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In reply please refer to: W2/372/2
Prière de rappeler la référence:

29 December 1970

Dear Mr Shipman,

Thank you for your letter of 18 December concerning treatment of surface waters in the Kenya rural water supply project.

There are many rural areas in developing countries, where the provision of drinking-water to even the minimal physical and chemical criteria of the ISDW may not be immediately feasible, but our efforts are directed towards the attainment of as high a standard as possible in any given region - at any given time - (which explains why in fact we have the higher European Standards, and why we keep revising these).

Concerning bacteriological quality, you are already aware that as a health agency we are opposed to the idea of providing "unsafe" piped water. In the Sudan for instance the Government is instituting slow-sand filtration and/or disinfection in rural areas at the insistence of our field engineers. In a recent field visit in the South of India our Regional Adviser was able to convince the local authorities of the need for sanitary covering of wells which served as the sources of piped water supply (which incidentally proudly displayed on boards that the projects were WHO/UNICEF assisted). Many other instances could be quoted. We are sure that our project engineer in Kenya believes as we do that building in the safety of the water right from the beginning is important.

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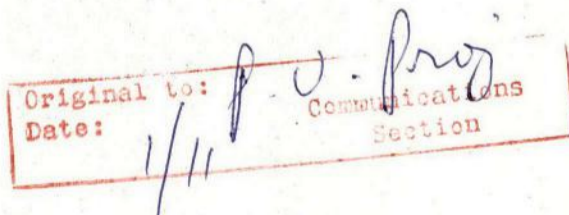
With all good wishes for the New Year.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'W. E. Wood'.

W. E. Wood
Chief, Community Water Supply
Division of Environmental Health

Mr H. R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: Files

DATE: December 22, 1970

FROM: H. R. Shipman *HS*

SUBJECT: WHO/Bank Meeting January 6, 1971

We have been informed that Dr. Bellerive and Mr. Bierstein will come to Washington on January 6 to discuss future collaboration between WHO and the Bank.

I expect to call Mr. Bierstein tomorrow morning to enquire whether we will receive a copy of the proposal from WHO prior to the meeting.

I have informed Mr. Riley of the date of the meeting and requested that he inform Mr. Demuth.

The meeting is to be held in conference room A-320. Dining-room "E" has been reserved for lunch at about 12.45 p.m., and it has been tentatively suggested that Mr. Chadenet will be the host.

A total of ten people is expected to take part in the meeting.

cc: Mr. Callejas

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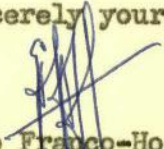
Dr. M. G. Candau
Director-General
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva 27
Switzerland

Dear Dr. Candau:

On the President's behalf I wish to acknowledge and thank you for your letter of December 10, 1970 with which you sent to us WHO's Proposed Regular Programme and Budget Estimates for the financial year 1 January - 31 December, 1972.

We very much appreciate your sending the above mentioned document to us.

Sincerely yours,


Ernesto Franco-Holguin
Deputy Special Representative
for
United Nations Organizations

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In reply please refer to: Malaysia 80
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15 December 1970

Dear Ship,

We have noted that some of our subcontractors, in the preparation of Master Plans, calculate future investments allowing for an inflation percentage on materials, labour and overheads.

We are aware that some economists are not in favour of such an approach as in a recent case involving a sector study in Western Malaysia. The reasons given by our Malaysia consultant are the following:-

- "1. A programme for new investments covers a long period, say 25 or 30 years. Nobody can tell what the future will bring and a great uncertainty adheres to the figures of such a plan.
2. Calculating with an inflation rate adds a new uncertainty. Besides, this figure is totally elusive because it is dependent on national and inter-national financial policy etc.
3. There is the possibility of double counting by using an inflation rate. Some economists believe that when there is inflation the interest rate includes a provision to meet the devaluation of money. The higher the inflation the higher the interest rate."

We would appreciate your views on these methods of calculating the cost of future investments as materially affecting financing of projects.

Yours sincerely,

Paul

Paul Bierstein
Chief, Pre-Investment Planning
Division of Environmental Health

Mr Harold Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Section
Project Department - Public Utilities
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WHO

December 11, 1970

Dr. M. G. Candau
Director-General
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva 27
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Dear Dr. Candau:

On behalf of the President I wish to acknowledge and thank you for your note verbale of November 27 (E 11/87/3(47)) inviting the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development to send representatives to the forty-seventh session of the Executive Board to be convened in Geneva on January 19, 1971.

We appreciate your kind invitation but wish to inform you that the Bank will not be represented at this meeting.

Sincerely yours,

Federico Consolo
Special Representative
for
United Nations Organizations

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cc water

December 10, 1970

Mr. Z. J. Buzo
Regional Adviser in Env. Health
World Health Organization
Indraprastha Estate, Ring Road
New Delhi 1
India

Dear Mr. Buzo:

Your reference Indonesia 0071/D

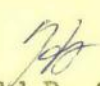
This will acknowledge your letter of December 1, in which you refer to the assistance proposed to be provided by WHO to the Ministry of Health and the Ministry of Public Works & Electric Power in Indonesia.

First, may I say that we are still working on the sector report and as soon as a draft is available we will forward a copy to you for comment. It is our hope that we may be able to visit Indonesia around the early part of February, at which time we would propose to discuss the draft report with the appropriate officials before putting it into final form. We would advise you as far in advance as possible of the time of arrival in Djakarta, with the thought that if it is at all possible, your presence would prove extremely valuable. We believe this would also permit continuity in actions being taken, and which concern not only the technical assistance which you are now arranging, but such other assistance as may be required in the not too distant future.

Concerning the assistance to be provided the Ministry of Public Works through one consultant for six months on the technical aspects of urban water supply investigations and one consultant for three months on management and operations, our only reservation is that the time is extremely limited in view of the substantial assistance which appears to be needed. We wonder if there is any possibility that the time for these consultants can be extended. Do you visualize that either or both of these consultants will give any attention to the development of UNDP projects, or do you think it desirable to approach this through some other arrangement?

We look forward to hearing from you in connection with the foregoing.

Very truly yours,


Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

cc: Mr. Paul Bierstein,
WHO, Geneva

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10 December 1970

Re Knowledge. Dec. 16/70

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Sir,

I have the honour to transmit to you herewith, in accordance with the decision taken by the Administrative Committee on Co-ordination at its Fiftieth session, Volume 187 of the Official Records of the World Health Organization containing the Proposed Programme and Budget Estimates of the World Health Organization for 1972.

The document is being sent to you at the same time that it is being transmitted to governments of Member States.

The Programme and Budget proposals will be considered by the Executive Board of the World Health Organization at its forty-seventh session beginning 19 January 1971. However, the document is first to be studied by the Standing Committee on Administration and Finance of the Executive Board which meets on 11 January 1971.

If you have any comments on the Programme and Budget proposals with respect to programmes of your organization in related areas your early response would be appreciated.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

M. G. Candau, M.D.
Director-General

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Director-General
W. G. Carleton, M.D.

Your obedient servant,

SIR,

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It has been my pleasure to see the programme and budget proposals with

which meet on 11 January 1971.

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decision taken by the Administrative Committee on Co-ordination at its

I have the honor to transmit to you herewith, in accordance with the

SIR,

~~[Signature]~~
W. G. Carleton, M.D.
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WHO
cc Ecology
cc Water

December 10, 1970

Dr. Andrew A. Arata
Ecologist
World Health Organization
Avenue Appia
1211 Geneva 27
Switzerland.

Dear Dr. Arata:

You may recall we met briefly at the Fourth General Assembly of the International Biological Program in September at the FAO in Rome.

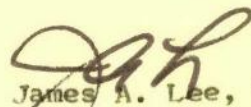
I am writing to inquire if you could secure 12 - 15 copies of a little WHO-FAO publication entitled "Health Implications of Water-Related Parasitic Diseases in Water Development Schemes", issued in 1967.

In fact, Andrew, I would appreciate receiving any articles, publications, etc., dealing with parasitic diseases that might be currently available from WHO. Would you be so kind as to scout around to see what might be secured.

Tentative plans call for my being in Geneva in February and I would hope to visit with you at that time.

With many thanks for your cooperation in this request, I am

Cordially,



James A. Lee, Ph.D.
Environmental Adviser
Office of the Director, Projects

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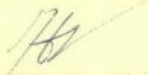
December 8, 1970

Mr. C.H. Atkins
Director
Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
Avenue Appia
1211 Geneva
Switzerland

Dear Mr. Atkins:

Enclosed is a copy of the section covering water and sewerage projects from the "Progress of Operations" report as at November 30, 1970.

Sincerely yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

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December 7, 1970

Dr. Leo Kartman
Scientist
Parasitic Diseases
Division of Communicable Diseases
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva 27, Switzerland.

Dear Dr. Kartman:

My colleague John King has asked me to reply to your communication of 16th November, 1970. A small group of us within the Bank have now considered how we might respond to your letter, inviting us to suggest items that might go on the agenda for the proposed multidisciplinary meeting on the economic implications of parasitic diseases (principally in Africa).

As we view the proposed meeting, its main purposes would be: (1) to report on the present state of technical knowledge with respect to a specified number of parasitic diseases and (2) to influence the thinking of those who participate and, indirectly, the organizations to which they belong. The purpose would not be to necessarily invent new ways of thinking about the economic aspects of the problems presented by these diseases since we feel that the central problems can easily be brought within the present framework of cost-benefit analysis if the essential technical data on cause-and-effect relationships exist. An important function of the meeting would be to see whether or not this can be assumed and for which diseases. Let me try to spell this out more explicitly.

To give the meeting sharper focus, we suggest that attention be limited initially to five parasitic diseases, as for example: Trypanosomiasis (tsetse fly vector), Onchocerciasis (Black fly vector), Schistosomiasis (snail vector), Enteric diseases, and Infections with helminths. There may be good grounds for believing that one can predict with reasonable confidence what the consequences of a given development project (e.g. a dam, an irrigation scheme; a jungle-clearing required by a road, railway, or power-line) will be with respect to the introduction or spread of given vectors and parasites, assuming no special measures were taken. The effect on the prevalence and incidence of disease among the population within range of the project could then be inferred. One purpose of the meeting would be to assess the validity of the statements just made, and to make distinctions depending on types of projects, specified vectors and diseases, and specified environments.

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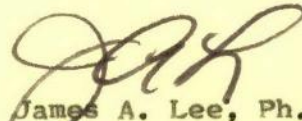
Once the probable prevalence and/or incidence of various diseases has been specified, one must then ask whether the technical means exist to prevent or to minimize the adverse effects predicted and, if they do, to ask how much they would cost. If no preventive measures are possible, then all attention would turn to curative measures, their existence and cost. At this point we would have the technical data needed for a comparison of "costs" and "benefits", even though these may have to be handled in terms of probabilities (e.g. the probability of inducing a certain incidence to altering its incidence); the chief remaining problem would be to put an economic value on the benefit side of the equation.

In some cases it may prove possible to construct acceptable estimates of the effect on economic activity of specified diseases. The main adverse effect, of course, would be a loss of output arising from the debilitating effect of the disease on a member of the labor force. But where there is unemployment, and where the definition of the "labor force" is arbitrary and elastic (as under conditions of much family and tribal life) it is likely to be extremely difficult to decide whether or not any production is in fact being lost simply because some members of the community have fallen ill. The absence of quantifiable production losses certainly does not mean that the disability is not bad; but it would prevent the economic analysis from being treated in conventional cost-benefit terms. In such a case the project-planners must rely exclusively on a balancing of the qualitative benefit of preventing or minimizing the disease on the one hand and the costs of doing so on the other.

In the past, there have undoubtedly been cases when the adverse "side effects" of projects on public health were not made part of the pre-investment studies. The increase of medical and environmental knowledge, combined with changing social standards, are now making possible - and requiring - that these effects of development projects be studied explicitly. This does not imply that projects should not be sanctioned if they have adverse side effects on public health; it does imply that the projects should be studied and designed with a view to minimizing these effects if it is technically possible to do so at "acceptable" levels of cost. If the technical and/or social effects of projects on parasitic diseases can be predicted in advance with "reasonable" certainty, then it may help governments and financing institutions to charge the costs of these effects directly to the project and -what is more important- to secure timely recognition of these problems so that they can be prevented or minimized.

The preceding paragraphs outline our general views on an agenda for the proposed meeting. We would be pleased to translate these general views into a set of specific agenda topics together with suggestions for background papers (which we feel should be rather informal and brief for an initial meeting). We would also be pleased to suggest the names of a few individuals who might be invited to contribute papers, most of them in the field of economic analysis. We will, of course, be most interested to hear whether or not the approach outlined here appeals to you and your associates and, if it should not, to learn what alternative approach you feel might be preferable.

Sincerely yours,



James A. Lee, Ph.D.
Environmental Adviser
Office of the Director, Projects

cc: C. Baldwin
J. King

Attachment

WHO
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December 4, 1970

Dr. Michael Sacks
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva, 27
Switzerland

Dear Dr. Sacks:

Here are the copies of Mr. Krombach's paper, which I promised to send to you and Dr. Mocci. I understand that a number of copies had been sent to Dr. Bierstein earlier this year, should you want still further copies.

I was very pleased to have had the opportunity to meet with you and your colleagues, however briefly. I hope this discussion was helpful in advancing preparation for an early exchange of views about the form and substance of a possible cooperative agreement between the Bank and WHO. We await with interest the proposal WHO is now preparing, and look forward to the discussions planned for early January.

With best regards,

Sincerely yours,

Mervyn L. Weiner
Director
Public Utilities Projects Department

cc: Mr. Demuth
Messrs. Shipman/Morse

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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TO: Mr. Richard H. Demuth

DATE: December 3, 1970

FROM: Vincent J. Riley *mjr*

✓ WHO

SUBJECT: Cooperative Arrangements with WHO in Water Supply Projects

Mervin Wiener reported some disturbing information to me today about the above subject following a discussion I had with Juergen Krombach of his department. The question arose indirectly as I followed up some inquiries from UNDP on a Bank mission to Morocco on a water supply project. Messrs. Wiener and Krombach were in Morocco last month.

You will recall that the Moroccan project has been the subject of some sharply divided opinion between the Bank and WHO for some time. When an extension was before the IACB a year ago we expressed the desirability of re-examining some aspects of the project and Dr. Candau sharply questioned our intervention. Subsequently, in various discussions with WHO and the Moroccan Government agreement was reached in principle, but the results have not come up to expectations. The Bank feels that WHO and its consultants have not been taking a hard enough line on some issues that will be vital if we are to go ahead with a loan, now scheduled for appraisal in May. The Bank has had to invest an inordinate amount of staff time on these problems and Mr. Krombach (who knows me well enough to speak confidentially and candidly) told me that the involvement of UNDP/WHO in this project has delayed the loan at least six months.

The Moroccan case is mentioned because it is symptomatic of the broader problem which Mr. Wiener encountered in Geneva. There he found that while WHO is looking forward to entering into a cooperative arrangement with the Bank it has apparently given little or no thought to the implementation of arrangements which we consider essential. This includes particularly the question of central direction and control, and avoidance of the problems associated with WHO's regional structure. These problems have, in the judgment of our staff, been at the bottom of many difficulties in Morocco. The apparent failure of WHO to address itself to these questions is causing considerable concern in the Public Utilities Department and Mr. Wiener would like to discuss this with you.

At that time he would also like to discuss with you the question of when to bring UNDP into our discussions with WHO on a cooperative arrangement. These arrangements will involve projects WHO is executing for UNDP, so the latter's involvement at some stage is essential. Last year Myer Cohen participated in the first stage of our initial talks with WHO, but he wasn't around when we got to the "nitty-gritty." The WHO officials with whom Wiener spoke are divided on the question. Half want to leave UNDP out until after the Bank and WHO have worked out a basic understanding. The other half think UNDP should participate from the beginning in our discussions next February.

When you have an opportunity Wiener and I would like to discuss these matters with you.

VJRiley/pme

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Attached to this letter, please find copy of the letter accompanying the above report.

Yours sincerely,

Arthur Karasz

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Director, European Office

Mr. Mervyn L. Weiner,
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REMARKS Further to Mr. Karasz' letter to you of December 3 concerning WHO Report entitled "Triennial Report on Water Resources Development 1968-70", please find attached a corrigendum to the above report, just received in the Paris Office.

FROM - M.C. Lehalle, Secy. to Mr. Karasz.

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In reply please refer to: **W2/372/6(A)**

Prière de rappeler la référence:

Your ref: **EC/321/3(1)**

Dear Mr Alagappen,

... Further to our letter of 24 November 1970, submitting the WHO contribution to the Triennial Report on Water Resources Development, 1968-1970, we now enclose a corrigendum to this report. While we recognize that these changes are very late, we would appreciate it if you could get the amendments made.

Incidentally, we have included in the corrigendum the manuscript changes which were included in the report as submitted to you.

May we, at this time, acknowledge receipt of your letter of 25 November together with the draft copy of the Triennial Report. As far as we can see, this document is well prepared, and we have no amendments to put forward.

Yours sincerely,

W. E. Wood
Chief, Community Water Supply
Division of Environmental Health.

Mr A. Alagappan
Secretary of the ACC Sub-Committee
United Nations Water Resources Development Centre
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cc: Director, EH
PC
Chief, PIP
as attached list

World Health Organization

Triennial Report on Water Resources Development
1968 - 1970

(Contributed by the World Health Organization
prepared by the Community Water Supply Unit,
Division of Environmental Health)

Corrigenda

Chapter I - Organizational Aspects

- Page 1, para. 1 line five should read: "... to be known as Pre-investment Planning, ..."
- Page 2, para. 1 Should read as follows:

The collaborative effort of these and other units of WHO are coordinated through the Division of Coordination and Evaluation (which includes units for Programme Evaluation, Programme Coordination and Cooperative Programmes for Development) and the Office of Science and Technology.

Annex A

- Page 3, penultimate paragraph should read:

In connexion with the Conference on Water Pollution Control, preparatory meetings were held in Copenhagen, 14-15 October 1969, and Paris, 2-3 July 1970.

- Page 4 The agencies responsible for the fifth item on an International Training Course on Coastal Pollution Control should read: (UNDP(TA)/WHO)

Annex C

- Page 2 Under item 2a please add the following:

Report of a Working Group on Trends and Developments in Water Pollution Control in Europe, Copenhagen, Denmark, September 1969, EURO-0415.

Annex D - Technical and Financial Assistance

- Page 1 - Inter-regional

Insert the following paragraph:

Sanitary Engineering Centre

Assistance provided to strengthen and operate, in an existing institution in Africa, an inter-regional centre for the advanced and postgraduate training of French-speaking environmental health personnel, including water supply engineers and other sanitary engineers. Continuing project.
(110)

- Page 2 - Africa

Delete the paragraph headed "Sanitary Engineering Centre" which has now been included under Inter-regional projects.

Page 5 Under Gabon, insert the following:

Consultant services provided in 1970 to assist in the preparation of a Request for a UNDP/SF assisted study for sewerage and drainage for Libreville and Owenda. (WHO)

Europe

Page 13 Czechoslovakia

This paragraph should read:

"Assistance in establishing a federal research centre in Bratislava with sub-centres in Prague and Bratislava ..."

