: The Ocean Symphony was tremendous, and a smashing success! Now we are making the film. They really should perform the Symphony at the UN, in conclusion of the Year of the Ocean!

The meeting with the Swiss Re was quite promising: We are presently working on a one million dollar proposal!

Talk to you soon.

Much love

Elrally

Professor Borgese, INTERNET:elisabeth.borgese@dal.ca

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Dear Elisabeth,

Thank you for sending the IOI broschures. Could we have a few more of the appendices for the delegates here. I am looking forward to see you at the end of the month.

Best wishes,

Anna Holzner

Madeleine - this is Bhagwat Singh's assistant. What das she mean by "Appendices"? Whatever it is - please send it! I think it was Daylene who sent that! So this is really for Darlene!

Sent by mail Dec 11/98. Darlene



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January 4, 1999

Subject:

CSD, etc.

Dearest Bhagwat,

Happy New Year to you and the Ladies! I hope you had a lovely time at the Suvretta and have returned refreshed and vigorous!

I have tried to rewrite the proposal in the new cntext, and also taking a lot from the Secretary-General's report. So here is a new draft. I have also studied the guidelines for the majo groups -- and we are already late with this paper! According to the guide lines, it should not be longer than 5 pages -- so 4 single=spaced is just right.

I have also applied for funds for the consultant. We'll have to discuss that.

Elrally

I'll call you tomorrow. We'll also have to set the date for my trip to New York!

My love all around,

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February 2, 1999

Good morning Bhagwat,

Here are my drafts, and also Fred's whereabouts.

Let us talk.

My love all round

Elrally

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Date:

February 3, 1999

Subject:

IOI project.

Dear Felicity,

I have had a long talk with Ambassador Bhagwat Singh, who is our representative at the UN, and we have "regrouped." He himself will be able to monitor the preparatory session during the final week of February; we can get one of our UN-experienced Board Members for March, if necessary, but since you indicated you might be available for two or three weeks, we still would like to ask you to come for the period of April 10 (or, latest 15) to April 30, that is, for CSD7 itself. Would that be possible?

As suggested by your Mission, we have drafted a new, 2-page document which will now go to all CSD member -- and then, there is a lot of legwork to be done! You know how it is! But the chances to get this thing done this year are really excellent, and should not be missed!

Elinaly

Do let me know soon.

With all good wishes,

Yours sincerely,

Date: Wed, 3 Feb 1999 21:20:43 -0500 From: anna <SinghICEL@compuserve.com>

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[The following text is in the "ISO-8859-1" character set] [Your display is set for the "US-ASCII" character set] [Some characters may be displayed incorrectly]

Dear Elisabeth,

The New Zealand Mission has convened a meeting at Ambassadorial level to discuss

Oceans/CSD on Friday 5 February at 11.a.m. They have asked Satya Nandan to address the meeting to give his general view(favourable to IOI proposal) I shall let you know the trends. Thanks for the copy of fax to Felicity. Your books for Corell/SG have been received.

I just had a call from Ambassador George Saliba of Malta-regarding your paper. He may be persuaded to present the paper, with some changes as a offical submission for Malta, along with a few other states. Canada, UK, USA has already said they would oppose the proposel: not surprising.

Regards,

Bhagwat





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Elisabeth Mann Borgese

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Date:

March 17, 1999

Subject:

Arvid

Dear Bhagwat,

Here are Arvid's coordinates

Pardo, Arvid 713 333 3023 1702 Antigua Lane Nassau Bay, Texas 77058

Was there something else I should have faxed you?

I have asked Gunnar Kullenberg to send you a copy of our application to ECOSOC.

Anything else?

I am going to write up somehing new on our GA proposal.

Love.

Flrauh

P.S. I had a nice talk with Ambassador Saliba.

He is fairly optimistic!

URL http://www.dal.ca/joihfx/

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Dear Mr. Singh,

Attached please find a copy of our application to ECOSOC including the covering letter, as requested by Elisabeth. We have no acknowledgement from them as yet, therefore we would appreciate it if you could follow-up from your end.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

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UNGA

Dear Bhagwat,

welcome back home again!

Here is a little piece that I think would be useful to send to all missions. Could you take care of that and let me know how much I owe you?

Thanks, and sorry to be a nuisance, as always!

