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My dear Earl,

Thank you for your note of April 1st.

April 7, 1997

4/14

JDN: Please Note

that Prof. Owen

caused to advise that

Hs. Frances will

accompany him

to his mtg. W/ you

on 4/15 @ 5 pm.

We will be happy, indeed, to receive Ms. Marion Frances. Just let her drop me a line to show when she will be coming to Washington, and I will ensure that she meets the appropriate people. If I don't happen to be around, she should speak to Ismail Serageldin, a Vice President, who is particularly involved with the affairs of native peoples. He can also introduce her to the people in our Health Department.

I may well be in Australia during the big games of the year 2,000, if I happen still to be alive. There is talk that the 1956 team might march behind the team of the year 2,000 or be wheeled around, depending on the physical capacity. I would hope to see you then but surely on a few occasions before that great event.

With warmest greetings,

James D. Wolfensohn

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Dear Jim

Apart from it being a great pleasure to be with you and to hear how, hopefully, you are moving more mountains, I have a few items to suggest concerning our mutually naive and perhaps even partially realistic humanitarian ambitions.

If it is appropriate, after we have spoken together, I would like to have your consent to introduce you to a remarkable lady, our I.C.S. International Ambassador, who goes under the name of Ms Marion Frances.

She is helping me revive the I.C.S. with her valuable contacts and initiatives, particularly with her interest in developing her English family's named (well, not yet, it is not yet revealed) Hospital/University scheme for India, being internationally financed for the I.C.S.

I am hoping to work out some details with others at 1818H St before we talk concerning a proposed I.C.S. scheme to actually DO something about Australian Aboriginal Health. Such a scheme requires, in my opinion, a large Aussie based bank or company administering it with I.C.S. doctors supervising, checking and manning it, and perhaps World Bank support. Otherwise the 2000 Olympic Games will coincide with a scandalous condemnation of Australia's neglect of their indigenous peoples' health. As you might suspect, I plan to chair the 2,000 I.C.S. World Surgical Conference during those Olympic Game's dates in Sydney.

Congratulations on all the accolades, articles you have survived and gutsy decisions you have taken - and that sounds as if it refers to only one day's activities!

Hoping you and Elaine are as fit as Sue and I kid our old selves we must be to go at such a pace.

Cheers

Professor Earl R Owen

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