Asia

Page 23 Under Jordan please delete the following:

Survey of Thermal Waters

Consultant services provided in 1970 to assist the Government in assessing the development of mineral and water resources. (WHO)

Page 26 Philippines

Master Plan for a sewerage system for the Manila Metropolitan Area

Line 4: please delete:

"The project began in 1967 Phase II is now continuing" and insert:

The two-year project which began in 1967 was extended in 1970. The Government has requested a Phase II with a two-year duration starting in 1971".

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Mr Shepman,

I agree that
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Electric Power "One consultant
for three months to advise on
management, maintenance and
operation....." is too little
for two short a time. Spangler
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Buro mentioned 6 to 9 months
for this job when we were
in Indonesia.

John H.

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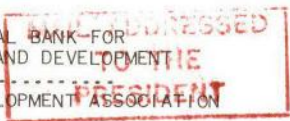
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Would you please advise if you wish to send a representative to this meeting.

Thank you.

From

Federico Consolo



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In reply please refer to: E 11/87/3(47)

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The Director-General of the World Health Organization has the honour to invite the specialized agencies, the International Atomic Energy Agency, the intergovernmental organizations and the non-governmental organizations in official relations with WHO, to appoint representatives to attend the forty-seventh session of the Executive Board which will be convened on Tuesday, 19 January 1971, at 10 a.m., at the Organization's headquarters, Geneva, Switzerland.

... A copy of the provisional agenda for this session is enclosed.

The Director-General will be pleased to be informed of the names and addresses of any representatives appointed, as far in advance of the session as possible, as well as the language (English and/or French) in which they would like to receive the documents.

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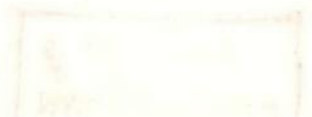
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EXECUTIVE BOARD

Forty-seventh Session

Geneva, 19 January 1971

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- 1.2 Adoption of the agenda

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WHO Activities | <u>Official Records</u> No. 184
resolution WHA23.42
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| 2.3.2 | Action taken under international conventions | <u>Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions</u> ,
10th ed., pp. 116-118
resolutions WHA7.6 and WHA18.46
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| 2.4 | Safety and Efficacy of Drugs | <u>Official Records</u> No. 176
resolution WHA22.41
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- 2.10.1 Organizational study on medical literature services to Members Official Records No. 184
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- 2.10.2 Selection of a subject for the future organizational study Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions, 10th ed., p. 412
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- 3.4 Use of Executive Board Special Fund Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions, 10th ed., pp. 345-346
resolutions WHA7.24 and EB15.R59
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- 3.5³ Review of the proposed programme and budget estimates for 1972 Official Records No. 182, p. 31, para. 50
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resolutions WHA23.12 and WHA23.13 and Annex 8
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¹ Item to be dealt with by the Standing Committee on Administration and Finance in accordance with the decision taken by the Executive Board at its thirty-fifth session (EB35/Min/2 Rev.1, p. 72).

² Item referred by the Executive Board to its Standing Committee on Administration and Finance (Official Records No. 178, resolution EB44.R19).

³ Item referred by the Executive Board to its Standing Committee on Administration and Finance (Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions, 10th ed., pp. 267-268, resolution EB16.R12, Part I).

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- 5.5.1 Implementation of resolution WHA7.33 Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions, 10th ed., pp. 289-290, resolution WHA7.33 Official Records No. 184 resolution WHA23.30 Documents EB47/ and EB47/

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- 6.2.1 Status of collection of annual contributions and advances to the Working Capital Fund Document EB47/
- 6.2.2 Members in arrears in the payment of their contributions to an extent which may invoke the provisions of Article 7 of the Constitution Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions,
10th ed., p. 333
resolution WHA16.20, Part II, para. 2
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- 6.3 Voluntary Fund for Health Promotion Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions,
10th ed., p. 365
resolution EB26.R20, para. 2, p. 367
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- 6.4 Appointment of the Ad Hoc Committee of the Executive Board to consider, prior to the Twenty-fourth World Health Assembly, the report of the External Auditor on the accounts of the Organization for the year 1970 Document EB47/4
- 6.5 Salaries and allowances: professional and ungraded categories of posts Document EB47/
- 6.6 Confirmation of amendments to the Staff Rules Document EB47/
- 6.7 Real Estate Fund Official Records No. 184
resolution WHA23.14
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- 6.8 Headquarters accommodation
- 6.8.1 Future requirements Official Records No. 184
resolution WHA23.7, para. 2 and
Annex 5, Part I
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¹ Item referred by the Executive Board to its Standing Committee on Administration and Finance (resolution EB16.R12, Part I, para. 2(4), Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions, 10th ed., p. 268).

- 6.8.2 Final Report of the Standing Committee on headquarters accommodation Document EB47/
- 6.9 Revolving Fund for teaching and laboratory equipment for medical education and training Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions, 10th ed., p. 349 resolution WHA19.7, para. 6 Official Records No. 182, para. 270 Document EB47/
- 6.10 Scale of Assessment: Review of method of Establishment Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions, 10th ed., p. 322 resolution WHA8.5 Document EB47/
- 6.11 Arrears of contributions in respect of the Office international d'Hygiène publique Document EB47/

CO-ORDINATION WITH OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

- 7.1 The United Nations, the specialized agencies and the IAEA
- 7.1.1 Programme matters Official Records No. 176 resolution WHA22.56 Official Records No. 184 resolutions WHA23.41 and WHA23.43 Documents EB47/ and Add.1
- 7.1.2 Study of the Capacity of the United Nations Development System Official Records No. 184 resolution WHA23.44, and Annex 10 Document EB47/
- 7.1.3 Administrative, budgetary and financial matters Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions, 10th ed., p. 426 resolution EB43.R38, para. 3 Document EB47/
- 7.1.4 Report of the United Nations Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on the Administrative and Management Procedures concerning the Programme and Budget of the World Health Organization Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions, 10th ed., p. 426 resolution EB43.R38, paras 2 and 3 Document EB47/8
- 7.1.5 Second Report of the Ad Hoc Committee of Experts to Examine the Finances of the United Nations and the Specialized Agencies Official Records No. 184 resolution WHA23.31 and Annex 7 Document EB47/
- 7.1.6 Interagency Co-operation relating to Computers Document EB47/6
- 7.1.7 Reports of the Joint Inspection Unit Document EB47/10

7.2 Non-governmental organizations:

7.2.1 Consideration of applications of
non-governmental organizations
for admission into official
relations

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8. Closure of session

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November 24, 1970

Mr. Paul Bierstein
Chief, Community Water Supply
Division of Environmental Health
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1211 Geneva 27
Switzerland

Dear Paul:

In your letter of October 26, you requested post descriptions for economists and/or financial analysts.

I attach two copies of general qualifications and function guides for financial analysts employed within the Projects Department. I hope this will be of some help to you.

Best regards.

Very truly yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
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Attachment

cc: Messrs. Demuth, Shipman, Otten

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cc Ecology

November 12, 1970

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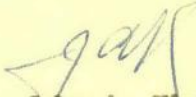
Dear Dr. Mochi:

Thank you for your letter of November 3. I was sorry to miss you in New York, but I quite understand you could not find the time.

As you guessed, I did want to carry forward our discussion of how the Bank can best identify public health hazards of proposed investment projects, particularly those of water-borne diseases. After some discussion here, we have concluded that it would be best to examine this topic separately from the discussions which are now going forward between the Bank and WHO for collaboration in the field of water supply and sewage projects. It was thought that if we were to present WHO with a specific case, we might examine together, within the context of that case, how best to deal with the problems. The case we have selected is a proposed irrigation project in Cameroon. With this project, I am informed we have a site where S. Haematobium and S. Mansoni are both reported to be indigenous. Also, I am told we may find the three nonoperculate molluscan hosts (Bulinus, Physopsis and Planorbis) present, which suggests some interesting problems as regards their ecology and, hence, their control. I enclose a little summary of the basic data relating to this project; the feasibility study referred to consists of five rather thick volumes. Appraisal is tentatively scheduled for early 1971.

I would be grateful for your comments on the procedure proposed, and suggestions for any specific measures which WHO might propose in connection with the preparation and appraisal of this project.

Sincerely yours,


John A. King
Training Adviser
Office of the Director, Projects

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Comments
SEMRY

Mr. D.W.M. Haynes

March 31, 1970

A. Otten

CAMEROON - Semry Rice
Comments on Feasibility Study

A. Basic Data

1) Area to be irrigated: 5,140 ha

Complete irrigation on new areas	2,600 ha
Complete irrigation on already cultivated areas	1,200 ha
Complete irrigation on pilot farm	90 ha
Partial irrigation ("improved" areas)	<u>1,250 ha</u>
	5,140 ha

2) Construction period: 4 years

3) Project cost: US\$ 4,150,000; (US\$ 807/ha); FEC: 50%

Excluding engineering/supervision, excluding surfacing road Yaqua-Garoua assuming partly contractors' work and partly "en regie" by Semry; including 10% contingencies; excluding cost of experimental station.

4) Project works:

- <u>dike improvement</u> . (strengthening & increase of height to 3 m) + construction of road along dike. Length of dike approximately 35 km.	US\$ 600,000
- <u>preparatory work</u> . Clearance, leveling and planing. On new lands, US\$ 118/ha, on cultivated lands, US\$ 88/ha, average, US\$ 99/ha	507,000
- <u>pumping stations</u> . 4 stations envisaged	525,000
- <u>main drain</u> . (350,000 m ³ at US\$ 0.96/m ³)	334,000
- <u>canal and drainage system</u> . (3,800 ha)	
(i) earthwork (on the basis that part of it is done "en regie"; otherwise 25% higher)	1,464,000
(ii) structures (canal and drain crossings)	392,000
- <u>canal and drainage system</u> (1,250 ha)	
(i) earthwork	198,000
(ii) structures	<u>32,000</u>
	US\$ 4,132,000

Semry - ...

5) Agricultural production:

Crops: rice only (+ subsistence crops to be auto-consumed)
Cropping intensity: single rice crop on 2,850 ha
 double cropping on 2,290 ha
 of which a proposed state farm of 800 ha.

6) Yields:

3 tons/ha with "complete" irrigation (for single crop)
 2.6 tons/ha on "improved" areas
 (rice experiment stations of Tokkon - in project area -
 has obtained 3-4 tons/ha).

7) Actual yields: 1.2-1.5 tons/ha8) Development period: 5 years for state farm
6 years for private farms9) Production with project: 21,790 tons10) Production without project: + 2,500 tons11) Price: paddy rice to the producer: 18 F/kg (US\$ 65/ton)
retail price Yaounde: 66 F/kg (US\$ 237/ton)
milled rice price off-factory: 42 F/kg (US\$ 144/ton)12) Markets:

- 36% of production to be marketed in the north of Cameroon
(center: Garoua)
- 50% of production to be marketed in the south (center: Yaounde)
- 14% of production to be marketed in the coastal zone
(center: Douala)

13) Rate of return: the internal rate of return to the economy is 14.6%.
The cash-flow position of Semry indicates that all
investments could be repaid at a rate of interest
of 4%.B. Comments and Conclusions

1. The feasibility study is very well presented. Engineering, agronomic and economic studies have been made in great detail and contain all the necessary information. The project is ready for appraisal.

2. Cost estimates appear to be realistic. Some investment costs have not been included but are taken into account in the rate of return calculation (engineering, and supervision, construction of a rice-mill for Semry). The cost of constructing an all-weather road between the project area (Yagua) and Garoua, essential as an outlet for the rice produced, has not been taken into account. Across-the-board contingencies of 10% appear to be on the low side.
3. Yield estimates are optimistic for the development period proposed (5-6 years after start of cultivation). Moreover, 50% of the area would be double-cropped with which the farmers have no experience and the experimental station has only started in 1969. If the new varieties tested (with a shorter growing period) find ready acceptance with the farmers, the rice production estimates would not be unreasonable but would probably require a longer period to be obtained.
4. Marketing appears to be the essential problem in this project. At present Cameroon produces about 6,000 tons of rice (Semry alone, 2,500 tons) and imports about 9,000 tons. With the project, Semry would produce about 15,000 tons of rice. The consultants have estimated (a) the increase in future rice consumption in Cameroon, and (b) the possibilities to increase production in other areas of Cameroon. Incremental consumption estimates are realistic and show that the entire Semry production could be absorbed by the time it has reached full development. Incremental production in other areas, however, is probably under-estimated. In any case, if Semry is implemented, there would be no room for other rice development projects in Cameroon and the preparation of such projects (Ndop, for example) would have to be abandoned.
5. It is, however, not correct to compare Semry production with national consumption in Cameroon. Due to its location in the extreme north and the high cost of transport, Semry rice cannot compete with imported rice on the coast and it is doubtful whether it will be able to compete with imported rice in the area around the capital, Yaounde, (the consultants propose an artificial price differential between the north and other areas by means of taxes and subsidies). If the entire Semry production would have to be marketed in the north of Cameroon, production would be clearly in excess of consumption. Possibilities of exporting rice to nearby areas across the border (Chad, Nigeria) have not been checked.

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We greatly appreciate your taking the time for this review in addition to your many other commitments and want to thank you for your valuable co-operation.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'J. P. Morse'.

for Chief, Wastes Disposal
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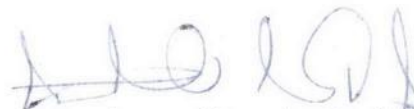
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November 10, 1970

Dr. A. Zahra
Director
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Dear Albert:

Thank you for your letter of October 22 inviting me to visit Geneva in the latter part of December for an exchange of views and a review of our plans and activities. I was also told by Mr. Demuth and Mr. Baum that Dr. Sacks had made a similar suggestion about this visit when he met them in Copenhagen last month. I also note that by late December your 1971-74 projections would have taken place.

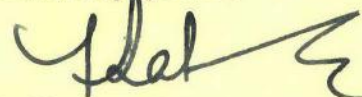
As I told you, I would be very happy to come over to Geneva for such a discussion as there is no doubt that close consultation and collaboration in the present stage of the development of our programs would be mutually beneficial.

I am, however, not too sure whether the latter part of December would be convenient, bearing in mind the current program of work we have for that period. I hope to be able to suggest within the next weeks a firm date for my visit; this is only to suggest that if late December is not possible, an early date in the new year would certainly be possible. If there are any specific questions you wish me to give prior thought to, let me know.

At this stage I want to thank you for your invitation and to let you know that I will plan to get there soon.

With regards.

Sincerely yours,



K. Kanagaratnam
Director

Population Projects Department

cc: Mr. Demuth

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Dear Mr Shipman,

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This will acknowledge, with many thanks, receipt of your letter of 27 October 1970 in reply to our invitation to become a member of the panel of reviewers for the document "Waste-water Collection and Disposal for Communities in Developing Countries" by Professor D. A. Okun.

We fully appreciate that in view of your many commitments you need additional time to review the document and should be grateful if you could let us have your comments in due course, if at all possible by mid-January 1971.

Your valuable co-operation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Yours sincerely,

for Chief, Wastes Disposal
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Mr Harold R. Shipman
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November 6, 1970

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Dear Pres,

In reply to your letter ELO/374/3 of September 30, 1970, I am forwarding some comments on the draft "Wastewater Collection and Disposal for Communities in Developing Countries". I have not read the technical portion of the proposed manual and limit my comment to Chapters III and IV.

The last sentence in the second paragraph of III-1 should read: "Developing countries have to import some equipment and supplies, and occasionally personnel, from industrial countries so obtaining so-called "hard" currency on favorable terms becomes a problem."

The statements of the third paragraph of page III-1 and the last sentence of the fourth paragraph are not correct.

If the benefits exceed the costs, both being properly measured, (or if the project is going to be built in any case) then the country is justified in financing as much as possible of the project with a foreign loan if it can get the loan at an interest rate that is less than the annual rate of return on the foreign currency so obtained, either as measured by other projects the "extra" foreign currency would thus permit to be constructed or by higher costs it would have to pay to get such foreign exchange another way.

Given that, paragraph 3 and the last sentence of paragraph 4 should be deleted. For the same reason, in page III-3, the third paragraph should also be eliminated. Interestingly enough, the fourth paragraph reflects my point and contradicts its predecessor.

The second sentence of page III-2 would better read, "In developing countries it is difficult or impossible to sell bonds at reasonable interest rates"

Mr. Stevens

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November 6, 1970

On page IV-3, the last sentence of the first paragraph, beginning "Furthermore, where charges ..." should be deleted. Certainly the two operations should normally be in the same agency, but not because sewer charges are based on water supply.

I attach a redraft on the sections dealing with the Bank and IDA on pages III-4 and III-5.

Yours truly,

Charles Morse
Chief, Water Supply Division II
Public Utilities Projects Department



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cc: Prof. Okun

Wastewater Collection and Disposal Manual

June 1970 Draft

Replacement Paragraphs for Pages III-4 and III-5

International Bank for Reconstruction and Development

This institution, known more familiarly as the World Bank, and its associated International Development Association, are possibly the most active in making loans for wastewater collection and disposal. A questionnaire developed by IBRD is furnished to organizations seeking loans or credits for sewerage projects. (See Appendix A). Although this questionnaire is for guidance in preparing feasibility reports for the World Bank, the information required would be much the same for any of the international loan agencies. The IBRD has an excellent staff of sanitary engineers and economists who assist in developing and evaluating projects.

The current interest rate on World Bank loans (October 1970) is 7-1/4% on the disbursed balance of the loan, with an annual commitment charge on the undisbursed portion of 3/4 of 1%. The interest rate charged by the Bank varies from time to time, depending upon the cost of current borrowings. A grace period (during which repayment of principal is not made) is granted for the construction period plus a prudent time thereafter, usually 6 months to one year. Interest is payable during the grace period either from the loan account itself or by the borrower from its own funds. The loan amortization period depends upon the individual project, but customarily has been from 15 to 30 years for water supply and sewerage projects.

The Bank usually limits its loans to the foreign exchange costs of the project. These are normally defined as costs of foreign goods and services directly imported for the project and the foreign currency costs of locally provided goods and services to the extent these costs can be readily ascertained. Local currency costs may be financed in special cases, determined by country economic requirements and not project needs.

Funds may be made available in various currencies and must be repaid in the same currencies. However, as far as the project is concerned, the funds are available in "hard" currencies and must be repaid in "hard" currencies.

International Development Association

IDA finances the same general types of projects as the Bank, selected according to the same standards, but on terms which place a much lighter burden on the balance of payments in the borrowing country. The development credits extended by IDA to date have been for a term of 50 years with a 10-year initial grace period. There is no interest charge, only an annual service charge of 3/4 of 1%. These favorable terms are only available to the country; the funds are relent to the project on terms similar to conventional bank loans.

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November 5, 1970

Mr. C.H. Atkins
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Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
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1211 Geneva
Switzerland

Dear Mr. Atkins:

Enclosed is a copy of the section covering water and
sewerage projects from the "Progress of Operations" report
as at October 31, 1970.

Sincerely yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

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November 3, 1970

Dr. A. Bellerive
Director II
Office of Director
Division of Coordination
and Evaluation
World Health Organization
Avenue Appia
1211 Geneva
Switzerland

Dear Dr. Bellerive:

Here are the copies of the two cooperative agreements -
Bank-FAO and Bank-UNESCO - which I promised to send you.

I was delighted to have been able to meet you last
week during what must have been an impossibly busy schedule. I look
forward to the follow-up on these discussion early in January.