Love to the whole household, (the entourage)

Florell





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CSD

Good morning, Bhagwat,

I revised the paper, in accordance with yesterday's talks. I think it would be useful if it went to the Drafting Committee -- unless things look different today. I think it would be best if it could go in the name of Malta. If that does no work, then in the name of IOI. But I think Saliba is most cooperative.

I'll call you tonight -- unless I hear from you before. I shall be at home until noon your time; then, after 16:00 your time.

Love,

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WORKING PAPER

Analysis of Debate on Coordination

- 1. It is remarkable, and highly encouraging, to note what importance the issue of coordination has assumed in the course of just one year. Last year it did not attract much attention. This year it is recognized as the most important issue before CSD7.
 - At the beginning of the debate, the Chair noted that it was essential that CSD7 should come up with recommendations for action that were practical and feasible: that the credibility, the future of the Commission depended on such an outcome.
 - At the end of the debate, the Chair, taking up a statement made by Brazil, noted that the common concert, the dominant issue was that of coordination, and the success or failure of CSD7 depended on the resolution of this issue.
- 2. The Chair summed up the essence of the consensus that had emerged:
 - The present situation is not satisfactory.
 - If a change is to be made, it should utilize existing mechanisms; it should not create new bureaucracies; it should not have financial implications.
- 3. The concept that the "coordination mechanism" must be at the level of the General Assembly, with its universal membership and interdisciplinary mandate, restated also by the Legal Counsel, Dr. Hans Corell, was not challenged
- 4. There was no analysis of the pros and cons of the four options -- "ocean conference," "high-level symposium," "Committee of the Whole of the General Assembly" nd "Openended working group," listed in the report of the Co-Chairmen of the intersessional working group. However, no support was expressed for "one-shot" solutions. It is probably not off the mark to suggest that a consensus is emerging on the point that the "coordination mechanism" whatever it will be, must offer a permanent solution to the problem of coordination and that a one-time event would not at all solve the problem.
- 5. That leaves two options: The Open-ended Working Group and the Committee of the Whole. The advantages and disadvantages of these two options will be analysed in the light of an important contribution made by the Delegation of Portugal. The Delegation of Portugal suggested that the structure of the "coordination mechanisms" depended on the precise purposes it was to serve or the tasks it was to fulfil. The Commission, therefore should first agree on the "mandate" of the "mechanism" and then determine its structure. Among the tasks, the Delegate of Portugal mentioned managing the interaction between the U.N. Convention on the Law of the Sea, Agenda 21 and the ocean-related parts of all

- UNCED conventions, agreements and programmes; the enhancement of integrated ocean and coastal management, and determining priorities.
- 6. Summing up a variety of proposals, including the statement made by the Hon. Simon Upton at the second London workshop, as well as various statements by the Secretary-General and the Legal Counsel, the "mandate" or "mission" of the coordination mechanism might be defined as follows:
 - to follow developments relating to ocean affairs and the law of the sea; to foster a coherent approach to the implementation of the global ocean regime established by UNCLOS, to encourage its ratification and effective implementation; to identify emerging issues and persistent problems which require international action that would be built upon the basis provided by the Convention, in its interaction with the other ocean-related Conventions, Agreements, and Programmes; to give directives to the ACC Subcommittee such s to harmonize and streamline the programmes and activities of the Specialized Agencies and Programmes, to avoid duplications and fill gaps; and to take a more active part in anticipating areas of concern and devising strategies to address them effectively
- 7. The Open-ended Working Group appears to attract the broadest support at this time. It would undoubtedly be a step forward. If a consensus could be reached on its establishment; that would be far better than nothing. It also might be considered as a first step towards a more perfect solution in the future. Two points, however, should be kept in mind:
- 8. This "open-ended. Working Group" cannot be "informal."
 - experience clearly shows that "informal" bodies -- even at the level of the
 Secretary-General's "informal consultations" on the Law of the Sea Convention -do not have the full participation of small and developing countries. These
 countries concentrate their participation in official meetings and do not have the
 manpower nor the money to disperse them in unofficial or informal meetings.
 Representation in the "open-ended working group" would tend to be weighted in
 favour of the industrialized countries and their experts.
 - The work of the open-ended working group would be of a technical, not of a political nature. It would improve the *preparation* for the GA debate on the oceans. It would not provide the possibility for the deepening and broadening of this debate, in which all States, and all UN Agencies as well as "civil society" should participate. The one, or perhaps even two, or three days the GA could spare for this debate still would be totally inadequate. The "informal" open-ended working group would be a technical improvement. It would not address the central issue we are facing, that is, to enable the General Assembly to broaden

and deepen its debate on the closely interrelated problems of ocean space which have to be considered as a whole.