With best regards,

Sincerely yours,

Mervyn L. Weiner
Director
Public Utilities Projects Department

cc: Mr. Demuth (Dev. Services)
Mr. Shipman

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Mr. Richard H. Demuth

November 3, 1970

Mervyn L. Weiner *M*

Cooperative Agreement with WHO

Our discussion with Dr. Bellerive in New York last week, particularly the part after you left, indicated clearly to me that WHO approaches the negotiation of a cooperative agreement under two inflexible constraints:

- (i) the new preinvestment unit to be established and housed at Headquarters must be modest in size;
- (ii) the agreement must not lend itself to criticism for cutting the regional offices out of any cooperative program.

I think we can easily help WHO satisfy these constraints by adjusting the FAO/UNESCO model agreements to fit the rather different institutional circumstances in WHO.

Dr. Bellerive said that he would have no difficulty with a new unit in Geneva which, in the early stages of the program, would consist of up to ten persons. (I assume this refers to professionals but am not certain). This size would be consistent with the framework within which Mr. McNamara has authorized discussions with WHO. A unit of this size, however, would not be adequate both to staff a cooperative program and constitute the permanent core of UNDP project supervisors in Geneva which should replace the present very unsatisfactory ad hoc panel arrangement. Supervising UNDP projects, which should be a central responsibility of the new preinvestment group, would absorb a considerable proportion of the time of a ten-man unit.

A cooperative work program would thus require the support of other WHO staff, from Headquarters and the regions. There is much to be said in favor of such an arrangement, which would consist of a small core unit working at various times on all phases of the project cycle: sector work, project identification, UNDP project supervision, and also participate in project appraisal. It would both supplement Bank staff and help improve the quality of preinvestment work throughout WHO. It would also make clear to the regional offices and other WHO staff that they, too, will participate in the cooperative program: there would be no cooperative program "enclave".

To implement such an arrangement, we would have to define a cooperative work program not, as we now do with FAO and UNESCO, in terms of Bank support of a small core unit in WHO Headquarters working 100% for the cooperative program and whose costs we would share on the conventional 75:25% proportion, but in terms of a larger number of WHO man-years, of

Mr. Richard H. Demuth

November 3, 1970

which a specified amount would be provided from the core group. The cost-sharing formula would thus have to be different, although Bank support could still be equivalent to 75% of a ten-man group working full-time for the cooperative program. We would insist on core group control of other WHO staff assigned to the program.

Mr. Baum has no objection to this approach; I trust you don't have any either. I propose to advise Mr. Atkins, whom I will see in Geneva in about ten days, that preparation of a WHO proposal along these lines would be consistent with our own thinking about the shape of a possible cooperative program with WHO. Such an arrangement would require careful specification of who is responsible for what, who initiates what, and who clears what in every phase of the agreed work program, and would suggest to Mr. Atkins that the draft WHO proposal, which Dr. Bellerive promised for early December, be explicit on these points.

cc: Mr. Chadenet
Mr. Baum
Messrs. Armstrong/Shipman/Morse

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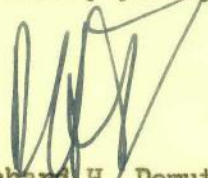
Dr. A. Bellerive, Director
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Dear Dr. Bellerive:

Further to my letter of August 14, 1970, I am sending you under separate cover a copy of the updated schedule of IBRD economic, sector and special missions. I regret that we are unable to meet your request for six extra copies. The qualifications concerning the document in my previous letter still obtain.

We will be in touch with you with specific requests concerning any individual missions on which we desire your cooperation. As before, I would welcome any comments that you might have on the document. We intend to make arrangements in the near future for routine transmittal of future mission schedules by our Reports Desk, so I would appreciate your letting me know whether the document should be addressed to you or to someone else in your organization.

Sincerely yours,



Richard H. Demuth
Director
Development Services Department

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The Director-General of the World Health Organization has the honour to inform the Secretary-General of the United Nations and the executive heads of the specialized agencies and of the International Atomic Energy Agency that the provisional agenda for the Twenty-fourth World Health Assembly to be convened on Tuesday, 4 May 1971, in the Palais des Nations, Geneva, Switzerland, will be prepared in accordance with Rules 4 and 5 of the Rules of Procedure of the Health Assembly, by the Executive Board at its forty-seventh session in January 1971 and will be dispatched to Members and Associate Members of the Organization and invited organizations not later than 5 March 1971.

GENEVA, 30 October 1970

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28 October 1970

Dear Ship,

In a recent conversation with Mr K. Scheer of Omnium Technique, 18 Boulevard de la Bastille, 75 Paris 12. He mentioned to me that under OECD funding this firm was making a series of regional development plans in provinces of Yugoslavia. He mentioned that one of these would be done in Kosovo and I asked him whether he would provide us with copies of the proposal. He has done so and has informed us that the mission began on 5 October and that towards the end of November he will be able to inform us as to the limits of that proposed study in terms of water supply and sewerage problems of the area.

We are sending a copy of the document also to EURO for their information.

Best regards.

Yours sincerely,

Paul

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October 28, 1970

Mr. Mario Espinosa
Regional Adviser
Department of Engineering and
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Pan American Health Organization
525 - 23rd Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20037

Dear Mario:

We have had the opportunity of reading the "Report on Systems of Planning and Control for Water Supply Agencies," forwarded with your letter of October 13, 1970. The report reflects a good deal of thought and work. It recognizes and attempts to reflect the impact of varying quantities of administration on the water rate, an idea which originated with Ing. Azpurua as the author notes.

However, after reading the report and the annex we ask ourselves, for whom is the report written and what is the message it is supposed to convey? We find it difficult to identify in our mind a specific audience and the specific problem which this report would help solve. The writing is too theoretical and leaves too much to be understood by the reader.

The brief resumé of the history of the evolution of planning in Chapter II is of academic interest, but is not relevant to the rest of the report. Chapter III and the first part of Chapter IV on the theory of planning systems may be helpful to a waterworks manager who is trying to orient his management thinking but are very general and full of technical jargon. However, the sudden introduction of accounting terminology and a method of assessing good management represents a break in the direction of the report, which then goes on (in the Appendix) to discuss how the precio legal is sensitive to the amount of investment and quality of administration.

As to the "Acueducto de San Jose", the investments required to serve 100%, 80% or 60% of the population seem irrelevant. Is the report intended to show the variation in water rates with the variation in the percent of population served? Or is it intended to show the variation of water rates because of different levels of management quality? We presume it is the latter and our remarks are made in that context.

Mr. Espinosa

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October 28, 1970

In respect of the financial terms assigned to the funds of the agency, the 3% interest rate is low and the 40-year amortization period is long. These were the conditions assumed for the use of INOS funds in Caracas, but these were selected as a pragmatic compromise with no theoretical basis other than a recognition that these funds ought to be eventually recovered and bear some sort of notional interest charge.

The level of water rates should be set to meet the financial requirements of the enterprise, without any external subsidy. This means that, after covering operating costs, funds should be available to service debt, meet normal annual growth, and finance a reasonable proportion of future projects. This could, in theory, require a rate of return varying from zero for a static system to a 15% or 20% for a rapidly expanding one; in practice, the range seems to be 6% to 12%. Such figures should be a result of a cash flow analysis and are not, as implied in the report, an end in themselves.

Sincerely yours,

Charles Morse
Chief, Water Supply Division II
Public Utilities Projects Department

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Mr. L.J.C. Evans

October 28, 1970

D.W.M. Haynes *DW*

World Health Organization Participation in Future Irrigation Appraisal Missions

1. I agree entirely with Mr. Bartsch's view, expressed in his memo of October 27, that WHO participation in preparation and appraisal is neither necessary nor desirable. I have some doubts as to the practicality of reaching all the staff through seminars and therefore support the idea of manuals.
2. I attach a copy of my memo to you of July 8, in which I suggested an easy way to get a manual on Schistosomiasis.

Attachment

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October 27, 1970

Mr. Prescott A. Stevens
Wastes Disposal Unit
Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva 27
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Dear Mr. Stevens:

This will acknowledge your letter ELO/374/3 of September 30 in which you refer to the publication on "Waste-water Collection and Disposal for Communities in Developing Countries" prepared by Prof. Okun. I have received the draft publication.

In your letter you indicate that unless you hear to the contrary by the end of November you will consider that my approval of the text as it stands is implied. Since I have not at the moment had an opportunity to review the document, and particularly that section which relates to the World Bank, I should like to request the following action:

- (a) Until you receive from us specific comments on that section of the report which discusses the World Bank and IDA, the report not be released. If it is necessary to meet your schedule to release the document, I would think it desirable to delete reference to the World Bank and IDA since the present text requires rather substantial editing. I am hopeful that we will be able to give you our comments prior to November 30, but should this not be possible I wish to convey the view that we would not consider the present text suitable for publication.
- (b) Until I have formally indicated my agreement with the content of the report I would appreciate not having my name listed as one of the reviewers, with the implication that I am in agreement with the contents. As in the case of (a) above, I will try to review the draft and give you my comments prior to November 30. If, however, you have not received my comments by that time please delete reference to my name in the report.

I am sure you will understand the reason for my reluctance to endorse the report or indicate my agreement with it without having had the opportunity to fully review it.

Very truly yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

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Best personal regards.

Yours sincerely,

Paul

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With best personal regards,

Albert

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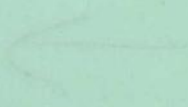
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October 21, 1970

Dr John Higginson M D
Director
World Health Organization
International Agency for Research
on Cancer
16 Avenue Marechal Foch
69 Lyon (6eme)
FRANCE


Dear Dr Higginson:

The Director of the Special Projects Department has asked me to reply to your letter of October 8. The Special Projects Department has three divisions; one concerned with development in the Mekong Basin, one concerned with agriculture and water studies in East Pakistan, and one concerned with the developmental aspects of urbanization. All these divisions are faced with environmental problems in their work, which is of course concerned with the preparation, appraisal and supervision of investment projects to be financed by the Bank.

As you may know, the Bank has announced its intention to take environmental considerations into account in the preparation, appraisal and supervision of all its projects. As a step toward achieving this objective, the position of Environmental Adviser has been created in the Office of the Director of Projects. It will be the responsibility of the Environmental Adviser (whose appointment will be announced shortly) to make sure that environmental considerations are taken into account in the work of all the Projects Departments in the Bank.

I hope this information is of help to you. If I can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to write.

Sincerely yours,


John A King
Training Adviser
Office of the Director, Projects

✓ WHO
cc Ecology

October 21, 1970

Dr A Mochi
Acting Director of Coordination and
Evaluation
World Health Organization
Geneva
SWITZERLAND

Dear Dr Mochi:

When I was in Geneva last week, I tried to get in touch with you to discuss further with you the question of how to deal with certain public health aspects of Bank projects affecting water use and water distribution. I learned to my regret that you were ill and I hope you are feeling better now.

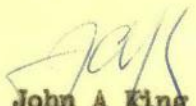
I understand that you will be in New York next week and I wonder if we might get together for lunch on Thursday, October 29, in order to discuss this subject further. I will be in New York anyway for a meeting of the ACC Functional Group on the Environment so that if you could leave a message for me at the Bank's Office in the UN (3097).

If this is not convenient, perhaps I could see you later in Washington as I understand you are also coming here.

Looking forward to seeing you,

Best wishes,

Sincerely yours,


John A King
Training Adviser
Office of the Director, Projects

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Dr Leo Kartman Sc D
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World Health Organization
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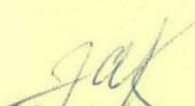
Dear Dr Kartman;

Forgive my delay in replying to your letter of September 24, but I have been traveling almost constantly since I saw you in September. Thank you very much for the enclosures which I am reading and planning to distribute within the Bank. I agree with you that it is most important that an examination of the public health aspects of large development schemes be carried out at a very early stage. We are now discussing, within the Bank, how best to do this and I hope to have further discussions with Dr Mochi when he is in New York next week.

I would be very interested in being kept informed of the proposed meeting on the economic implications of communicable diseases.

With best wishes,

Sincerely yours,


John A King
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Mr. Mario Espinosa
Regional Advisor
Department of Engineering and
Environmental Sciences
Pan American Health Organization
525- 23rd Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20037

Dear Mario,

I received the draft of the report on Planning System for Water and Sewerage Agencies, forwarded in your letter of October 13, 1970. I shall read it and try to have at least one other staff member do so and forward any comments we may have to you. This may take a few weeks however.

I would also like to thank you for the publications forwarded in your letter of September 14, 1970. These are being kept in our library as reference documents and should our staff members have comments on them, I shall forward them to you.

Sincerely,

Charles Morse
Chief, Water Supply Division II
Public Utilities Projects Department

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FROM: John A King *JAK*

SUBJECT: Discussions with World Health Organisation on the Public Health Aspects of Certain Bank Projects

1 In the course of our examination of the ways in which Bank-financed projects might affect the environment, we became aware that projects affecting water distribution and water use had a large potential for adversely affecting health through the spread of water-borne diseases. It seemed to me desirable, therefore, to have operational guidelines relating to such diseases prepared for Bank staff to assist them in preparing and appraising projects of this sort. After discussions with the Public Utilities and Agriculture Departments, a draft outline for guidelines on schistosomiasis was prepared, and it was decided that it would be useful for me to discuss with WHO the feasibility of the proposal and how it might be carried forward.

2 Accordingly, I visited WHO on September 22, 1970 and discussed the matter with Dr A Mochi, Acting Director of Coordination and Evaluation, Dr M Sentici of his department, Mr C L Atkins, Director of the Division of Environmental Health, and Drs Kartman and Barbosa of the Section on Parasitic Diseases of the Division of Communicable Diseases.

3 Their unanimous opinion was that it would be impossible to produce guidelines which would effectively meet the Bank's needs, because each project would present questions of professional judgment in deciding what were the risks and how they might be met for which guidelines or "a cookbook" could not substitute. They added that the production of guidelines of the type we had in mind, and subject to the objection made above, would take one to three years.

4 It was also their view that any project in tropical or semi-tropical regions which changed the use and distribution of water contained potential hazards to public health.

5 They did, however, make a counterproposal; if the Bank would provide general descriptions, including proposed location, size, scope, operating characteristics and the like, of projects of this sort, WHO would undertake to advise us of the particular public health risks which might be associated with each project and of the steps to be taken during preparation and appraisal to define them more precisely and to take the risks (and possible corrective measures) fully into account in shaping and evaluating the project. It/

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It was my understanding that this sort of advice would be provided from headquarters, but they also suggested that project identification and preparation missions might find it useful to discuss projects of this sort with WHO staff in the host country who would be familiar with local health conditions. I gathered that it was often the case that the Ministry of Health with whom these individuals would be working did not have effective communication with Ministries of Planning or Development. It was my understanding also that there might be a certain amount of headquarters staff which, under suitable arrangements, would be able to take part in sector, preinvestment, or preparation and appraisal work.

6 It seems to me that this counterproposal is, in principle, a more useful solution to the Bank's problem in this field than our proposal of guidelines or a manual and I recommend that we explore it further.

7 There was also some discussion of the potential usefulness of additional research on the engineering aspects of the problem - such matters as canal design, flood-gate design, cheap waterway linings, mechanical devices for clearing weeds and the like. It was tentatively concluded that such research would be useful, provided that it was oriented operationally. Would this be an appropriate project for UNDP financing with the Bank and WHO as Executing Agencies?

cc: Messrs Chadenet, Demuth, Evans, Sadove, Weiner,
Bartsch, Haynes, Morse, Shipman

JAK/lmcm

who

October 9, 1970

Mr. P. Bierstein
Chief, Community Water Supply
Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva 27
Switzerland

Dear Paul,

Thank you for your letter no. W2/372/2 of September 24, 1970 advising us that, at the moment, there is no WHO engineer in Tanzania but that one is in the process of being recruited. We shall be pleased to hear when the appointment is made and the date of his expected arrival in Tanzania.

Yours very truly,



for Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

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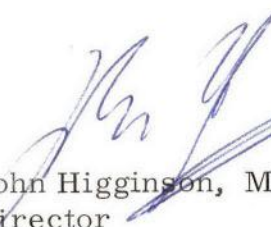
I understand that the World Bank has now established a Special Projects Department. I would be very grateful if you would send me details of the types of programmes undertaken by this department, together with literature, if available.

I believe that this information might be of interest to our organisation, which at present is developing studies in environmental pollution, with special reference to developing states.

Yours sincerely,

SPECIAL PROJECTS DEPARTMENT CORRESPONDENCE

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John Higginson, M. D.
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Dear Sir,

I understand that the World Bank has now established a Special Projects Department. I would be very grateful if you would send me details of the types of programmes undertaken by this department, together with literature, if available.

I believe that this information might be of interest to our organization, which at present is developing studies in environmental pollution, with special reference to developing states.

Yours sincerely,

John Higginson, M. D.
Director

SPECIAL PROJECTS DEPARTMENT CORRESPONDENCE
Division _____
Answered by _____
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Director,
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WHO —

October 8, 1970

Mr. C.H. Atkins
Director
Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
Avenue Appia
1211 Geneva
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Dear Mr. Atkins:

Enclosed is a copy of the section covering water and
sewerage projects from the "Progress of Operations" report
as at September 30, 1970.

Sincerely yours,

Reginald J. Bowin
for Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

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CC Mishkin

October 6, 1970

Dr. Michael R. Sacks
Chief, Programme Coordination
Division of Coordination and Evaluation
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva 27
Switzerland

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I have your letter of September 30, and want merely to confirm that I have made arrangements, in accordance with your request, to send the additional copy of IBRD country economic reports to your Liaison Office with the United Nations, rather than by sea to Geneva.

I trust that we will in due course have personal contact in my new capacity.

Sincerely yours,

A. Edward Elmendorf
Development Services Department


AKE:lp

Mr. Richard H. Demuth

October 6, 1970

Mervyn L. Weiner Mervyn L. Weiner

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cc: Messrs. Chadenet
Armstrong
Shipman
Morse

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PUBLIC UTILITIES PROJECTS DEPARTMENT

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1211 Geneva 27
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E. K. Hawkins
Chief

Population Studies Division
Economics Department

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cc: Professor Ohlin
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cc: Professor Ohlin

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Enclosure

WHO

October 2, 1970

Mr. Paul Bierstein
Chief, Community Water Supply
Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva 27
Switzerland

Dear Paul,

I attach herewith a copy of a report on Ceylon prepared by our Tourism Department and in which you will note in paras 8 and 11 reference to water supply needs.

Since your UNDP project covers the general area in which the referred tourist facilities are located, the problem is called to your attention for whatever consideration may be possible.

Very truly yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: Files

DATE: October 1, 1970

FROM: M. J. Gillette *MJG*SUBJECT: Visit to P & B by Mr. Armstrong, WHO.

As arranged with Mr. Busse of the Administration Department, Mr. Armstrong visited with Mr. Willoughby and myself for about an hour today to discuss "manpower planning".

Willoughby and I told Armstrong that our business was determination of net manpower requirements to support approved Bank work programs. We described for him the upward trend of Bank output and the growth of staff associated with it; we walked him through the Program Review exercise we did as a preliminary to the FY1971 Budget.

Armstrong said he found our approach interesting, although somewhat rudimentary. He observed that WHO's work program was in a slow (and steady) growth pattern and was therefore less volatile than the Bank's. Gross manpower requirements (taking turnover into account) were his main interest. WHO's staff was aging; the problem was to find competent replacements for increasing numbers of retiring senior people.

Willoughby and I agreed that we know very little about the Bank staff's age and experience profile. It would be worthwhile to look into it with the Administration Department.

MJG/nka

cc: Mr. Blaxall
Willoughby



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In reply please refer to: N55/451/1
Prière de rappeler la référence:

30 September 1970

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Assigned to *Morse*

30 September 1970

In reply please refer to: E10/374/3
Prière de rappeler la référence:

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Mr Charles Morse
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Thanking you on behalf of the World Health Organization and in anticipation of your valuable co-operation, I am,

Yours sincerely,



Luis A. Orihuela
Chief, Wastes Disposal
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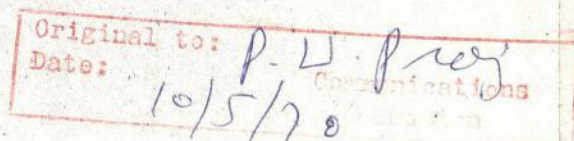
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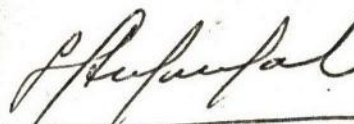


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In reply please refer to: SO 320

Prière de rappeler la référence:

25 September 1970

Dear Mr. Hawkins,

As you may know, a Mission has been set up under UN auspices under the chairmanship of Mr. David A. Morse, for exploring the desirability and feasibility of the establishment of an International Population Institute. I have been assigned to this Mission as the Rapporteur. We have had a round of consultations in New York and we are now operating with Geneva as the base.

In the course of our briefing here Professor R. Symonds of the UNITAR recalled that Professor Ohlin had prepared certain materials relating to population questions for the report of the Pearson Commission, which have not been published and which might be of interest to this Mission. We would therefore be grateful if you could send us a copy of these materials assuming of course that this can be conveniently done.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Kailas C. Doctor

Mr. E.K. Hawkins
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✓ WHO Mr. King
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In reply please refer to: 05/445/4

24 September 1970

Prière de rappeler la référence:

Dear Mr King,

Reference is made to your recent visit to WHO on 22 September 1970. Dr Barbosa and I were very happy to have had the opportunity to speak to you with regard to problems of water-related parasitic diseases. As you will recall, we were especially concerned to point out the need for a health component in large development schemes and other programmes for economic development, particularly in some of the new countries in Africa and other parts of the world.

We trust that we were able to convey to you the fact that attention to either prevalent diseases or those of potential importance during the planning phase of a programme is in the long run most favourable and most economical. As we indicated, the Parasitic Diseases Unit is particularly concerned with the economic implications of certain widespread parasitic infections and with the possible exacerbation of the prevalence of some of these diseases as a consequence of water development schemes, especially those concerned with irrigation and the production of man-made lakes.

I promised to send you some literature which may be of help in your work with the Bank. Accordingly I enclose herewith two papers; (1) "The Economic Aspects of Parasitic Diseases;" and (2) "The Role of WHO in Water Resources Development for Agriculture". I trust these may be of some use to you.

As you will recall I mentioned the possibility of a meeting in late December on the economic implications of Communicable Diseases. This meeting is in the early stages of planning and as yet a formal request has not been made for it to be held at WHO Headquarters. You indicated some interest in this meeting and if it should become a reality I will inform you of the exact dates, participants, and subjects for discussion.

With best regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

Leo Kartman, Sc.D.

Scientist

Parasitic Diseases

Division of Communicable Diseases

Mr John A. King

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September 23, 1970

Dr. Michael Sacks
Liaison Officer
Division of Coordination and Evaluation
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva 27
Switzerland

Dear Dr. Sacks:

In the absence of Mr. Demuth I am replying to Dr. Bellerive's letter of 15th September concerning the transmittal of IBRD reports to WHO.

An up-dated version of our schedule of economic, sector and special missions will be prepared in the near future. It therefore does not seem necessary to send you additional copies of the report of July 31, 1970. If the document is urgently needed in WHO, you may wish to do what we would do here, namely, reproduce more copies from an existing one.

In accordance with your request, I have arranged for an additional copy of future Bank country economic reports to be sent to WHO. In view of the considerable cost involved in air shipment, I hope you will not be unduly inconvenienced by receiving it by sea.

Sincerely yours,

A. Edward Elmendorf
Development Services Department

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cc: Mr. Demuth

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THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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CHAPEL HILL

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THE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH
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September 17, 1970

Dear Reviewer:

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The World Health Organization is considering the publication of a document on "Wastewater Collection and Disposal for Communities in Developing Countries" which they have commissioned me to prepare. WHO has selected you as one of some one hundred experts throughout the world to review a draft of this proposed publication.

In order to save time, I am taking the liberty of sending a draft directly to you rather than having it be sent from Geneva. However, you will be receiving a letter requesting this review directly from WHO Headquarters.

WHO follows the practice of incorporating the names of the reviewers in the document, generally assuming acceptance of the publication if they receive no communication to the contrary.

The purpose of the document is to provide information concerning principles and practices that are most appropriate for communities in developing countries where limited economic and manpower resources require more careful planning than might be the case in industrialized countries. The volume is directed specifically to civil and sanitary engineers working in developing countries and I hope that it will be useful.

If you have comments I would very much appreciate your sending them to WHO with a copy to me so that I may incorporate your recommendations in a revision of the draft. You may feel free to mark up the draft copy and return it to me. I will forward your marked up copy to WHO after I have transcribed your comments into my own master copy. If you feel there are additions or deletions that would make the volume more useful, please do not hesitate to mention them. With the global community water supply program well under way, the need for sewerage and adequate treatment is developing rapidly. Your suggestions will be quite helpful to all of those who are now or will be in the future engaged in the provision of wastewater collection and disposal systems throughout the world.

Sincerely yours

Daniel A. Okun
Professor of Environmental Engineering

DAO:p *Dear Charlie -*

*Your comments would be appreciated -
particularly in light of your experience in dev. countries
Is the IBRD questionnaire ok? Have sent a copy -
for review to Hae. Would like a response by Oct 31*

WHO

September 17, 1970

Mr. Paul Bierstein
Chief, Community Water Supply
Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva 27
Switzerland

Dear Paul:

Reference is made to the WHO invitation to attend the seminar to be convened in Dubrovnik beginning October 7. I have received Bank approval to attend and expect to arrive in Dubrovnik either the 6th or 7th depending on air schedule.


As indicated to you in a recent phone conversation, I plan to look into the Dubrovnik sewer situation and the status of engineering of a new system. I will therefore arrange my schedule to attend those sessions of the seminar which are of particular interest and spend the other time on Dubrovnik sewerage. I trust this will be agreeable to you.

The seminar instructions indicate that you will make hotel reservations and I will assume this is being done. I will ask our Travel Section to reconfirm the exact time of arrival to the hotel when this information is known.

I have been asked by our Development Services Department to request that on future seminars and international meetings sponsored by WHO, invitations be directed to Mr. R.H. Demuth, Director, Development Services, since his Department is responsible for handling matters concerning relations with other international agencies and meetings. Thank you for this favor.

I look forward to seeing you in Dubrovnik at which time we will no doubt have opportunity to discuss several outstanding matters of interest. Should the situation warrant, it would probably be possible for me to stop in Geneva enroute home.

Very truly yours,


Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

cc: Mr. Demuth (DSD)

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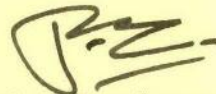
Mr. Charles L. Williams, Jr.
Deputy Director
Pan American Health Organization
Regional Office for the Americas
of the World Health Organization
525 Twenty-Third Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20037

Dear Mr. Williams:

In accordance with our discussion, I am transmitting herewith two additional copies of the Colombia Economic Mission's Report, Volume XI on Public Health. As I mentioned to you, copies of this draft version of the report are in short supply and should not be considered as final. I hope the four copies in the hands of the Pan American Health Organization will be sufficient for your purposes.

With best wishes,

Sincerely yours,



Peter Engelmann
Preinvestment Adviser
Office of Director, Projects

Enclosure

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cc: Dr. Dublin

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Mr. H.R. Shipman

September 16, 1970

Michael L. Hoffman

WHO Conference on Research and Development
in the Field of Community Water Supplies

By all means please attend the Dubrovnik meeting.

However would you please request your correspondent in WHO to address official invitations to the Bank to attend international gatherings sponsored by WHO to Mr. R.H. Demuth, Director, Development Services Department, so that we may keep our records straight.

cc: Mr. W.J. Armstrong

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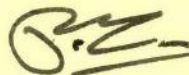
Dear Dr. Bellerive:

Referring to the preinvestment study program mission to Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda, this is in reply to questions raised in your letter of July 28, which were not answered in my letter to you of August 18, 1970.

There would be no objection on our part to a visit by the public health specialists on the mission for consultations with your Regional Office for Africa in Brazzaville, to obtain background information. In fact, as we would like all mission members to be in Washington for briefings on October 22 and 23, the week starting October 26th would be well suited for such consultations, preferably en route to East Africa, since fieldwork in East Africa (five weeks) is to start only on November 2, 1970.

Regarding the qualifications and tasks of the population specialist who will form the mission, we have made arrangements to retain Dr. N. R. E. Fendall of the Population Council. His background includes wide public health experience, including service in Africa and Asia having finally held the position of DMS. In East Africa, he would be primarily concerned with an assessment of the population field including the demographic and programming aspects and the preparation of related preinvestment study data.

Sincerely yours,



Peter Engelmann
Preinvestment Adviser
Office of Director, Projects

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Cleared with and cc: Dr. Kanagaratnam
cc: Messrs. Baum, Hornstein, Collier, Riley.

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In reply please refer to: N55/451/1
Prière de rappeler la référence:

15 September 1970

Dear Mr Demuth,

Thank you for your letter of 14 August 1970 and for the document, just received, containing information concerning projected IBRD economic, sector and special missions. We have noted that your letter does not constitute a specific request for the provision of the experts listed in this document.

Before making comments or suggestions, we would like to study this document in conjunction with our Regional Offices, and for this reason we would be grateful to receive an additional six copies, as well as seven copies of future up-dated versions.

We would also appreciate receiving two copies of your country reports, so that we may keep our Regional Office concerned fully informed.

Yours sincerely,

A. Bellerive
Dr A. Bellerive
Director, Division of
Co-ordination and Evaluation

Mr R. H. Demuth
Director
Development Services Department
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TELEPHONE 223-4700

14 September 1970

Mr. Charles A. Morse
Public Utilities Projects
International Bank for Reconstruction
and Development
1818 H Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20433

Dear Charlie:

I am enclosing the publications made by this Department under our Technical Series, some of which you have already seen. Additional publications are in print and will be sent to you as soon as they are available.

We want very much to improve these publications and will appreciate, therefore, any comments you may have on them.

Should you require additional copies please let us know.

Best regards,

Mario Espinosa
Regional Advisor
Department of Engineering
and Environmental Sciences

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Re. Water Supply Colombia
WHO

BY HAND

September 11, 1970

Dr. A. Horowitz
Director
Pan American Health Organization
525, 23rd Street N.W.
Washington D.C.

Dear Dr. Horowitz:

As requested, I enclose reports on the Economic Growth of Colombia, as follows:

Volume I - The Overall View
Volume II - Special Studies
Volume IX - Water Supply
Volume XI - Public Health

Very truly yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: Information and Public Affairs Department
thru Mr. Water J. Armstrong *WJA*

FROM: Harold R. Shipman *HRS*

SUBJECT: WHO Conference on Research and Development
in the Field of Community Water Supplies

DATE: September 9, 1970

Attached is an invitation to attend the above mentioned conference in Dubrovnik, Yugoslavia from October 7 - 14. Although certain items on the agenda are not of particular interest to the Bank, there are several which I believe relate directly to our country programs and warrant participation.

I am scheduled to go to Yugoslavia in mid-October in connection with the sewerage problems encountered on the Tourism project in Dubrovnik. I could attend most of the meetings of interest at the conference and cover the sewerage project over the same period. This may necessitate an additional 2 or 3 days following the conference to complete the sewerage work depending on the situation found to exist and the follow up required.

In the light of Mr. Ripman's memo of September 3, the subject conference appears to be of an international character and approval to attend is requested. Return of the attached program and letter is requested.

Attachments:

HRShipman:gpl

WHO

September 9, 1970

Mr. C.H. Atkins
Director
Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
Avenue Appia
1211 Geneva
Switzerland

Dear Mr. Atkins:

Enclosed is a copy of the section covering water and
sewerage projects from the "Progress of Operations" report
as at August 31, 1970.

Sincerely yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

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The Director-General of the World Health Organization has the honour to inform the Secretary-General of the United Nations and the executive heads of the specialized agencies and of the International Atomic Energy Agency that the forty-seventh session of the Executive Board of the World Health Organization is to be convened on Tuesday, 19 January 1971, at the Organization's headquarters, Geneva, Switzerland, and that the provisional agenda for this session will be drawn up in accordance with Rules 8 and 9 of the Rules of Procedure of the Board and dispatched to members of the Board and to Members and Associate Members of the Organization not later than 27 November 1970.

GENEVA, 27 August 1970

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24 August 1970

Dear Mr Grover,

I take pleasure in referring to your letter dated 10 August 1970 concerning the current research in the Sudan on water treatment from Hafirs, as mentioned to you by Mr Bierstein, Chief Community Water Supply, WHO Headquarters. I thank you for your article on the rain catchment prototype which you have built in Kenya and feel sure that such projects should prove useful to many countries in the Equatorial and Tropical zones.

As regards your request for information on the work being carried out in the Sudan, in collaboration with WHO, please note that this is a simple project, the total cost of which is not expected to exceed \$ 3000. I should now quote for you the following technical observations made by the Engineer in charge:

" Initially a dual pumping system suggested by WHO Headquarters was tried. In this system the handpumping arrangement proposed would pump water from the hafir well to the top of a slow sand filter and at the same time pump an equal amount of water from the clear water tank to the consumer. After a series of laboratory experiments a system of pumping whereby the pump handles are connected and worked in unison from a common connecting bar was adopted as the simplest and cheapest method. A detailed design for a treatment plant layout for a 60,000 cubic metre capacity hafir at Um Arada (was prepared).

" Should a particular device prove unworkable or better alternatives are suggested as a result of the experiments these will be explored in the future. Four handpumps with a circular wheel instead of the usual pumping lever were ordered. It is considered the circular pumping operation may give a smoother pumping action and a longer life to the system."

As you will see from the above, we are not yet in a position to determine the practicability and usefulness of the above system and cannot give yet any figures for the water demand or water consumption in the areas to be served by such hafirs.

I hope that the above will answer your queries.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'L.J. Lovelace'.

L.J. Lovelace
WHO Regional Adviser
Environmental Health

Mr Brian Grover
International Bank for Reconstruction
and Development

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In reply please refer to: W2/372/2

Prière de rappeler la référence:

Dear Mr Shipman,

Sector Studies - Indonesia, Tanzania, Kenya,
Turkey, Iran, Malaysia, Congo, Gabon, Ivory Coast.

Referring to your letter of 10 June 1970, regarding missions to the above-mentioned countries, we have contacted our Regional Offices and have to date received replies from AFRO and WPRO.

Indonesia

Thank you for the copy of the draft terms of reference which cover the field adequately.

Tanzania

An assignment report prepared by Dr Kohut is being edited and will contain a good deal of information on present conditions in Tanzania, with recommendations which could be useful to the IBRD's mission during their visit scheduled for October. We hope to have this report during the next few weeks and will be sending you an advance copy. A WHO sanitary engineer has been selected as a project engineer under Tanzania 0044 and we hope that he will be in Tanzania by October in time for the IBRD mission visit.

Kenya

Here, we have a project engineer and two health inspectors under Project Kenya 0002 and these gentlemen will certainly provide the representative from your office with all assistance possible.

Congo

We also fully support a visit of an IBRD economic mission to the Congo in April 1971. The country is showing increasing economic stability and we think the time is ripe for a comprehensive preinvestment study.

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24 August 1970

The Government request for UNDP assistance for preinvestment studies (water supply and sewerage) prepared by the WHO consultant, is still being processed by the Government in Kinshasa. The last we have heard is that it is in the hands of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. We trust it will soon be forwarded to UNDP and so provide IBRD during their visit with an official Government document which they can review.

As for our staff, we have in Kinshasa a team of three sanitary engineers which could be called upon to assist during the visit.

Gabon

We have in Gabon a project engineer who could be available to assist the economic mission scheduled for October 1970. He could work closely with the IBRD consultant. You may be interested to know that we have just forwarded to the Government a request for UNDP sewerage and drainage for Libreville prepared by a team of WHO consultants.

Ivory Coast

In the Ivory Coast we have Mr Brevik, Project Manager and Mr Pascal, Sanitary Engineer, working on Project Ivory Coast 0025. Either or both of whom could be assigned to assist the IBRD mission in November 1970.


Malaysia

At the present moment and until the end of October, we will have Mr M.C. Porter, of our Malaysia 0080 Sector Study, in Kuala Lumpur. We would be pleased to ask for him to collaborate with Mr Rajogapalan. We also have a sanitary engineer assigned to the Ministry of Health in Kuala Lumpur who could also be made available.

Iran

We are advised by the Regional Director, EMRO that the Project Manager for the Pre-Investment Survey on sewerage needs and facilities in Tehran, Mr R. Valdes Pinilla, (Iran 0070), will be in Iran and could make a preliminary study which could be forwarded to the World Bank. It should be understood, however, that Mr Pinilla will be given at least six months to undertake this work and that he will not be expected to elaborate in great detail.

Yours sincerely,


P. Bierstein
Chief, Community Water Supply
Division of Environmental Health

WHO

August 18, 1970

Dr. A. Bellerive
Director
Division of Co-ordination and Evaluation
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Dear Dr. Bellerive:

Thank you very much for your letter of July 28, which I found on my return to the Bank yesterday. I also found, to my regret, that only one of the two population specialists we had planned to provide to this mission will be available.

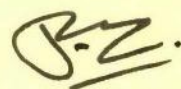
It is therefore necessary that we make some revisions in the distribution of work for the health/population team. The population specialist will, I am told, be able to cover the population aspects of the three countries during the period of the mission. Dr. K. Kanagaratnam, Director of our Population Projects Department, suggested that we now attempt to obtain two public health specialists for this mission, to cover the terms of reference I sent you in my previous letter for the three countries. I agree with this suggestion, even though I am aware that this will be a rather large assignment for two people; However, they will have the advantage of such preparatory work as the "Study of Basic Health Services in Uganda" prepared by Dr. P. M. Kaul of your organization in 1969. With such background information to start with the assignment may be manageable.

I am therefore writing to inquire about possibilities of WHO providing us with two public health specialists for the mission to East Africa. I realize that this is relatively short notice and regret any inconvenience that this may cause.

In view of the time element, you may be interested to know that, in informal conversation with Dr. Thomas D. Dublin, I have received the indication he may be interested in undertaking another assignment of this type and that he could possibly be made available this fall, if other conditions do not interfere. As you may know, we have been most satisfied with the work Dr. Dublin has done on the Colombia mission and would be very pleased if he were to be one of the two public health specialists that are made available through your organization.

Upon Dr. Kanagaratnam's return to the Bank early next month I shall be in touch with you again regarding the questions raised in the second paragraph of your letter dated July 28.