- 9. Thus the Working group must be "formal" and "structured." Part of its structuring concerns its time schedule. And this is the second point to keep in mind. An "informal working group" makes its own working schedule and meets whenever it decides. The kind of meeting that is needed, instead, is *at regular intervals*, *perhaps every two years*.
 - it would include the full membership of the United Nations and, being an official meeting, it would be attended fully by developing countries whose participation could be facilitated by scheduling the meeting, every two years, just prior to the opening of the GA;
 - it would carry out a full, political debate, based on the Secretary-General's report and fulfil the tasks enumerated above.
 - It would respond directly to the General Assembly
 - it would include the competent organizations of the UN system, Regional Commissions and Development Banks as well as the coordinating Units of the Regional Seas Programmes, as Observers;
 - it could create mechanisms, such as Hearings, for the participation of "civil society," including NGOs, socio-economic actors, and local authorities, on the pattern so successfully established by this Commission.
- 10. If these two conditions were met: i.e, that the Working Group were to be *formal* and *structured*, *including a structured time table*, it could fulfil the tasks listed in paragraph 6 above.
- 11. It would not be a new institution; it would use existing mechanisms; it would not have financial implications. However, to meet the concerns of prudence, a recommendation might be included to the effect that this Open-ended Working Group should meet twice, in 2000 and in 2002, to prepare for the 10-year review of UNCED, which coincides with the 20-year review of UNCLOS; and that the CSD should review the usefulness of this "coordination mechanism" and change it, or even abolish it, if necessary.

30 April 1999

PRESS CONFERENCE BY CHAIRMAN OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

The biggest change in the Commission on Sustainable Development was to have Ministers engaging in an informal dialogue on some of the big issues of the day, Simon Opton (New Zealand), Chairman of the Commission's seventh session, said at a Headquarters press conference this afternoon. That dialogue had produced some very spirited and even outspoken debate on such issues as flags of convenience and fisheries.

Briefing correspondents on the outcome of the just-concluded session, Mr. Upton said that despite initial nervousness about the new approach, everybody had seemed to enjoy the experience. From that point of view, the meeting had been hugely successful and nobody had expressed a wish to return to the previous way of running the Commission. It was now possible for the next Chairman to use the present momentum to continue down a very different path.

Mr. Upron said his own view was that there should not be any statements by Ministers. They should engage in an entirely free flow debate. But it was up to the next bureau to decide whether they should continue down that path. During previous meetings he had picked up an increasing sense of disillusionment that the Commission as a forum was neither gaining much traction nor engaging the attention and interest of Ministers. His overriding aim as Chairman had been to breathe new life into the process.

Turning to substantive matters, the Chairman said the issue of oceans and seas was inevitably difficult because it was an enormous and ancient international agenda, involving layer upon layer of treaties, interventions, agreements and agencies. The archaeology of international maritime and marine negotiations was a specialist subject in itself. However, the Commission had done justice to the issue, including setting aside a whole day of the Ministerial segment to consider it.

He waid that three of the issues on which the Commission had failed to reach agreement were the question of subsidies as they relate to fisheries, the provision of consumer information on fishing and the transport and transit of hazardous waste. However, the failure to reach agreement could be seen positively. It had resulted in a much more credible document because there had been no attempt to reach a "lowest common denominator" consensus

The most important thing the Commission had done in terms of the "big picture" was to state right up front that the two most pressing decisions facing the oceans were overfishing and land-based sources of pollution, he said. Those were the unequivocal priorities. Anybody who wanted to do anything about oceans, whether on the national, regional of international level should not waste their time on other issues until they had fixed those ones. More than 60 per cent of the world's fish stocks were depleted and

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under stress. There was a gigantic international fishing effort that still managed to discard a quarter of all the fish that were taken. There was nothing sustainable about what was happening in the world's fisheries.

He said that in supporting the work of the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) and the International Maritime Organization (IMO) on illegal, unregulated and unreported fishing, the Commission was urging that those agencies should consider the problem of States which did not fulfil their responsibilities under international law as flag States in respect of their fishing vessels, particularly concerning conservation measures.

On the issue of small island developing States, he soid a lot of progress had been made, but the process had not reached finality. The Commission had not decided on a clear text available for adoption by next September's General Assembly special session on Small Island Developing States to review implementation of the 1994 Barbados Programme of Action. That issue required further attention and would re-emerge once more closer to the date of the special session.

Turning to an issue that had never been tackled before in the Commission, he said the discussion on tourism and sustainable development had not been bound by previous decisions and had produced some good recommendations. Many of those reflected the outcome of the multi-stakeholder dialogue held at the beginning of last week.

Responding to a question, Mr. Oprop said the west important achievement of the just-concluded session was one that appeared to be procedural on the face of it. If the big priorities before the Commission could be carried through and debated as necessary by the General Assembly with proper preparation, that was a major step forward which would give a much higher profile to ocean issues. It was a very significant breakthrough.

In response to another question, he said the Commiss on had not discussed the question of environmental damage resulting from the conflict in the Halkans. The Commission had decided - by a no-action motion carried by 33 votes in favour, 4 against with 8 abstentions -- that in was not the appropriate venue to discuss that matter. It was the firs time the Commission had held a no-action motion.

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In the text on oceans and seas, the Commission called on Governments to strengthen national, regional and international action for developing

integrated approaches to oceans and coastal area management. It emphasized that the sustainable use of the oceans and seas was threatened by overexploitation of marine living resources and by pollution. It recommended that priority be given to measures such as the sustainable management of marine living resources, the prevention of degradation of the marine environment, better scientific understanding and coordinated implementation of the 1982 United Nations Convention on the haw of the Sea and of Agenda 21. The Commission recommended capacity-building, national and regional actions and efforts to promote wider implementation of international agreements.

Areas of specific concern noted by the Commission include the sustainable management of fisheries and other marine resources, both living and non fiving. Expressing grave concern at the slow rate of progress in many aspects of implementing the Global Programme of Action for the Protection of the Marine Environment from Land-based Activities, the Commission stressed the benefits of preparing programmes within a framework of integrated coastal area management and the importance of supporting initiatives at the regional level to protect the marine environment from land-based activities. Supplasizing that scientific understanding is fundamental to sound decision-making, it stressed the value of collecting reliable oceanographic data and of periodic comprehensive assessment of international waters.

Noting other marine activities such as shipping, dumping of wastes and offshore oil and gas operations, the Commission urged the international coordination and cooperation needed in the complex and internated area of the oceans and meas. It cited the General Assembly as the appropriate body for the coordination required to ensure an integrated approach to all aspects of the oceans issue at both the intergovernmental and inter-agency levels. It suggested an annual, week-long informal consultative process with input from representatives of major groups in discussion panels, the process to be reviewed no later than four years after its establishment.

By the draft decision on tourism and sustainable development (document E/CN.17/1999/f.6), the Commission decided to adopt an international work programme on sustainable development containing the claments outlined below and to begin its implementation. It will be reviewed in 2002 when the 10-year review of progress achieved since the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development will be carried out.

By the text, the Commission arged Governments to take a number of actions including:

-- consult with all major groups and local communities in the tourism development process, including on sharing of benefits;



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STATES PARTIES TO LAW OF SEA CONVENTION TO MEET

AT HEADQUARTERS 19-29 MAY

Election of Seven Judges to International Tribunal, Adoption of Tribunal Budget among Issues to Be Considered

NEW YORK, 17 May (Division for Ocean Affairs and Law of the Sea) — The States parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea will hold their ninth meeting at Headquarters from 19 to 28 May. At the forthcoming meeting, the States parties are expected to deal with a number of issues, including the adoption of the draft budget of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea and the election of seven judges to the Tribunal to replace the places that become vacant on 30 September.

A State party to the Convention is a State which has consented to be bound by the Convention and for which the Convention is in force. There are presently 130 parties to the Convention, comprising 129 States and one entity, the European Community.

The United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea requires States parties to settle their disputes between them concerning the interpretation or application of the Convention by peaceful means. Where no settlement has been reached, the dispute shall be submitted at the request of any party to a court or tribunal having jurisdiction.

The International Tribunal, established by the Convention, is one of the dispute settlement forums to which parties to the Convention are bound to submit their disputes. The other forums are the International Court of Justice, arbitral and special arbitral tribunals. The haw of the Sea Tribunal, however, has exclusive jurisdiction in disputes concerning the exploitation of deep seabed mineral resources, whether those disputes are between States parties or those involving the International Seabed Authority. It also informs natural or juridical processes.