Sincerely yours,



Peter Engelmann
Preinvestment Adviser
Office of Director, Projects

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August 14, 1970

Dr. A. Bellerive, Director
Division of Co-ordination and
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Dear Dr. Bellerive:

You may recall that, some time ago, I promised to send you information concerning projected IBRD economic, sector and special missions. Enclosed is a copy of the first document produced under a recently established Bank system for scheduling these missions.

This document is designed largely to meet IBRD internal needs, but we have endeavored to include in it information which should also make it valuable for your purposes. I should, however, stress that the timing and composition of the missions listed are subject to change. Many of the missions have not yet been the subject of consultation with the government concerned, so I would appreciate your refraining from discussing them outside your staff.

Where it has been possible to do so, we have included in the document preliminary indications of the type of experts that you and other cooperating agencies may be able to provide. However, this letter does not constitute a specific request for such support. We will be in touch with you later in the case of each mission on which we would like your help. For your part, if you have special reasons to wish a member of your staff to be associated with any particular missions on the list, I hope you will let me know, so that I can look into the possibilities.

We intend to update the report quarterly, so I expect to be able to send you a revised version in October. In the course of time we hope to project the mission schedule over

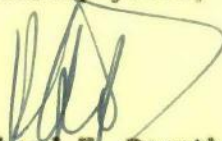
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two years. As the report represents the beginning of a new form of information exchange between the IBRD and other agencies, I would welcome any comments you might have on it.

Sincerely yours,



Richard H. Demuth
Director

Development Services Department

Enc. (Sent under separate cover, air print.)

P.S. Let me draw your attention to the footnotes and abbreviations on the final page of the report. They should make the document more readily comprehensible to people outside the World Bank Group.

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Pre-investment studies
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August 14, 1970

Mr. Paul Bierstein
Chief, Community Water Supply
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Dear Paul:

Sector Studies and Preinvestment Missions in
Kenya, Tanzania and Malaysia

Kenya and Tanzania

We have received the cable in which you indicate that resident WHO staff in Kenya and Tanzania would be able to assist our preinvestment missions to those countries. You request information on the dates and duration of the missions.

A mission is now scheduled for briefing in Washington October 22 and 23, with field work to begin in both countries during the week of November 2. We would not expect your staff to be present for the Washington briefing, although if for some reason this were possible, it would be desirable. The mission in both countries would be headed by Mr. John Harlebaus, the economist for the Water Supply Divisions, who would work in both countries. At the same time we would hope to attach one or two of our own staff or a consultant to each country to work with your personnel. We would expect that the better part of one month will be required in the field and it would appear that we will have to arrange for the preparation of reports in Washington, and unless you see some way for the local WHO staff to come in for the report writing work this would have to be done without further assistance from WHO.

According to the proposed arrangements for the two missions, closing meetings will be held in the capital of each country during the week of November 30. These meetings will be attended by the Governments' planning agencies, UNDP representatives, and key members of the mission from each sector. It might be worthwhile for one WHO person who has taken part in the mission to sit in on these meetings as they relate to the water supply sector. It would be appreciated if you could give us the names of those people who you expect will be able to assist in the mission for each country.

Malaysia

A preinvestment mission is scheduled for Malaysia beginning approximately the last week of September for a period of about two weeks. We understand that Mr. Stafford is the WHO resident engineer in Malaysia, and

Mr. Bierstein

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we believe his services would be extremely useful in helping Mr. Rajagopalan carry out the necessary review. We would hope that some information might already have been obtained through the work of the WHO team who you have advised began work in July in Malaysia. We are also being asked to take into account some rural water supply projects which we understand the Government would like us to consider. Certain basic data primarily related to investment requirements and economic data have been forwarded to the Government by the chief of the mission, and we expect that this information will be available by the time our mission arrives. We would appreciate knowing whether you would agree to having Mr. Stafford assist on this assignment.

We are sending copies of this letter directly to your regional offices in Manila and Brazzaville for their information, and would hope that you or they could reply to us as early as possible to confirm your position.

Please accept our best regards.

Very truly yours,



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14 August 1970

In reply please refer to: W2/87/5
Prière de rappeler la référence:

Assig: *Shipman*
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Dear Mr Shipman,

You are already aware of the forthcoming conference on Research and Development in the field of Community Water Supplies which is planned for 7-14 October 1970 in Dubrovnik, Yugoslavia. This conference will be jointly sponsored by the Governments of Yugoslavia and the United States and by the World Health Organization, and invitations will be sent to the representatives of 43 institutions in 36 different countries.

... Attached please find a copy of the provisional agenda, a list of
... institutions from which participants will be invited, and a copy of the preliminary letter to those institutions, which gives more details of the purpose and arrangements of the conference.

Being aware of the interest of the World Bank in the subject, we would be happy if you would care to send an observer to the meeting. Unfortunately funds do not permit us to include the expenses of such an observer within the costing of the conference.

If you are able to be represented by an observer, we would be most grateful if you would let us know his name, and whether he will be accompanied by his wife. We will make arrangements to reserve a room at the Hotel Albatros, Cavtat, where the conference is to be held, and will add his name to the list of attendants which will be submitted to the Government. We will also keep him up to date on the conference arrangements.

Looking forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

P. Bierstein

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Mr H. Shipman
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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT
IN COMMUNITY WATER SUPPLY

Provisional Agenda

Note: Participants will be asked to prepare and submit in advance of the meeting a brief description of the research and development work, past, present and planned, in the CNS field carried out by their respective institutions. These descriptions will have been circulated to all participants, together with other background material, before the meeting.

1. Opening of meeting, election of Chairman and officers.
2. Brief statement on WHO research and development programme and purpose of meeting.
3. Identification of Research and Development Needs
 - (a) In developing countries

Type of local problem which can be solved locally
Type of local problem which can only be solved by research elsewhere.
 - (b) In industrialized countries

Type of problem of general interest where international co-operation would be helpful.
4. Collaborating Institutions in Developed Countries

How can institutions in industrial countries best help those in developing? How can WHO assist in encouraging this?
5. WHO Support to Research Institutions

How can WHO and IRC best encourage and support work in collaborating institutions?

Exchange of information - what type of information is most required?
Publications - list of subjects on which WHO publications are planned.
On what other subjects are manuals or guides required?
6. Needs of Research Institutions

Staff
Staff training - fellowships, visiting consultants
Equipment
Information

7. Application of Research and Development

Liaison between operative ministries and research institutions

Pilot projects

Field trials and research on actual installations

Need for research institutions to be involved in actual problems of their countries.

8. Standardization and Simplified Design

Role of research and development institutions in evolving and testing of standard methods, materials, equipment and design. ||

9. Quality Control

Role of collaborating institutions in encouraging national standards, testing methods for waterworks materials and delivered water. ||

Liaison between institutions and health authorities.

10. Use of National Resources

Role of collaborating institutions in encouraging maximum use of locally available materials and expertise. ||

11. Any other Relevant Matters

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT IN
COMMUNITY WATER SUPPLY

Dubrovnik, 7-14 October 1970

List of Institutions from which Participants will be
Invited

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Town</u>	<u>Country</u>
International Reference Centre for Community Water Supply - Rijksinstituut voor Drinkwatervoorziening	The Hague	Netherlands
University of Science & Technology	Kumasi	Ghana
University of Lagos	Lagos	Nigeria
University College	Nairobi	Kenya
Bureau of Water Hygiene	Washington	USA
University of North Carolina	Chapel Hill	USA
University of Florida	Gainesville	USA
Environmental Health Center	Ottawa	Canada
Inter American Center of Sanitary Engineering	Guatemala	Guatemala
Institute of Sanitary Engineering SURSAN	Rio de Janeiro	Brazil
Central University of Venezuela	Caracas	Venezuela
Pan American Centre of Sanitary Engineering	Lima	Peru
University of Khartoum	Khartoum	Sudan
University of Alexandria	Alexandria	UAR
American University of Beirut	Beirut	Lebanon
University of Teheran	Teheran	Iran
Hebrew University	Jerusalem	Israel
University of Engineering and Technology	Lahore	Pakistan
Keuringsinstituut voor Waterleid- ingartikelen	The Hague	Netherlands
Office de la Recherche Scientifique et Technique Outre-Mer	Paris	France
The Water Research Association	Marlow	UK
Centre Belge d'Etude et de Documentation des Eaux	Liège	Belgium

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Town</u>	<u>Country</u>
Norwegian Institute for Water Research	Oslo	Norway
University of Aarhus	Aarhus	Denmark
Institute of Air, Water and Soil Hygiene	Berlin	Federal Republic of Germany
Institute of Hygiene	Prague	Czechoslovakia
Academy of Community Services	Moscow	USSR
Water Research Institute	Warsaw	Poland
Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche	Rome	Italy
University of Naples	Naples	Italy
Middle East Technical University	Ankara	Turkey
Sanitary Engineering Centre	Rabat	Morocco
University of Belgrade	Belgrade	Yugoslavia
Andrija Stampar School of Public Health	Zagreb	Yugoslavia
University of Ljubljana	Ljubljana	Yugoslavia
Department of Health, Government of India	New Delhi	India
Central Public Health Engineering Research Institute	Nagpur	India
All India Institute of Hygiene & Public Health	Calcutta	India
Asian Institute of Technology	Bangkok	Thailand
Institute of Technical Hygiene	Bandung	Indonesia
Institute of Environmental Sanitation	Taipei	Taiwan
University of Tokyo	Tokyo	Japan
University of Malaysia	Kuala Lumpur	Malaysia
Institute of Hygiene	Manila	Philippines

Observers will also be invited from: International Water Supply Association
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In reply please refer to: W2/87/5
Prière de rappeler la référence:

An International Conference of Directors of Institutions engaged on research and development in the field of community water supplies has been arranged. This Conference will be jointly sponsored by the Governments of Yugoslavia and the United States, and by the World Health Organization, and will take place in Dubrovnik, Yugoslavia, from 7 to 14 October 1970.

The objective of the Conference is to discuss the world situation regarding water supply research, in the context of this Organization's Research and Development Programme; to identify research needs and priorities; to foster co-ordinated action to satisfy those needs; to explore ways in which educational and research organizations can contribute to the practical solution of water supply problems in their respective countries, and ways in which the WHO programme can be of assistance in their activities. A
... provisional agenda is attached.

It is proposed to invite 43 institutions, including your own, to send a representative. Each participant will receive a tourist-class air ticket to and from Dubrovnik, and a sufficient per diem allowance in Yugoslav dinars to cover his expenses at the Albatros Hotel, Cavtat, where the conference is to be held. Participants may be accompanied by their wives, but at their own
... expense. A list of the institutions to be invited is attached.

It is expected that many of the institutions concerned will be represented by their respective Directors. In any case, as it is proposed to discuss certain of the subjects in considerable technical detail, we hope that you yourself will be able to attend, or, should this unfortunately prove impossible, that you will be able to nominate a colleague who can contribute to these discussions. Interpretation into English, French and Russian will be provided so participants should be capable of conversing in one of these three languages. Documentation during the conference will be in English only, but it is hoped that some of the background material will be available in both English and French.

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The object of this preliminary, informal, letter is to ask to whom an official invitation should be sent. These invitations will be on a personal basis, and will be accompanied by fuller details of the conference arrangements. Upon receipt of acceptances, arrangements will be made for accommodation at the hotel, and the appropriate authorities in Yugoslavia will be notified in order to facilitate the obtaining of visas (where necessary) by the participants concerned.

In view of the relatively short time available to make the necessary arrangements, we would be most grateful to receive your reply as early as possible. At the same time, we would welcome your comments upon the agenda, together with any suggestions as to additional matters which might profitably be discussed.

Looking forward to hearing from you, and hoping that we shall have the pleasure of meeting you in Dubrovnik.

Yours sincerely,

(for) P. Bierstein
Chief, Community Water Supply
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In reply please refer to: S10/372/2 Nig (1)
Prière de rappeler la référence:

12 August 1970

Dear Sir,

You will recall that on several occasions we have had the opportunity of discussing the effective value of consultant panels in UNDP projects.

... In the above connexion I am enclosing a copy of a letter we have received from Mr H. Fennerty, Vice-President of MacLaren International Limited, our Sub-contractors for the UNDP project Master Plans for Wastes Disposal and Drainage, Ibadan, Nigeria. The letter is self-explanatory.

I should only like to add that I myself, the engineering staff of our Regional Office in Brazzaville and the Project Manager share the views expressed by Mr Fennerty, and I should like to confirm that the activities of the WHO Consultant Panel have been very beneficial to the development of the Ibadan project.

From a communication received from the UNDP, it is our understanding that the Supplementary Request will be presented to the October meeting of the Inter-Agency Consultative Board and to the Governing Council meeting in January 1971.

The main aspects to be covered during the extension of this project relate to an intensive health education programme to encourage community participation in the construction of comfort stations in the old part of the town; assistance to the Government in the establishment of the Ibadan Sewerage Authority, and the preparation of final engineering design for sanitary sewerage in the commercial district of the town. I should like also to inform you that a firm commitment has been made by the Government of the Western State of Nigeria to finance the construction of the sewerage system in the commercial part of Ibadan.

... We feel that this project is progressing very satisfactorily, and you may be interested in seeing the attached copy of an information bulletin received in this regard from the US Embassy in Ibadan.

With very cordial regards,

Yours sincerely,

Luis A. Orihuela
Chief, Wastes Disposal
Division of Environmental Health

Mr Harold R. Shipman
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10 August 1970

Dear Mr Morse,

... Here attached please find an outline of studies to be included in the "note de synthèse" and the feasibility report that COMTEC/SEMA are expected to prepare on the water supply of the coastal area from Kénitra to Casablanca in Morocco.

This note has been prepared by COMTEC/SEMA following discussions in Morocco with representatives from the Bank, the Government and WHO in early July 1970.

The "note de synthèse" and the feasibility study will be presented in one report only, of which the first part will deal with chapters 1, 2 and 3 of the attached outline. It will only become available in draft form and will later be integrated with the report on the remaining chapters 4 and 5.

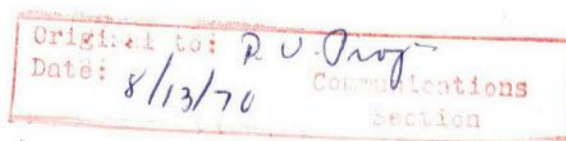
I should be glad to have your reaction and comments on the attached outline of studies. In view of the need to speed up these studies and to start them as soon as possible, I would very much appreciate receiving your comments as early as possible and not later than 28 August 1970, so that they may be taken into consideration by COMTEC/SEMA, who intend to start the relevant studies on 1 September 1970. Early receipt of your comments would also help to avoid later changes in project studies, which are always time-consuming and costly.

Yours sincerely,

George Ponghis
George Ponghis
Chief, Environmental Health

Mr C. Morse
Chief, Water Supply Division II
Public Utilities Projects Department
International Bank for Reconstruction and Development
1818 H Street, N.W.
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20433 USA

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August 10, 1970

Mr. C.H. Atkins
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Division of Environmental Health
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Switzerland

Dear Mr. Atkins:

Enclosed is a copy of the section covering water and
sewerage projects from the "Progress of Operations" report
as at July 31, 1970.

Sincerely yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

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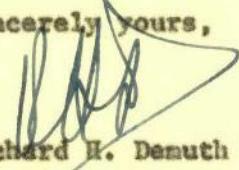
Dear Dr. Candau:

Mr. McNamara has asked me to acknowledge and thank you for your letter of July 27, transmitting a copy of the resolution of the Twenty-third World Health Assembly on the subject of community water supply. We have noted the emphasis which the Assembly is placing on the development and improvement of water supplies for human needs throughout the world and its recognition of the need to provide sound projects which may qualify for international financing.

We have noted that realization of WHO's targets for the Second Development Decade as set forth in your report to the Assembly may require a doubling of annual rates at which new acceptable projects are achieved. This appears to us a generally realistic assessment of the problem and of the requirements for solution. As you may be aware, the Bank Group has more than doubled the number of loans made for water supplies in the past two years over any previous two-year period and we will continue to show interest in all high priority projects which meet our investment criteria.

May I add that the Bank Group has profited substantially from the collaboration of WHO in the water supply field. We appreciate receiving the resolution and hope that we will be able to provide significant support for the actions recommended by the Assembly.

Sincerely yours,


Richard H. Demuth
Director

Development Services Department

cc: Mr. Shipman
Mr. Franco

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August 4, 1970

Mr. Paul Bierstein
Chief, Community Water Supply
Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva 27
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Dear Paul:

This will acknowledge your cable of July 29 in which you enquire whether it will be possible for the Bank team in Indonesia to return by way of New Delhi and Geneva at the end of the mission. It appears that it would be very difficult for us to re-schedule the mission because of a number of factors, which include illness in the family of one of the members who should return as early as possible, and by a tight time commitment on the part of the consultant assigned to the mission. Mr. Hurlbauss, the economist on the mission, has some further commitments shortly after the date when the mission report is due and we therefore feel that it would not be desirable to re-route them.

We will forward to you and New Delhi a draft of the report as soon as it comes out in a rough form in order to solicit Mr. Buzo's comments, and any which you may have. We would welcome an opportunity to discuss the general outcome of the mission with you at an early date, but believe that this would be most profitable after the report has been prepared in order that everyone may have a better understanding of what was accomplished, and what changes ought to be made on future studies of this type. I am sorry that the schedule is difficult and does not lend itself to meeting your request.

Very truly yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

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In reply please refer to: N55/451/1
Prière de rappeler la référence:

28 July 1970

Dear Mr Engelmann,

Thank you for your letter of 9 July 1970 concerning the economic mission scheduled to prepare "comprehensive" programmes in three East African countries this autumn, and requesting WHO to assist in this undertaking by providing an expert in the field of public health. We have noted the tentative terms of reference for this expert, and the date he is due at Washington, and I am pleased to inform you that it will be possible for the Organization to provide you with such an expert, whose name will be forwarded in the near future. We consider that it would be useful for him to have consultations with our Regional Office for Africa (Brazzaville) en route from Washington to East Africa.

With regard to the two specialists in the field of population, I would appreciate learning the qualifications required and their terms of reference. In the event that either would be concerned with the health aspects of family planning, WHO would also be prepared to undertake their recruitment.

Yours sincerely,


A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'A. Bellerive', written over a horizontal line.

Dr A. Bellerive
Director, Division of
Co-ordination and Evaluation

Mr Peter Engelmann
Preinvestment Adviser
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P.S. Your letter of 20 July just received, concerning the change of date has been noted.

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REMARKS			
<p>Merwyn Will you prepare acknowledgment please? Whatever happened to our efforts to achieve a cooperative program with WHO?</p>			
From Richard H. Demuth			

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27 July 1970

In reply please refer to: W2/418/11

Prière de rappeler la référence:

Sir,

... I have the honour to bring to your attention the attached resolution WHA23.36 adopted by the Twenty-third World Health Assembly on the subject of community water supply.