Election of Judges

The States parties clocked 21 judges to serve on the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea on 1 August 1996. The judges were sworn in by

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the Secretary General of the United Nations during the official inauguration of the Tribunal, which took place at its headquarters in the Free and Hanseatic city of Hamburg on 18 October 1996.

In accordance with the Statute of the Tribunal, those 21 judges were divided into three groups chosen by lot drawn by the Secretary-General after the first election. The term of the first group of seven Judges is to expire at the end of three years, the term of the next group of seven judges is to expire at the end of six years and the term of the office of the third group of judges is to expire at the end of nine years.

The forthcoming meeting of States parties will elect seven judges to replace those whose terms of office expire on 30 September. The election is to take place on 24 May.

For the present election there are 10 candidates nominated by 10 States parties to the Convention (for the complete list of nominees and their curricula vitae, see document SPLOS/32 and SPLOS/33).

Budget of Tribunal

The Tribunal, since the election of the 21 judges in 1956, has held seven sessions at its seat in Hamburg, Germany, and has dealt with one case for the prompt release of a vessel, the M/V "Sarga", and its crew and with a request for provisional measures. The Tribunal, having ordered the release of the vessel and its crew on the basis of the determination of the bond, is now dealing with the merits of the case. The merits of the case ranse important issues including freedom of navigation, the enforcement of customs laws, bunkering and the right of hot pursuit. A decision on the merits will also address the question of whether the bond posted by Saint Vincent and the Grenadines should be paid to the Republic of Guinea or returned to Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, and whether any damages are due to any of the

The hearing of the M/V "Saiga" (No. 2) case took place from 8 to 19 March and judicial deliberations were held in conjunction with the seventh session of the Tribunal from 28 February to 16 April. Judicial deliberations will continue in June and the Tribunal is expected to deliver its judgment at the end of June. The dispute was between Saint Vincent and the Grenadines and the Republic of Guinea. The ship was flying the flag of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines when it was arrested by customs authority of the Republic of Guinea. The ship was involved in re-fueling (bunkering) vessels at sea within the Exclusive Economic Zone of Guinea. The summaries of the deliberations have been posted on the Division of Ocean Affairs and Law of the Sca Web site.

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The Tribunal is scheduled to move at the beginning of the year 2000 from its temporary premises to its permanent premises. The new building and its grounds are being provided by the German authorities free of cost and rent, but the Tribunal will be responsible for all the maintenance, as well as operational expenses.

The budgetary arrangements first established for the Tribunal had been based on the determination of the States parties that there should be an evolutionary approach optimizing efficiency. Consequently, in the first two years of its functional phase and even thereafter, the Tribunal continues to operate with limited staff and resources.

According to the draft budger, the expenditure for the year 2000 will be determined largely by the following factors: the anticipated judicial workload; the Tribunal's administrative work; and the operation of its permanent premises. The Tribunal is requesting the sum of \$8.705.576 for its operational costs, \$1,721,759 more than the budget approved for the year 1999. The budget document also outlines the work programme of the Tribunal for the year 2000. The following costs are expected to be incurred according to the draft budget: \$2,726,181.96 to cover the remuneration and expenses for the 21 judges of the Tribunal; \$1,368,700 to cover costs associated with the professional staff of the Registry; \$1,293,905 to cover costs associated with the general service staff of the Registry and \$3,916,789.04 for administrative expenses.

In addition, the Tribunal is requesting an adjustment of the remuneration of the judges for the financial year 1999 based on the review and approval of the General Assembly of the United Nations, at its fitty-third session, of the remuneration of the Judges of the International Court of Justice. The proposal of the Tribunal is contained in document SPLOS/WP.10 and SPLOS/WP.10/Add.1.

In the event that the meeting of States parties approved the adjustment of remuneration of the judges contained in document SPLOS/WP.10 and that the new level of remuneration will apply effective from 1 January 1999, the Tribunal is requesting the meeting of States parties to approve a supplementary appropriation in the sum of \$171,023.54 (document SPLOS/WP.TT).

The eighth meeting of States parties had authorized the establishment of a working capital fund to enable the Tribunal to deal with cases whenever they are submitted and to ensure that the financial operations can be undertaken in accordance with the normal requirements of the applicable regulations and practices. In addition, the eighth meeting of States parties also approved a supplementary appropriation for 1998 to cover expenses for the proceedings in the M/V "Saiga" (No. 1) case. The draft document, therefore, contains the budgetary performance of the supplementary appropriation.

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In other matters concerning the Tribunal, the States parties will have before them the annual report of the Tribunal (document SPLOS/39); the draft financial regulations of the Tribunal (document SPLOS/36); the draft pension scheme regulations for members of the Tribunal (document SPLOS/WP.7/Rev.1); and the draft staff regulations (document SPLOS/37).

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GA Forum proposal

Dear Bhagwat,

I hope everybody is keeping well, and Moti and Gabi have settled in their new surroundings!

I had a long meeting with Ruud Lubbers yesterday and he gave me the two "non papers" circulated by Finland as the chair of the EU. I don't know whether you have seen these I find especially the one dated 6.9.1999 quite important. The other one is more of a nuisance because restricting discussions to sustainable fisheries and pollution is totally irrelevant.

It seems to me we ought to coordinate with the SIDS but use this IPC as a platform on which to promote the most important points:; that meetings must be formal, not informal; that meetings must be of sufficient duration to generate an in depth discussion of the S-G's report as a whole, and particularly on the interactions, positive or negative, between UNCLOS and various other instruments.

But, in any case, things are moving; also, no matter what may be said in New York, we do have the ear of the Netherlands, through Ruud Lubbers.

October seems to be the decisive time. We'll see in what direction things are moving.

We.ll talk during the week-end of October 9.

My love all around,

Elrally CL Dr. Gumar Kullenberg

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MEETINGS OTHER THAN MEETINGS OF UNITED NATIONS BODIES

The announcements in this section are reproduced as received.

The designations employed do not imply the expression of any opinion whatsoever on the part of the Scoretariat of the United Nations.

There will be a meeting of the Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters) on Tuesday, 12 October 1999, from 1.45 p.m. to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 5.

There will be meetings of the Group of 77 of the Third Committee (on draft resolutions on racial discrimination) on Wednesday, 13 October 1999, at 10 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber, and 3 p.m. in Conference Room D.

There will be a meeting of the Arab Group of the Whole (at the ambassadorial level) on Wednesday, 13 October 1999, at 10.30 a.m. (conference morn to be announced).

The Office of the Iraq Programme will hold a briefing on the submission of applications for the oil-for-food programme on Tuesday, 12 October 1999, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 8. The briefing is open to all interested Member and Observer States, United Nations agencies, intergovernmental organizations and non-governmental organizations. For further information, please call (212) 963-3083.

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Briefings

There will be a briefing, convened by the Chairpersons of the Commission on the Status of Women and the Preparatory Committee for the special session of the General Assembly entitled "Women 2000: gender equality, development and peace for the twenty-first century", on Thursday, 14 October 1999, at 11 a.m. in Conference Room 9, on the organization of work of the forty-fourth session of the Commission and the third session of the Preparatory Committee. A non-paper will be available on Tuesday, 12 October 1999, at the Division for the Advancement of Women of the Department of the Economic and Social Affairs (room DC2-1216).

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Informal consultations on draft resolutions related to agenda item 40 (Oceans and the law of the sea) will be held on Wednesday, 13 October 1999, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber, as follows: from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. on sub-item (a) (Law of the Sea); from 11 a.m. to 11.30 on sub-item (b) (Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sca of 10 December 1982, relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks); and from 11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. on sub-item (c) (Results of the review by the Commission on Sustainable Development of the sectoral theme of "oceans and seas").

Delegations interested in obtaining reporting material on agenda item 40 (Oceans and the law of the sea) are invited to visit the Web site of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea at the following address: http://www.un.org/Depts/los

Seminars

The United Nations University (UNU) and the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) are jointly organizing the third and final session of their 1999 series "Sustainable Development in Practice" Session III, entitled "Climate Change Governance: Fifth Session of the Conference of Parties and the Kyoto Protocol Negotiations." The seminar, to be conducted in English, will be held on 13 and 14 October 1999 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. For further information, please contact Ms. Cecelia Coleman (room DC1-603; tel.: (212) 963-9684).

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A seminar on "The Development and Reform of Pension Systems", organized by the Division for Social Policy and Development of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs, in cooperation with the International Labour Office, will be held on Monday, 18 October 1999, from 1.15 p.m. to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room B. The seminar, held within the framework of preparations for the special session of the General Assembly on the implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and Further Initiatives, will be conducted by Mr. Colin Gillion, Director of the Department of Social Security of ILO. Members of delegations and Secretarial staff are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Steven Miller (tel.: (212) 963-7535).