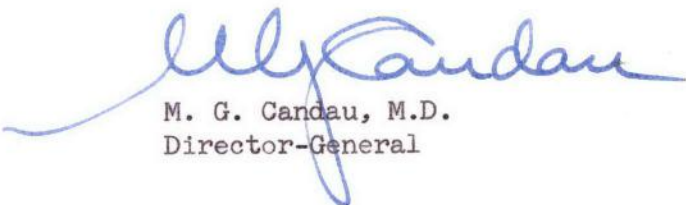
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I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,


M. G. Candau, M.D.
Director-General

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27 July 1970

In reply please refer to:
Prise de rapport la référence:
WS/418/11

Sir,

I have the honour to bring to your attention the attached resolution WHA23.26 adopted by the Twenty-third World Health Assembly on the subject of community water supply.

In this resolution, the Assembly welcomed the increasing assistance towards achieving health objectives of the community water supply programme being given, among other sources, by the international and regional financing agencies.

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TWENTY-THIRD WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY

WHA23.36

19 May 1970

COMMUNITY WATER SUPPLY

The Twenty-third World Health Assembly,

Having considered the progress report of the Director-General on the Community Water Supply Programme;¹

Noting the progress achieved to date by Member States in various regions, particularly in the American Region;

Welcoming the increasing assistance to Member States from such sources as the United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Children's Fund, bilateral aid programmes and international and regional financing agencies towards achieving the health objectives of the community water supply programme, particularly the support given in connexion with the rural water supply programmes;

Believing that, on a world-wide basis, the progress in implementing the community water supply programme in relation to the needs is too slow to meet these needs within the foreseeable future;

Recognizing that water supply developments, particularly in urban areas, can be placed largely on a self-sustaining financial basis;

Noting that WHO has generated considerable additional external financing for community water supplies;

Understanding that external financing continues to be available to increase the rate of implementation of water supply projects, provided sound projects can be developed;

Re-emphasizing the long-range nature of the community water supply programme and its vital role in the improvement and maintenance of health;

Re-affirming the recommendations included in resolutions WHA19.50 and WHA21.36; and

Recognizing further that the achievement of WHO targets for the Second Development Decade, as stated in the Director-General's report to the Twenty-third World Health Assembly, may require for a period a doubling of annual rates at which new acceptable projects, rural and urban, are achieved.

1. NOTES the report of the Director-General,¹ and endorses the general principles and programme therein;
2. RECOMMENDS to Member States:
 - (i) that they intensify their efforts to identify community water supply problems as an essential first stage in national water supply development;
 - (ii) that they give high priority in their development plans to programmes for the provision of community water supply and sewerage;

¹ Document A23/P&B/5.

(iii) that they continue to strengthen co-ordination between Ministries of Health and such other ministries or governmental bodies as may be responsible for the planning and implementation of community water supply and sewerage programmes;

(iv) that they take full advantage of the assistance obtainable from multilateral and bilateral agencies for the implementation of water supply and sewerage programmes;

3. REQUESTS the Director-General:

(i) to pursue co-operative activities with Member States, research institutions and with multilateral and bilateral agencies for the stimulation and promotion of community water supply research and development programmes;

(ii) to intensify assistance to Member Governments in the development of community water supply that those governments may make use of the maximum amount of assistance from external financing resources to establish acceptable projects within the WHO targets proposed for the United Nations Second Development Decade; and

(iii) to report on the financial consequences of the programme for WHO to the Twenty-fourth World Health Assembly.

Fourteenth plenary meeting, 19 May 1970
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WHO-

July 23, 1970

The Director-General
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva 27
Switzerland

Dear Sir:

7/15/70

On the President's behalf I wish to acknowledge and thank you for your note verbale inviting the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development to appoint representatives to the meetings of the WHO Regional Committees to be held in September of this year.

While we appreciate your invitation I wish to inform you that, due to other commitments, it will not be possible for the Bank to be represented at these meetings.

Sincerely yours,



Ernesto Franco-Holguin
Deputy Special Representative
for
United Nations Organizations

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In reply please refer to:

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The Director-General of the World Health Organization had the honour to inform the specialized agencies, the International Atomic Energy Agency and the United Nations Development Programme of the dates and places of the 1970 sessions of the WHO Regional Committees and to invite them to appoint representatives at these meetings if they so wish:

Regional Committee for Africa, twentieth session
Accra, Ghana, 9-16 September

Regional Committee for the Americas, twenty-second session
XVIII Pan American Sanitary Conference
Washington, D.C., 28 September - 9 October

Regional Committee for South-East Asia, twenty-third session
New Delhi, 22-28 September

Regional Committee for Europe, twentieth session
Valletta, Malta, 22-26 September

Regional Committee for the Eastern Mediterranean, 1970 session
Sub-Committee A: Brummaneh, Lebanon, 21-25 September
Sub-Committee B: (subject to further notification)

Regional Committee for the Western Pacific, twenty-first session
Manila, 1-8 September

It would be appreciated if the names and addresses of representatives appointed to attend these meetings were communicated to the regional directors concerned, who will, on request, supply copies of the provisional agenda and relevant documentation as well as any additional information regarding these meetings which might be required.

GENEVA, 15 July 1970

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- REGIONAL COMMITTEE FOR THE EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN, 1948 session
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GENEVA, 15 July 1970

Twentieth Session
Accra, 9-16 September 1970

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening of the twentieth session
2. Adoption of the provisional agenda (Document AFR/RC20/1)
3. Election of Chairman, Vice-Chairmen and Rapporteurs
4. Designation of Chairman and Rapporteurs for the technical discussions
5. Annual report on the activities of WHO in the African Region (Document AFR/RC20/3)
6. Resolutions of regional interest adopted by the Twenty-third World Health Assembly and the forty-fifth and forty-sixth sessions of the Executive Board (Document AFR/RC20/4)
7. Epidemiological surveillance and co-ordination of programmes for the control of communicable diseases (Document AFR/RC20/5)
8. Elaboration of the fifth programme of work for a specific period 1973-1977: regional plan (Document AFR/RC20/7)
9. Proposed programme and budget estimates for 1972 (Documents AFR/RC20/2 and Corr.1)
10. Technical discussions:
 - "Basis and methods of evaluation of national public health programmes"
(Documents AFR/RC20/TD/1, AFR/RC20/TD/2 and AFR/RC20/TD/3)
11. Date and place of the twenty-first and twenty-second sessions of the Regional Committee in 1971 and 1972 (Document AFR/RC20/8)
12. Consideration of the report of the technical discussions
13. Selection of subject for technical discussions in 1972 (Document AFR/RC20/6)
14. Adoption of the report of the Regional Committee
15. Closure of the session



REGIONAL COMMITTEE FOR AFRICA

Twentieth Session
Accra, 9-16 September 1970

AFR/RC20/1 Add.1
20 July 1970

SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA

1. In accordance with Rule 9 of the Rules of Procedure, the Committee is invited to consider, together with the provisional agenda, the following supplementary items:
 - (a) Long-term financial indicators (document AFR/RC20/9)
 - (b) New procedure for nomination of the Chairman of the technical discussions (document AFR/RC20/10)
2. If the Committee decides to discuss these items, it could do so after dealing with items 9 and 13 of the provisional agenda.

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Señor
Ing. Charles A. Morse.
Banco Mundial
Washington, D. C.-

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Estimado Ingeniero Morse:

Con el presente le estoy remitiendo la cuenta de gastos correspondientes a mi permanencia en Washington durante los días 8 y 9 y a mi regreso a San José.

Espero que el trabajo del informe avance satisfactoriamente.

Un salud especial para John.

Atento servidor,

Rafael Sandoval
Ing. Rafael Sandoval
Consultor PAHO
Costa Rica.

Preinvestment Studies
✓ cc WHO

Dr. A. Bellerive

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July 9, 1970

(1) Appraisal of the present public health and medical care situation in the countries. This appraisal is to be done through an initial mission on principal diseases, the major health problems and how they are being met. The training and availability of different grades of health personnel and the major problems of environmental health.

July 9, 1970

Dr. A. Bellerive
Director
Division of Co-ordination and Evaluation
World Health Organization
Avenue Appia
1211 Geneva 27, Switzerland

Re: Preinvestment Study Program
Kenya/Tanzania/Uganda

Dear Dr. Bellerive:

In my letter to you of December 12, 1969 I mentioned a number of Economic Missions in which we expected to prepare "comprehensive" programs of preinvestment studies. Since then, our schedule of missions has been modified and we now expect to be able to prepare such programs in only four countries during the next twelve months; these are:

Kenya	October-November 1970
Tanzania	" " "
Uganda	" " "
Iran	Spring 1971

I am writing at this time to explore possibilities of WHO assistance for our work in the three East African countries, which will be covered in a single, large mission this fall. The dates for this mission have now been tentatively established as follows: preparatory work will start with briefings at our offices in Washington on October 12; field work in East Africa will commence on or about October 19 and last approximately five weeks; subsequently, a period of five to six weeks should be allocated for report writing and review, again at our Washington offices.

We are making arrangements to provide two specialists in the field of population for this mission. From WHO we would need an expert in the field of public health, with qualifications similar to those of Dr. Thomas Dublin, who assisted us through your good offices on the Colombia Mission. The expert will work with the team (and in particular, the Bank's population specialists) in the context of the over-all preinvestment study program. The exact allocation of work within the mission would be determined at a later stage, but would have terms of reference somewhat on these lines:

July 9, 1970

- (i) Appraisal of the present public health and medical care situation in the countries. Such appraisal to include trends in vital indices and principal diseases, the major health problems and how they are being met, the training and availability of different grades of medical and health personnel and the major problems of environmental health.
- (ii) Analysis of the public investment program in public health over the next several years and of its relationship to the utilization of the existing capital stock.
- (iii) Appraisal of the present organizational structure of health services with emphasis on administration and a study of the financing of the sector (including possible improvements to organization), availability and funding of national health programs or special programs.
- (iv) Review of the existing preinvestment studies and suggestions for further studies that may be needed in the light of (i) and (ii) above.

I should appreciate hearing from you as soon as possible about the feasibility of obtaining such an expert from WHO.

I should like to take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks for the cooperation given us by WHO in furnishing, through the Pan American Health Organization, three experts for the Colombia Economic Mission in February-April of this year. Dr. Dublin, Mr. Duarte and Mr. Dorich have made a significant contribution to the work of the Economic Mission and their reports, which are now in the process of being printed, will be read with great interest, both in Colombia and within the Bank.

Sincerely yours,



Peter Engelmann
Preinvestment Adviser
Office of Director, Projects

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cc: Mr. Lejeune
Mr. Baum
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Dear Mr. Orihuela:

We thank you for your letter dated June 29, 1970 and for sending two copies of the WHO publication "Problems in Community Wastes Management", reprints from the WHO Chronicle of an article based on that publication, and the description of the WHO International Reference Centre for Wastes Disposal. We appreciate your efforts to assure that publications and documents in the field of environmental health are sent directly to this department.

It was a pleasure to visit WHO and to meet you in Geneva on June 25. I look forward to future visits.

Very truly yours,



Peter Callejas
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cc: Messrs. Shipman
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July 2, 1970

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Dear Dr. Hollis:

We are most appreciative of your invitation dated June 16, 1970 for members of our staff to attend the Symposium on Water Pollution to be held in Caracas, August 16 to 21.

Although one of our staff members will attend the AIDIS Congress the following week, we do not seem to be able to get anyone free to attend the Symposium. The subject is topical and our staff would benefit from the Symposium, so we do hope that you will keep us in mind for future events of this nature.

Sincerely yours,

Charles Morse
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30 June 1970

Dear Mr de Wilde,

With reference to Mr. Chauforunier's letter of 19 June 1970 to Dr Candau, we were pleased to learn of your designation as the officer responsible in the Bank for consultations and cooperation with WHO on the question of onchocerciasis, and as representative of the Bank at the forthcoming Inter-Agency Consultation on Onchocerciasis which will take place in Geneva from 6 to 7 July 1970.

In connexion with the consultation I trust that you have now received the two documents prepared for the meeting, i.e. (1) the list of suggested items for discussion, and (2) the proposed terms of reference for a preparatory assistance mission to Dahomey, Ghana, Ivory Coast, Mali, Niger, Togo and Upper Volta.

In addition to the report of the US-AID/OCCGE/WHO Technical Meeting on the Feasibility of Onchocerciasis Control, Tunis, 1968 (document WHO/ONCHO/69.75, available in the Bank) you will also find background information on the proposed project of onchocerciasis control in the Volta River basin in the report, just issued, by J. Blanc on the economic effects of onchocerciasis control (document PD/70.3), which ... is enclosed.

Further copies of Dr Blanc's report are being mailed to you under separate cover, for internal distribution in the Bank. I should be grateful if you would kindly circulate them to Mr Chaufournier, Mr Maillart and Mr Rist who have previously requested the document.

Yours sincerely,

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Dear Mr. Bierstein,


Since you had expressed interest in the paper which I had presented at the Bangkok seminar in January, 1970, and of which we had sent you a number of copies, I thought you might also be interested in the French translation of the main chapters of that paper. This translation was made recently for presentation at a French project course of the Bank's Economic Development Institute. I am sending you under separate cover 20 copies of this translation.

I am just about to leave for the mission to Morocco, where we hope to make some progress on the Coastal Zone and possibly other water and sewerage projects. I am looking forward to meeting, among others, the WHO representative from your regional office in Copenhagen, and I hope you have been able to attach someone from your office to the WHO team.

Kindest regards,

Yours very truly,

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In checking with our distribution services, it appears that WHO publications are regularly sent to the IBRD, "Research Files". The Bank is not, however, on the regular distribution list for mimeographed documents such as the one describing the above reference centre (WHO/WD/68.4 Rev.1). We are making the necessary arrangements to have publications and documents in the field of environmental health regularly sent to the Public Utilities Projects Department, International Bank for Reconstruction and Development.

With cordial regards,

Yours sincerely,

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23 June 1970

Reference my letter ref. 05/372/4 to you of 12 June 1970
on the subject of the forthcoming Inter-Agency Consultation
on Onchocerciasis, Geneva, 6-7 July 1970

- (i) Proposed Terms of Reference of Preparatory Assistance
Mission to Governments;
- (ii) List of Suggested Items for Discussion.

With the compliments

of the

Director-General

SPECIAL DELIVERY

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cc Africa - River blindness

June 19, 1970

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Dear Dr. Candau,

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Mr. de Wilde has until recently been Chief Economist of the Western Africa Department and will, as one of his special assignments during the next year, be responsible in the Bank for consultations and cooperation with the World Health Organization and other institutions on the question of onchocerciasis.

Sincerely yours,

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Director
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: Dr. K. Kanagaratnam

DATE: June 16, 1970

FROM: G. Zaidan GZ

SUBJECT: GENEVA - WHO - Meeting of Agencies on the Promotion of Research in the Biomedical Aspects of Reproduction including Fertility Regulation - June 10-12, 1970 -
Back to Office Report

1. In accordance with terms of reference dated June 8th, 1970, I attended the above meeting as an observer. This meeting was convened by WHO, as a result of Mr. R.S. McNamara's inquiry into WHO's reaction to the Pearson Commission's recommendation No.6 calling for the World Bank to "launch immediately in consultation with the WHO, a wide ranging international program for the direction, coordination, and financing of research in the field of human reproduction and fertility control." This meeting was informal in the sense that it was called by Dr. Candau, and not on the direction of the World Health Assembly. A list of participants is attached. Professor S. Bergstrom (Swedish Medical Research Council) was elected as Chairman and Dr. A. Kessler (WHO) was the Secretary. The formal recommendations reached by the group will be sent to participants in the next ten days for comment, and will be subsequently issued in final form. In the meantime, this report summarizes the salient points.

2. The agenda consisted of a brief review of the programs of the various institutions present, followed by a wide ranging discussion of the areas of research requiring further support, the obstacles to the development of fertility control methods, interagency coordination, the desirability of regional or international research centers and the mechanisms for increasing funds in this field. Because of limited time, most issues were only briefly discussed. Questionnaires to the institutions present had been sent out asking for details of their respective activities. A summary of the replies to these questionnaires may be included as a prelude to the final recommendations. A copy of completed questionnaires was obtained.

3. Current Activities. On current activities, the following is the situation as reported by the various participants:

- (a) WHO. The WHO budget for biomedical research had increased from US\$ 3.7 m. in 1966 to US\$ 5.2 m. in 1970. Of this 5-7% went into reproductive biology. In the current year US\$ 250,000 of proposals were turned down for lack of funds. But it was emphasized that requests were not being encouraged: they would be many times higher if funds were available.
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- (b) Center for Population Research (National Institute of Child and Mental Health). Funds for population research increased from US\$ 5.4 m. in 1966 to US\$ 15. m. in 1970. This is 0.6% and 1.7% respectively of total resources devoted to medical research. The Center supported three forms of research: that conducted at the NIH Laboratories, grants on the basis of individual requests, and contracts on the basis of research areas determined by the Center itself. In the case of grants, about one half of the applications were approved as of the requisite scientific quality, but only one half of these were funded, due to financial constraints.
- (c) USAID. 10% of the population budget was devoted to research and of this two thirds was for biomedical research. Funds allocated for this in FY 1970 reached US\$ 7.0 m. No projects had been turned down because of a shortage of funds. The research that was supported was product-oriented namely to develop a more effective contraceptive. This included research in reversible sterilization, a once-a-month contraceptive, and an IUD with fewer side effects (the M-loop).
- (d) Rockefeller Foundation. Dr. Alan Barnes, Chairman of Obstetrics-Gynecology Department, John Hopkins University, had been appointed as Vice-President for Biomedical Research as a reflection of the importance attached to this field by the Foundation. About US\$ 5-6 m. was allocated to biomedical research and of this 40-50% was for reproductive biology. No research proposals had been turned down for lack of funds: the Board of Trustees were willing to support all scientifically sound projects.
- (e) Ford Foundation. The Ford Foundation was active in supporting training centers in universities etc. At present it was supporting more than 100 such centers; US\$ 8.0 m. had been awarded in the current year and no high priority research proposals will be turned down. Many research proposals were however turned down because they were judged not to be directly relevant to this field. The Ford Foundation also supports biomedical research not related to reproductive biology.
- (f) Population Council. About US\$ 6.0 m. is allocated annually by the Population Council to research, of which one third or about US\$ 2.0 m. is for research in reproductive biology. Of 220 requests for support only 50 were awarded in the past year. The remainder had been turned down for lack of funds. The Council also provided fellowship amounting to US\$ 350,000. Here, too, there were 350 fellowship applications, with only 45 awarded. The Council was itself active and also supported research for testing and improving contraceptives presently in existence. No funds were devoted to fundamental research.

- (g) SIDA. SIDA had allocated US\$ 1.0 m. in the current year and was prepared to double its support if worthwhile projects could be found. At present, the question was one of lack of demand.
- (h) Medical Research Councils. The following summarizes the position of the Councils of countries represented at this meeting.

	<u>Funds Allocated for Biomedical Research (in US\$)</u>	<u>Percent devoted to Reproductive Biology</u>
UK	43 m.	33%
Sweden	8.0 m.	3-4%
Australia	1.6 m.	10%

The type of research supported was of the fundamental type rather than being product-oriented. These Councils have been in this field for a long time. In contrast, USAID and some of the private US foundations have only recently entered the field as a result of an awareness of the population problem. They therefore support research that is directly relevant to improving contraceptive techniques.