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Dear Ambassador K. Bhagwat-Singh,

I have a great pleasure enclosing a copy of our newly published book, *Vision for a New Civilization: Spiritual and Ethical Values in the New Millennium*. As your Excellency will note, the book covers global issues, which are of direct interest to the United Nations, including *Dialogue among Civilization*.

The authors have examined several global issues and presented a critical evaluation from variety of perspectives. We believe that the book represent a contribution to the work of the United Nations in international affairs.

We have participated for along time, particularly inspired by the United Nations Year of Dialogue among Civilizations.

Sincerely Yours,

Rev. Dr. Chung Ok Lee

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IUCN

Good morning, Bhagwat,

I think Nick has done an excellent job, and it is indeed quite specific. If we want to be that specific, the following elements might be added:

3 (bis): IOI and CEL will cooperate in the elaboration of a joint submission to the 2002 Johannesburg Summit on Sustainable Development.

3 (ter):IOI invites CEL to participate in its Leadership Seminar in Jamaica on July 9-12, 2001, which will deal with technology cooperation and transfer for the sustainable use of the resources of the deep sea-bed.

I wonder, Bhagwat, whether, at this stage, there should be any mention of financial arrangements. We would expect that, when CEL participates in IOI conferences and seminars, CEL should not only bear its own costs, but IUCN might co-sponsor (including financially) such events. I also would expect that whenever CEL invites IOI to participate in the writing of joint papers/publications, some funding for such work should be made available.

Do you have any other suggestions?

I am faxing the whole thing to Malta. Gunnar will be back in just a few days, and it is he who will have to sign it!

Love.

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Please consider and praide appropriate resisions.
Nick Robins

{DRAFT 10 May 2001}

Between The International Ocean Institute And The Commission on Environmental Law Of

The International Union for the Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources

Whereas, the International Ocean Institute (IOI), with headquarters offices in Malta, has a global programme for the progressive development of the law of the sea, marine resources conservation and management, and related projects in capacity building and promotion of stable governing systems for world order and sustainable development, and

Whereas, the Commission on Environmental Law (CEL), of the International Union for the Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources (IUCN), with headquarters in Bonn, Germany, has a global programme for advancing environmental law in all aspects, including progressive development of the law of the sea, marine resources conservation and management, with the objectives to influence, encourage and assist societies throughout the world to conserve the integrity and diversity of nature and to ensure that any use of natural resources is equitable and ecologically sustainable, and

Whereas, IOI and CEL wish to cooperate to advance the progressive development of the law of the sea and the environmental laws for conservation on the marine environment, and to further capacity building toward that end,

Now therefore, IOI and CEL agree as follows:

- 1. CEL invites the IOI to serve as an organizational associate of CEL, pursuant to IUCN's Regulation 71 and the CEL Bylaws, in recognition of IOI's competence to develop and advance the institutional knowledge and experiences and objectives of IUCN within the mandate of CEL to strengthen the laws governing the marine environment and the law of the sea, and IOI accepts this invitation;
- 2. CEL designates its Working Group on Marine Environmental Law as its liaison body to work with IOI in defining specific cooperative undertakings between CEL and IOI.
- 3. IOI and CEL will cooperate together to elaborate the appropriate measures required for States for their implementation and compliance and enforcement of the provisions of Part XII of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, and other international agreements for the marine environment, including the regional seas conventions and programmes;
- 4. IOI invites CEL to participate in its African Regional Meetings in Senegal, during 7-11 November 2001, and CEL agrees to participate;

- 5. IOI and CEL will identify a work plan through the next World Conservation Congress of IUCN, to include consideration of the following elements: (a) cooperation with the Arab Regional Centre for Environmental Law (ARCEL) at the Kuwait University Faculty of Law, in Kuwait, regarding strengthening the environmental law of the Gulf; (b) cooperation with the IUCN World Commission on Protected Areas to define the legal basis for marine protected areas, both on the high seas and within the EEZ and coastal zones of national sovereignty; (c) cooperation on developing and conducting capacity building programmes on a regionalized basis; (d) joint fund-raising efforts to secure
- 6. IOI and CEL will cooperate to prepare joint publications on legal issues of the marine environment;
- IOI and CEL will cooperate to prepare submissions on marine protected areas to the Fifth World Parks Congress, in Durban, South Africa, in September 2003.
- 8. IOI and CEL will cooperate to prepare a program on the law of the marine environment for the CEL meetings held during the Third IUCN World Conservation Congress.
- IOI and CEL will review this agreement in connection with the Third IUCN World Conservation Congress, with an intent to refine as appropriate and renew further cooperation at that time.