4. The possible role of the Bank in this area was a question which concerned those present, in particular the representatives of WHO. I emphasized that the Bank had only recently entered the population field and that its work had so far been almost entirely concerned with operational questions. The result was that many important questions, such as the Bank's role in the research field, had not received sufficient attention. Furthermore, there were few precedents to draw upon from Bank involvement in other areas of research. Research grants in other fields had only been made on an exceptional basis, and in most cases involved small contributions. There was interest among the participants on what role the Bank was proposing to play in the area of agricultural research, and the relevance of this to the field of reproductive biology. I responded by noting that discussions were in progress as to how the Bank would enter the field of agricultural research, but that the big issues that this raised--for example, whether the Bank was proposing to contribute financially to this or not, and if so whether this would be on a loan or a grant basis--were still being considered. Furthermore, it might be unwarranted to draw a parallel between agricultural research and research in the field of biology. Dr. Maier (Rockefeller Foundation) noted that the Rockefeller Foundation had previously considered and rejected the idea of setting up an International Institute on Reproductive Biology similar to the Rice Research Institute. The problems in the field of reproductive biology were more wide ranging and less specific than those in agricultural research. In these circumstances, the best use of funds would be to support existing research centers, which were short of funds.

5. Recommendations. The following are the more important recommendations reached by the meeting:

- (a) Guidelines for Research. Guidelines for toxicity studies, early clinical trials and surveillance of fertility control agents should be worked out by WHO. This would ensure that the results of studies in various countries are comparable. The development of protocols for clinical evaluation of new methods of fertility control agents was deemed desirable in view of the fact that some 25 countries do not have at present any national regulatory agency equivalent to the US Federal Drug Administration. It was also desirable to have an "international court of appeal" against decisions made by the FDA. Finally, WHO should make new contraceptives available for clinical testing early in the development of new methods. A meeting for this purpose including representation from national regulatory agencies and industrial and academic scientists might be convened by WHO.
- (b) Levels of Assistance. The levels of assistance were insufficient in terms of facilities, equipment and long term support of scientists already in the field and particularly those that had only recently graduated. There was a need for increasing the number of senior and junior scientists and technical manpower. WHO should prepare estimates of the number of workers in the population field and determine the amount of additional support needed for optimal results. The Ford Foundation and SIDA representatives went even further in suggesting the need for an overall strategy involving priorities and estimates of projects and their financial requirements on the basis of in-depth discussions with teams working in the field. The Harkavy study, which had estimated requirements for research in reproductive biology at US\$ 150 m. per year had not gone "down to the field level" but was an "armchair exercise". WHO's view was that estimates of requirements already existed in scattered parts of the literature and that such an exercise was not necessary.
- (c) Sources of Funds. Possible additional sources of funds included philanthropic organizations in Western Europe. WHO should approach such organizations. The UNFPA was also mentioned as a possible source of additional funds, although it appeared at this stage that UNFPA was primarily interested in supporting operational rather than fundamental research. In general, it was suggested that in order to convince policy-makers to increase their contributions, WHO should relate research in reproductive biology to the wider demographic and social implications of such work.
- (d) Exchange of Information. WHO was urged to compile on a regular basis, a list of contracts and grants that were awarded by all donors. There was great need for more exchange of information by donors. At present there was insufficient communication and coordination as evidenced by the fact that many agencies had a constraint on the funds available at their disposal, while in

others, the problem was one of not finding a sufficient number of projects.

- (e) International Institute. It was agreed that the question of a possible new International Institute in Reproductive Biology would "be kept under constant review."
- (f) Coordination of Future Meetings. WHO undertook to coordinate future meetings in this field.

cc: Messrs. Chadenet/Baum
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MEETING OF AGENCIES ON THE PROMOTION OF RESEARCH IN THE BIOMEDICAL
ASPECTS OF REPRODUCTION INCLUDING FERTILITY REGULATION

Geneva, 10 - 12 June 1970

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Dear Mr. Morse:

The Pan American Health Organization is organizing with the collaboration of the Ministry of Health and the "Institute of Sanitary Works" of Venezuela, a Symposium on Water Pollution in Latin America to be held at Caracas, Venezuela, August 16-21, 1970. The Symposium will precede the celebration of the XII Congress of the Inter-American Association of Sanitary Engineering.

It is with pleasure that we are extending an invitation for you or other interested members of your staff to attend the Symposium as an observer from the World Bank. We are sure that in view of the projects which the Bank is financing in the field of water supply and sewerage it will be of interest to attend and participate in this Symposium.

Please let us know at your earliest convenience whether or not you or other members of your staff will be able to join us in this important regional activity.

Very sincerely yours,

Mark D. Hollis, Chief
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Mr. Mervyn L. Weiner

June 15, 1970

Harold R. Shipman *MS*

WHO Meeting in Geneva June 1, 1970

I stopped at WHO Headquarters in Geneva on the morning of June 1 to enquire what action, if any, was anticipated in connection with follow-up on the meeting between WHO and the Bank held in Washington in February. After some general discussion with Mr. Atkins, Director of the Division of Environmental Health and Mr. Bierstein, Chief of the Community Water Supply Branch, we met with Dr. Izmarof, Assistant Director General.

Dr. Izmarof stated that the Director General, Dr. Candau, was on leave but that before his departure he had left word that WHO should cooperate fully with the Bank. Nobody in the meeting was prepared to interpret what this meant. Dr. Izmarof said that he would see the D.G. some time that week and would try to get more concrete information on the latter's views. In the meantime he wondered if the Bank would be willing to send a letter to WHO stating the conditions under which we would be willing to proceed.

I informed Dr. Izmarof that in line with our understanding and confirmed in our last letter, the ball was in WHO's court. WHO was to prepare a proposal which included not only a statement on the number of personnel required to do the job but also a modus operandi including the arrangements proposed to avoid problems now encountered by the regional office channels. Following receipt of this proposal the staff at Department level in the Bank would then be in a position to take it up at higher levels and to prepare our comments. Dr. Izmarof agreed that WHO action was therefore indicated. He was thinking of forwarding the proposal to Mr. McNamara over Dr. Candau's signature, but I suggested that until everyone at staff level had reached agreement and had obtained some initial reactions, it would be best to keep the communications at the level of Mr. Atkins and Mr. Weiner. He agreed that this would be desirable and would be done.

The impression that I have from the conversations is that WHO will likely present a proposal for a staff increase in its headquarters to carry out the work visualized in the minutes of the February meeting. I expect that WHO will express regret that it cannot exclude the regional offices from UNDP project functions, but will propose an arrangement which will permit direct access to the project from headquarters, and with an arrangement for keeping the regions informed and involved. We will have to study the proposal when it comes in to see whether it appears workable. In view of WHO's constitutional requirements, it appears next to impossible for the D.G. to bypass the regional offices

Mr. Weiner

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June 15, 1970

to the extent which he might like. It therefore is likely that we will have to accept some compromise if we desire to go forward with an agreement.

There is nothing further to be done from our side until we receive the WHO proposal. Mr. Bierstein will be in Washington the week of June 21 for the meeting of the American Water Works Association and may bring with him some information.

cc: Messrs. Demuth, Riley

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In reply please refer to:

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12 June 1970

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Dear Ship,

As requested in your letter of 1 May 1970 to Paul, we have annotated the three pages of charts showing status of UNDP/Special Fund Projects in wastes disposal, brought them up to date, and enclose a copy of each. ... We are also sending you regularly the quarterly progress reports prepared by subcontractors which indicate the degree of completion of individual "tasks" of the projects. I hope this is the information you require.

Yours sincerely,

for Luis A. Orihuela
Luis A. Orihuela

Chief, Wastes Disposal
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Date Rec'd.

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Date Ack'd.

No reply

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Shipman

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UNDP SPECIAL FUND PROJECTS IN
WASTES DISPOSAL

STATUS: JUNE 1970

PROJECT	POPULATION (MIL)	UNDP CONTR. (\$1000)	AGENCY OVERHEAD (\$1000)	PROJECT TIMING AND REMARKS					
				69	70	71	72	73	74
<u>IN OPERATION</u>				KEY:					
PHILIPPINES SEWERAGE FOR MANILA	1.6	661	70	COMMENCED 1967		31/12		APPROVED	
(MASTER PLAN REPORT EXPECTED IMMINENTLY, SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT ON PRELIM. DESIGN, OPERATION/MAINTENANCE AND FIRST PHASE FINANCING DUE 30 NOV 1970. PROJ. EXT. FOR FINAL DESIGN BEING CONSIDERED) PLANNED				REQUESTED					
CHINA SEWERAGE FOR TAIPEI	1.5	474	53	AND FIRST STAGE		* COMPL. SUBCONTRACT BEFORE END-MARCH 1971			
(PRELIM. REPORT ADM. AND MANAGEMENT RECEIVED, MASTERPLAN AND FIRST STAGE FEAS. REPORTS EXPECTED BY JAN. 1971. NO EXTENSION NOW FORESEEN.)									
NIGERIA WASTES DISPOSAL AND DRAINAGE FOR IBADAN	1.0	829	86	(EXTEN. JAN. 1971) GOV. COUNCIL		RECEIVED. MASTERPLAN AND FIRST STAGE			
(FEAS. DRAFT REPTS. EXPECTED NOV 1970. GOVT REQUESTING IMMEDIATE PROGRAMME, LASTING UNTIL APPROX APRIL 1973.)				PROJECT EXTENSION TO ASSIST IN REALISING					
CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC SANITATION AND DRAINAGE FOR BANGUI	0.2	484	53	(PROJECT IS APPROX. 4 MONTHS DELAYED.)					
SUBTOTAL	4.3	2,448	262						
<u>REQUESTS SUBMITTED</u>									
IRAN SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE FOR TEHRAN	3.0	894	98	JANUARY 1970 GOVERN. COUNCIL APPR.					
(PROJ. MANAGER ARRIVED MAY 1970. SUBCONTRACTOR EXPECTED ARRIVE OCT. 1970. REPORTS EXPECTED: URGENT MEASURES MARCH 1971, MANAGEMENT/WASTEWATER RECLAMATION DECEMBER 1971, MASTERPLANS AND FEAS. REPTS OCT. 1972.)									
SUBTOTAL	3.0	894	98						

STATUS JUNE 1970

PROJECT	POPULATION (MIL)	UNDP CONTR. (\$1000)	AGENCY OVERHEAD (\$1000)	PROJECT TIMING AND REMARKS						
				69	70	71	72	73	74	
<u>PLANNED.</u>										
CHINA SEWERAGE FOR KAOHSIUNG (PROJECT APPEARS UNLIKELY TO MATERIALIZE AT PRESENT.)	0.7	300	33	STC's	OCT 1969					
SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC WASTES DISPOSAL AND DRAINAGE FOR DAMASCUS (GOVERNMENT SENT LETTER OF INTENT NOV. 1969. FORMAL REQUEST READY JULY 1970. POSSIBLE SUBMISSION TO JAN 1971 GOV. COUNCIL UNDP.)	0.7	500	55	STC	SEPT 1969					
LEBANON WASTES MANAGEMENT (UNDP FINANCING PREP. ASST. MISSION JUN-JULY AND SEP 1970. REQUEST LIKELY SUBMISSION JUN 1971 GOVERNING COUNCIL UNDP.)	2.5	600	66	STC	1966					
GABON SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE FOR LIBERVILLE (REQUEST READY FOR SUBMISSION JUNE 1970. POSSIBLE CONSID JAN. 1971 GOV. COUNC. UNDP.)	0.1	200	22	CHIEF WD	SEPT 1969					
NIGERIA CENTRAL CITY SEWERAGE FOR LAGOS (UNDER STUDY. POSSIBLE MINI-PROJECT.)	0.6	200	22	CHIEF WD	SEPT 1969					
GREECE SOLID WASTES DISPOSAL (NO DEVELOPMENT.)	8.0	600	66	STC	SECOND VISIT 1969					
TUNISIA SEWERAGE FOR TUNIS (GOVT. REQUESTING ADVISORY ASSISTANCE ONLY AT PRESENT.)	0.6	400	44	IBRD SUGGESTS	SECTOR & FEASIBILITY STUDIES					
MALAYSIA SEWERAGE FOR KUALA LUMPUR AND IPOH (POSSIBLE GOVT REQUEST FOR PRELIM. SEWERAGE STUDY OF K.L. ONLY.)	0.5	500	55	STC'S REPORT UNDER	GOVT CONSIDERATION					
INDIA SEWERAGE FOR NEW DELHI (NO DEVELOPMENT.)	3.0	900	99	REQUEST AWAITED FROM	GOVT.					

PROJECT	POPULATION (MIL)	UNDP CONTR. (\$1000)	AGENCY OVERHEAD (\$1000)	PROJECT TIMING AND REMARKS						
				69	70	71	72	73	74	
CAMBODIA SEWERAGE FOR PNOM-PENH (NO DEVELOPMENT.)	0.5	200	22	PRELIMINARY COMPLETED	INVESTIGATION					
LAOS SEWERAGE FOR VIENTIANE (NO DEVELOPMENT.)	0.3	200	22	PRELIMINARY COMPLETED	INVESTIGATION					
SUBTOTAL	17.5	4,600	506							
GRAND TOTAL	24.8	7,942	866							

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June 12, 1970

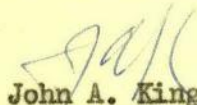
Mr. Callus Atkins
Director of the Division of
Environmental Health
World Health Organization
Appia Avenue 1122
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Geneva, Switzerland

Dear Mr. Atkins:

I am writing you at the suggestion of Harold Shipman of our Public Utilities Department. I expect to be in Geneva for the ACC Ad Hoc Working Group on Human Environment, June 30 to July 2, and at some point during these meetings I would be grateful for an opportunity to talk with you about the problems of water-borne disease. I will get in touch with your office on arrival.

With best wishes,

Sincerely yours,



John A. King
Training Adviser
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Roger -

I think this is one for you to handle. Please note that it concerns a meeting to be held in just over two weeks' time.

(copies to Messrs. Chadenet & Hoffman)

From


Richard H. Demuth

INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR
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In reply please refer to: 05/372/4

12 June 1970

Prière de rappeler la référence:

Dear Mr McNamara,

As you know, WHO was responsible in 1968 for sponsoring jointly with US-AID and OCCGE a Technical Meeting, in Tunis, on the Feasibility of Onchocerciasis Control. Among major recommendations of the meeting was the expansion of onchocerciasis control work, particularly in West Africa in the Volta River basin. A number of African Governments in 1969 and 1970 made requests to UNDP, WHO and FAO, and also to IBRD, with a view to planning and implementing a project in this field. The requests have also been circulated to other multilateral and bilateral assistance organizations. You are probably fully aware of these developments.

The countries which have expressed an interest in developing this regional programme are the following five countries, members of the "Conseil de l'Entente": Dahomey, Ivory Coast, Niger, Togo and Upper Volta, together with Mali and Ghana. Following discussions between UNDP and WHO, the Administrator of UNDP has agreed as a first stage to provide financial assistance for a Preparatory Mission, which will: (i) collect and assess all available epidemiological, entomological and other data required for the preparation of a regional onchocerciasis campaign; (ii) draw up a feasible plan of work to undertake the control of onchocerciasis in the area, taking into account the economic development of reclaimed areas; and (iii) work out the costs involved and identify and analyze the possible financial resources available.

In order to bring together those agencies and institutions interested in or associated with onchocerciasis control in West Africa, UNDP and WHO have undertaken to organize an inter-agency consultation which will take place in Geneva on 6 and 7 July 1970. The purpose of the consultation is to define respective areas of technical and financial support to the mission and to the recommended onchocerciasis control project in the Volta River basin.

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Mr R.S. McNamara
President
International Bank for Reconstruction and Development
1818 H. Street, N.W.
Washington D.C., 20433
United States of America

I have pleasure, on behalf of UNDP and WHO, in inviting the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development to participate in the consultation, and I should be grateful if you would give me, at your earliest convenience, an indication of your acceptance and name of your representative or representatives. It is believed that each of the Agencies participating in the consultation will be prepared to meet the costs of its own attendance.

Yours sincerely,


for M. G. Candau, M.D.
Director-General

WHO
June 10, 1970

Mr. Paul Bierstein
Chief, Community Water Supply
Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva 27
Switzerland

Dear Paul:

Sector Studies - Indonesia, Tanzania, Kenya,
Turkey, Iran, Malaysia, Congo,
Gabon, Ivory Coast

I should like to provide a bit of information on country activities on which the Bank will be concerned during the next six to nine months and to solicit WHO's assistance wherever possible. These activities break down into three types; sector reviews, economic missions, and comprehensive preinvestment studies. You have heard of the first two and during our meeting in Washington I gave you a copy of the document "Preinvestment Study Programs for Developing Countries". I attach two additional copies for easy reference. This explains what is meant by preinvestment study programs. The "comprehensive" is added to indicate that in certain countries we are trying by a combined mission to look at all of the sectors. You will note all three types of activities shown in the list below.

Indonesia

We are still aiming toward July 20 for the Indonesia sector reconnaissance study. At the present time we have one engineer and one economist from the Bank that can be assigned, and I am in touch with a couple of possible consultants who could be added. Mr. Rajagopalan indicated that Mr. Buzo would be available for approximately three weeks during the first part of the mission together with your local country engineer, and we would rely on their availability. I believe that we should go forward with the plans, and I will cable you if there is anything that develops which would prevent the mission's departure around July 20. I am enclosing a copy of the draft Terms of Reference for the study since I may have neglected to do so before. I would welcome any comments which you may have on it.

Tanzania

I recall that you are working with SIDA in connection with a possible project in Tanzania. However, we have a comprehensive preinvestment study mission scheduled in October on which we hope to

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assign one staff member, and would appreciate knowing whether you have anyone who could be assigned to this mission. We anticipate that it will require approximately a month plus report writing.

Kenya

A comprehensive preinvestment mission is scheduled for Kenya in October and we would like to propose that in addition to the two people who are stationed in Kenya by WHO we attach one person from our office. We would appreciate knowing whether you think this possible from your side, and will correspond with you further after we know your views. About three weeks in the field are being considered, plus time for the report.

Turkey

The mission going to Turkey next week will explore with the local officials the question of a national sector reconnaissance and following that we will be in touch with you as to whether or not this would involve WHO. An economic mission is scheduled for March 1971, and we would like to be able to provide the mission with certain information by that time if at all possible.

Iran

A comprehensive preinvestment study is scheduled for Iran in the Spring and at the moment we have no staff available to undertake this assignment. We would appreciate knowing whether you could provide anyone or whether we will have to rely on consultants.

Malaysia

Mr. Rajagopalan has indicated that the WHO studies will be going forward shortly and we propose to await information obtained from these studies before going too far in the scheduling of a broader national sector study. In the meantime, however, an economic mission is scheduled for October and we are hoping to have Mr. Rajagopalan pick this up as a part of his supervision of the Kuala Lumpur water project. At the present time we do not see that there is any need for WHO attention to this mission, but in the event that you have someone available we would welcome his collaboration.

Congo

An economic mission is scheduled for April 1971. By that time we should know whether anything has developed on the new collaborative approach now under consideration. We would hope that WHO could cover this mission.

Gabon

Economic mission scheduled for October 1970. Do you have a project engineer or an engineer from the regional office who could undertake the work involved? If not, we would likely have to assign a consultant.

Mr. Bierstein

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Ivory Coast

An economic mission is scheduled for November 1970. Do you have a project engineer or an engineer from the regional office who could undertake the work involved? If not, we would likely have to assign a consultant.