AGREED to this _ day of June, 2001:
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IOIVU

Dear Bhaagwat,

I have sent this rather strong letter to Margaret Chi, but she is out of her office until April 16. Do you think you could take it up with Mr. Larrabure? I really think, it makes a pretty strong argument!

See you soon.

My love all around,

Elight

Dear Margaret,

How are things?

I have another proposal to make to you, which I really think should work

First let me bring you up to date with regard to the Nippon Foundation. We are in the last phase of negotiations with them. They have requested some more charts, and a "needs assessment." We have completed both and the whole material will go out before April 15. At that point, the training course for e-course development for our Centres will start in South Africa. The CEO of the Nippon Foundation, Mr. Terashima, is going to attend part of that course, and right after that his Board should make the final decision.

Now, my other idea is the GEF -- not a very original idea! But I think, the situation now is really different, considering both our track record with them, and the opportunities which have now unfolded for us.

As to the track record, you remember, the IOI was the first NGO to receive a grant of US\$2.6 million, enabling us to consolidate and develop our training programme through the establishment of four operational centres in India, Fiji, Senegal, and Costa Rica. The project was completed in about 4 years, and UNDP made an evaluation of the result, which was extremely positive. Actually, we out-performed the terms and conditions of the project document in every respect. Instead of 4 Centres, we established 8; we doubled the number of training hours and trainees. The only deficiency that had been noted was that there was not enough cooperation with UNEP's regional seas programme. Actually, that was not our fault, but UNEP's. They are sometimes very slow as you know. In the meantime, however, this has been more than corrected. Mr. Toepfer has appointed me as a member of his international steering committee for the GPA, and we are deeply involved both with the Intergovernmental Review of the GPA and with Rio+10.

Now another few years have gone by, and the Centres have grown frm 8 to 17. One of the concerns of the GEF/UNDP had been that the Centres might not be "viable" and that they might collapse as soon as the grant money expired -- as happens so often in cases of development aid. Well, all of them are alive and active, and we now want to consilidate their educational activities in the IOIVU. The GEF has invested \$2.6 million in this development which ought to be one of the success stories in their history. It certanly would be worth while for them to look at a secnd phase of cooperation at this point.

This takes me to my second point: The opportunities, during the next 2-3 years, to utilize the IOIVU are unique. Training and Capacity-building are called for, as priority needs, in all Conventions, Agreements, Protocols, Codes of Conduct, and Programmes adopted by UNCED and after, but the means that have been made available are woefully inadequate. Now the IOIVU wants to offer, through the 2001-2002 intergovernmental conferences, its unique global, regionally articulated network, with its broadly interdisciplinary programme that could serve the needs of all the above mentioned Conventions, Agreements, Codes of Conduct and Programmes. The IOIVU has already established important links

with the UN system, being co-sponsored by the UNU, UNESCO/IOC and WMU, and through UNOPS having adopted the programme. We are also still linked to Train-Seacoast through some of our Centres and would intensify our cooperation with that Programme in as far as possible.

So this is why it seems to me to be particularly opportune to approach the GEF at this particular moment. Of course, the GEF, in the meantime, has developed its specific sectors to which its financial contributions are restricted, but these include international waters, biodiversity and climate -- and the IOIVU will definitely cover these, since they obviously are ocean-related.

We would like to apply for a contribution of the same order of magnitude as the first one, let us say, US\$ 3 million to \$5 million, to be spent (a) on course development, which will be an ongoing activity; and (b) on scholarships for candidates from poor countries.

That is it, Margaret! and Good luck!

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Dilemma

Francois,

I forwarded a letter from Margaret Chi to you this morning. I also forwarded it to Gunnar. It had an attachment, which I could not forward. I could print it out, and am attaching it. I tried to print the letter, but the lines are too long, and they would not print out. So the situation is: Gunnar will get: either the letter, forwarded by e-mail, without the attachment; or, forwarded by fax, the attachment, but the letter is useless...

Can you fix that up somehow?

Love.

Elinahely