The foregoing indicates a rather heavy workload for the next year and we would appreciate knowing as early as possible what assistance you can foresee. Since Indonesia is the first one which we hope to get underway we would welcome any additional comments you might have on this study, particularly if you have anyone in addition to Mr. Buzo who might be assigned.

Very truly yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

Attachments

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cc: Messrs. Morse, Engelmann, Ducker/Saeed

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June 10, 1970

Your ref: N55/348/2

Dr. A. Bellerive
Director, Division of Co-ordination
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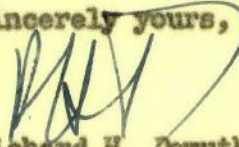
Dear Dr. Bellerive:

Thank you for your letter of May 29 with the attachment containing WHO comments on the Bank's economic report on Honduras. We are very appreciative of the trouble your experts have taken to review the references in the report to the health sector and to give us the benefit of their advice.

It is only rarely, of course, that our economic missions try to cover the social sectors in depth, but we hope that in future, with WHO's assistance, we may be able in appropriate cases to undertake a fuller diagnosis of the health sector. We are glad to hear that in the case of Honduras you have arranged for a WHO consultant to assist the Government in reviewing health projects. Note could be taken of the results of this review in future reports prepared for the Aid Coordination Group.

The Bank will continue to work closely with the Government of Honduras in following up the March meeting of the Group and in preparing for a further meeting, probably some time in 1971.

Sincerely yours,



Richard H. Demuth
Director

Development Services Department

cc: Mr. Lari

EPWright/mpd
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WHO —

Mr. George C. Zaidan

June 8, 1970

K. Kanagaratnam *Kanagaratnam*

GENEVA - WHO - Meeting of Agencies on the Promotion of Research in
the Biomedical Aspects of Reproduction - June 10-12, 1970 -
Terms of Reference

As arranged, you will attend, on behalf of the Bank, the meeting convened by the World Health Organization on Biomedical Research, in Geneva from June 10-12. You will in particular take note of the scope of the discussion with regard to the organizational and developmental aspects of such research, its present status and proposals for the future and the possible role that the Bank could play in this area.

You will submit a back-to-office report on your return.

cc: Messrs. Chadenet
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In reply please refer to: N55/451/1
Prière de rappeler la référence:

Dear Mr Stewart,

I acknowledge receipt of your letter of 21 May 1970 informing WHO that Dr E. Croft Long, Associate Dean at the Duke University is going to Uganda on behalf of IBRD to serve as consultant to a project which includes a component for the training of health personnel.

As you know our regional office in Brazzaville is responsible for WHO activities in Uganda and Dr Quenum, our Regional Director, sent Dr Vysohlid there last February as adviser to UNESCO. Dr Vysohlid explained to the chief of the UNESCO/World Bank mission the established policy with regard to WHO activities in the field of education and training in Africa and prepared an outline for the justification of the Government's request to the World Bank. In addition to this Dr Glynn, WHO representative in Entebbe, is responsible for the WHO programme locally.


I feel sure that meeting Dr Quenum in Brazzaville would be of great help to you in securing the assistance of our services in Africa.

Unfortunately I shall not be in Geneva at the time of Dr Croft Long's visit at the beginning of July but Dr Flahault will be glad to meet him on 3 July, preferably during the morning.

Concerning information on the training of health personnel in Uganda I suggest that you contact our regional office in Brazzaville directly.

A copy of this letter is being sent directly to Mr David R. Brewin and to Dr Quenum.

Yours sincerely,


Ernani Braga, M.D.
Director
Division of
Education and Training

Mr J.J. Stewart
Chief, Division II
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cc: Mr David R. Brewin, Kampala
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Would you be good enough
to prepare a reply for
my signature, please?
This is an encouraging
letter.

From

Richard H. Demuth

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In reply please refer to: N55/348/2
Prière de rappeler la référence:

29 May 1970

Dear Mr Demuth,

Thank you for providing us with the reports prepared by your missions on current economic positions and prospects in different countries. I have noted that these reports are for use within the Bank, and the copies received are released for our exclusive use. There is no doubt that they are of great interest and will contribute to increasing the effectiveness of assistance to these countries.

... In the case of the report on the Current Economic Position and Prospects of Honduras, its health implications have been reviewed and I am attaching some comments which you may find useful. As you are aware, the Regional Office for the Americas/Pan American Sanitary Bureau was invited by the Government of Honduras to the meeting of international agencies to review the prospects of the economic development of the country. It is understood that there was general agreement between the agencies and the Government on the idea of giving this group a permanent status, and to consider the meeting as a first step in the process.

We found this initiative of Honduras very interesting and believe that such arrangements would provide an excellent opportunity for the agencies involved to discuss with the representatives of the Government co-ordinated approaches to practical assistance. In the case of Honduras, as an immediate result of the first meeting, a WHO consultant has already been assigned to assist the Government, as requested, to review health projects.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'A. Bellerive', written over a printed name and title.

Dr A. Bellerive
Director, Division of
Co-ordination and Evaluation

Mr R.H. Demuth
Director
Development Services Department
International Bank for Reconstruction
and Development
1818 H. Street, N.W.
Washington D.C. 20433

... ENCL.

WHO COMMENTS ON THE CURRENT ECONOMIC POSITION AND PROSPECTS
OF HONDURAS

Reference is made to the health sector in several parts of the study: in the three-year plan of investments, particularly in the 1969-1974 public investment programme plan, which is based in a medium-term development strategy; in the Plan of Action for 1969-1971; and in the IBRD's recommendations for adjustments. It is stressed that, among other things, "the plans are not successful because they do not emphasize the importance of the investment needs in agriculture, health and education". Other sectors such as transportation and electric power, with more capacity for project formulation and implementation, are now absorbing 65 to 75% of the total investments.

Specific figures of investments in the health sector are omitted. They are part of the social investments which are 15 to 18% of the total governmental plan of expenditures, and between 22 to 25% of the World Bank adjustments.

The only reference to health investments are those related to new hospitals, new health posts, water and sewerage systems.

It is our impression that the diagnosis of the health sector is incomplete. Its presentation does not permit a clear appreciation of the health sector situation within the economic context as described in the document. Information relating to mortality rates and medical care is incompletely presented in relation to specific problems. There is no information on the structure of public expenditures in the field of the health sector.

Implications of future projections related to the general economic situation could be better analyzed if a more real knowledge of the health sector is obtained.

We think that the perspectives for a wide action in the health sector could be in the field of rationalization of valuable resources. In this sense there is specific reference in the report of the existing limited technical and administrative capacity to operate the social sectors.

Regarding vital and health statistics contained in the report, we have to mention that such data are given in Appendix A of Vol. I and in the Tables of Volume II. The estimates by CELADE are probably as good as estimates can be for the future. Although family planning (the footnotes on Appendix A pages 3 and 4 are puzzling but 0.75 per 1,000 population is logical) at present would affect the birth rate by less than 1 per thousand population, a larger programme certainly could reduce the birth rate substantially by 1970. Death registration is known to be incomplete in Honduras. The importance of an individual medical certificate in 1969 should be valuable in improving the quality of certification. Table 41 on the supply and demand for medical doctors is not clear to us, and yet, the source is given as PAHO. Such estimates, either as recommended demand of 13 per 10,000 population, or minimum social demand of less than the country's supply beginning in 1970 (2.54 per 10,000 population) seems to be in error.

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Dear Mr Maillard,

Reference is made to my letter of 16 December 1969 concerning the reports of Mlle Blanc and Dr T.D. Williams following their missions to study the economic effects of onchocerciasis control in relation to the Extended Onchocerciasis Control project in the Volta Basin.

... I now have pleasure in enclosing a copy of the report of Mlle Blanc, which is principally concerned with Upper Volta, Ivory Coast and Mali, for your information and any comments you may wish to make.

The report of Dr Williams relates specifically to Ghana and as soon as it has received clearance from the Government authorities, I shall not hesitate to supply you with a copy.

Yours sincerely,


Alfred Quenum, M.D.
Regional Director

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WHO

May 21, 1970

Dr. Ernani Braga
Director
Division of Education
of Health Personnel
World Health Organization
Geneva
Switzerland

Dear Dr. Braga:

The World Bank has been requested by the Government of Uganda to consider a project which includes additional facilities for the training of medical auxiliaries at various centers in Uganda. To assist the Bank in appraising this request, Dr. E. Croft Long, Associate Dean responsible for international medicine at the Duke University in this country, has agreed to serve as a consultant to the Bank.

Dr. Long will be in Uganda with the Bank appraisal mission until approximately June 29, 1970, and would like to discuss the project with your regional office in Brazzaville while en route to Washington. He would also like to visit your headquarters in Geneva in order to meet with you and Dr. Flahault. Dr. Long will get in touch with you when his travel plans for the return journey are firm.

In the meantime, I would be grateful if you could inform your Brazzaville office of Dr. Long's intended visit and arrange for him to meet appropriate personnel.

To save time in forwarding correspondence, I would like to suggest that a copy of your reply to this letter be sent directly to Mr. David R. Brewin, the leader of the Bank appraisal mission, who will be staying at the Apolo Hotel (P. O. Box 7041) in Kampala from June 1 to June 26. Any information on medical training in Uganda at professional and sub-professional levels which you might wish to forward also to Mr. Brewin would be greatly appreciated.

Yours sincerely,

J. J. Stewart
Chief, Division II
Education Projects Department

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20 May 1970

Dear Ship,

... With reference to your letter of 1 May 1970, we enclose as requested further information on the status of UNDP (Special Fund) projects in Community Water Supply. We have also asked the Wastes Disposal unit to provide you with similar information.

Yours sincerely,

P. Bierstein
P. Bierstein
Chief, Community Water Supply
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Mr H. R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
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TABLE 1

UNDP(SF) PROJECTS IN THE CWS UNIT.

I. Projects Completed as of 31 March 1970.		Project Costs			Year of Approval	Date completed
Country and Phase	Description	UNDP(SF) Earmarking US \$	Government Contribution US \$	Total		
1. India - Phase I	Survey of Water Supply Resources for Greater Calcutta; Master Plan and Feasibility Studies for Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage, Extension of Assistance to the Calcutta Metropolitan Sanitation Authority	324 100	155 900	480 000	1960	1965
2. India - Phase II	-ditto-	382 300	189 000	571 300	1965	1967
3. Ghana - Phase I	Master Plan and Feasibility Studies for Water Supply and Sewerage for Accra-Tema and Assistance to the Ghana Water and Sewerage Authority	365 300	1 288 000	2 153 300	1963	1966
4. Ghana - Phase II	Final Engineering Designs and Contract Documents for Water Supply and Sewerage for Accra-Tema and Assistance to the Ghana Water and Sewerage Authority	1 531 100	607 000	2 138 100	1966	1970
5. Ceylon - (Preliminary Ops.)	Preliminary Engineering and Feasibility Studies for Water Supply of the South-west Coastal Areas	239 000	61 950	300 950	1967	1968
6. Morocco - Phase I	Water Supply and Sewerage Studies for High Priority Areas in the Coastal Zone	333 100	432 000	765 100	1967 1968	1969

II. Projects in Operation During 1970		Project Costs				
Country and Phase	Description	UNDP (SF) Earmarking US \$	Government Contribution US \$	Total	Year of Approval	Date Comp. (Expected)
7. Turkey	Master Plan and Feasibility Studies for Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage for Greater Istanbul	1 475 370 *	980 000	2 453 370	1965 1969	1970
8. Malta	Master Plan and Feasibility Studies for Water Supply, Sewerage and Solid Wastes for the Islands of Malta and Gozo	809 900	579 000	1 388 900	1966	1971 (early)
9. Senegal	Master Plan and Feasibility Studies for Water Supply and Sewerage for Dakar and Surrounding Areas (including ground water investigation)	2 170 300	1 005 000	3 175 300	1966	1971 (Late)
10. Uganda	Master Plan and Feasibility Studies for Water Supply and Sewerage for Kampala and Jinja Areas	616 800	503 000	1 119 800	1967	1971 (Middle)
11. Morocco - Phase II	Investigation of Water Supply on a Country-wide Basis, and Master Plan and Feasibility Studies for Water Supply and Sewerage in the Coastal Towns	1 272 900	658 000	1 930 900	1969	1972
12. Ceylon	Master Plan and Feasibility Studies for Water Supply and Sewerage in the South-west Coastal Area including Colombo, Final Designs for High Priority Areas and Establishment of Training School for Water Works Personnel	1 462 400 **	787 000	2 249 400	1968	1971 (Late)
13. Surinam	Planning of Water Supply and Sewerage (Nationwide) including ground water investigation and Final Designs	665 900	648 000	1 313 900	1970	1973 (early)

* includes storm drainage studies approved in 1969

** include preliminary operations approved in 1967

II. Projects in Operation (Continued)		Project Costs			Year of Approval	Date of Comp. (Expected)
Country and Phase	Description	UNDP(SF) Earmarking US \$	Government Contribution US \$	Total		
14. Cambodia	Master Plan, Feasibility Studies and Final Designs for Water Supply for Sihanoukville, includes Ground Water Investigations	687 300	372 000	1 059 300	1970	1972
III. Projects Approved but not yet in Operation as of 31 March 1970						
15. Nepal - Phase I	Master Plan for Water Supply and Sewerage for Greater Kathmandu and Bhaktapur and Final Design for Immediate Needs for Lalitpur and Bhaktapur Water Supply (includes ground water inves.)	752 400	162 000	914 400	1970	1973 (Early)
16. Ivory Coast Phase I	Master Plan and Feasibility Studies for Water Supply and Sewerage for Abidjan	503 100	530 000	1 033 100	1970	1971

TABLE II

STATUS OF UNDP(SF) PROJECTS IN THE CWS UNIT

AS OF 13 MAY 1970

1. Turkey. Field operations for the water supply and sanitary sewerage studies are expected to be completed by early June 1970. All draft reports are expected to be submitted by that time. Work under a separate sub-contract for storm drainage commenced in early May 1970. Field work is expected to be completed within eight months of commencement.
2. Malta. The draft water supply report is expected to be submitted by early October 1970. The draft sewerage report is expected to be submitted by mid-January 1971. A panel meeting took place in late April 1970 and the report is expected shortly.
3. Senegal. The work by the subcontracting firm, namely NEDECO, is progressing satisfactorily. A draft report for the immediate programme has been prepared and is currently under review by WHO.

Discussions on the managerial, organizational and administrative matters were held in Dakar with World Bank representatives from 4 - 6 May 1970. Proposals made by the World Bank representatives at these discussions have been agreed upon by all concerned, including the Government.
4. Uganda. The draft immediate programme report is expected to be submitted in May 1970. Other draft reports covering Master Plans and Feasibility Studies for water supply and sewerage are expected to be submitted by the end of 1970 or January 1971. The next panel meeting is scheduled for mid-July 1970.
5. Morocco. The Plan of Operation for the development of the second Phase of this project was signed on 22 April 1970. Comments from the World Bank on the 9th, 10th and 11th reports prepared by the consulting firm are awaited, but informal discussions on these reports have taken place both in Geneva and Rabat. Similarly there has been a very useful exchange of ideas between World Bank representatives, WHO and the project manager on the aspects of management, organization and administration.

There is an indication that there will be some changes in the Plan of Operation as suggested by the Government. This matter is being discussed at present and the outcome of these discussions will be communicated to the World Bank.
6. Ceylon. The draft interim report on organization and management is due in May 1970. The draft report on the immediate programme for Colombo

- Ceylon (contd.) is due in September 1970. Draft reports on the feasibility studies for water supply, sewerage and drainage are due in March 1971. The first panel meeting is scheduled for early June 1970.
7. Surinam. The project manager commenced in September 1969. UN ground water experts commenced in March 1970. The draft phased reports for water supply and sewerage are expected to be completed in February 1972. Mid project review will take place in February/March 1971.
 8. Cambodia. The project manager commenced assignment in January 1970. The future of this project is now uncertain.
 9. Nepal - Phase I. The subcontract is expected to commence in July/August 1970. The draft Sector Study Report is expected in late 1971. The draft preliminary design and feasibility for immediate water supply needs is expected approximately July 1971. Mid project review is expected in January 1972. Draft Master Plan report for water supply and sewerage are expected in August /September 1972.
 10. Ivory Coast. Phase I. The project manager commenced his assignment in April 1970. The subcontractor is expected to commence by mid September 1970. Draft reports are expected by mid 1971, when a mid-project review is scheduled to take place.

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May 14, 1970

Mr. Luis Dorich T.
Organizacion Panamericana de la Salud
Centro Panamericano de Ingenieria
Sanitaria y Ciencias del Ambiente "CEPIS"
Casilla Postal 2117
Lima, Peru

Dear ~~Luis Dorich~~:

Thank you very much for your letter of April 30. We have also received copies of the revised draft of your chapter and I shall start to review it tomorrow. Unfortunately I have been too busy with the chapter on preinvestment study program and other matters until now.

I should like to take this opportunity to thank you for your participation in the Colombia Mission and in the subsequent work in Washington. I feel that the end product of this Mission will be a much more useful and complete report because of the participation of the three PAHO specialists, including your own in housing and urban development.

I very much enjoyed working with you on this occasion and hope that you had a pleasant trip back to Peru. Thank you for letting me have your home address and phone number; if I should have an opportunity to visit Lima I shall certainly be in touch with you.

With best regards,

Sincerely yours,

Peter Engelmann
Preinvestment Adviser
Office of Director, Projects

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cc: Mr. Avramovic

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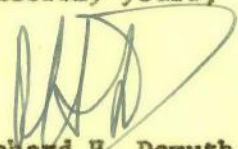
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Dr. Alexander Kessler, Chief
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1211 Geneva 27, Switzerland

Dear Dr. Kessler:

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Sincerely yours,



Richard B. Demuth
Director
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cc: Mr. Hawkins/Mr. Zaidan

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May 14, 1970

Mr. P. Bierstein
Chief, Community Water Supply
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1211 Geneva 27 - Switzerland

Dear Mr. Bierstein,

Your request for 30 more copies of my Bangkok paper was routed to me by Mr. Shipman's office (he is currently travelling in Europe and, as I understand, will be visiting Geneva) and a parcel with these copies has been airmailed yesterday to you. I hope it will reach you without the delay experienced with the first package earlier this year.

Considering the growing audience which seems to be interested in the paper, and may be using it as "the" word from the Bank on water supply and sewerage projects (which it was not supposed to be), I am beginning to wonder whether I should not have devoted more time in preparing it than I was able to do at that time.

With my best regards,

Juergen Krombach
Senior Sanitary Engineer
Water Supply Division II
Public Utilities Projects Department

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cc: Mr. Shipman
Mr. Morse

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Assigned to ~~Shipman~~
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Mr. R. Fennell

May 13, 1970

F. J. Lethem *R*

Consultants from WHO

1. I understand from Mr. Rajagopalan (Public Utilities Dept.) that when we need consultants from WHO, we should contact them through Mr. Riley.

2. Dr. Drobný or Dr. Williams of the PA Health Organization could give us the name of the Director in charge of Education and Training at WHO headquarters in Geneva.

Division File

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May 12, 1970

Mr. C. H. Atkins
Director
Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
Avenue Appia
1211 Geneva
Switzerland

Dear Mr. Atkins:

Enclosed is a copy of the section covering water and sewerage projects from the "Progress of Operations" report as at April 30, 1970.

Sincerely yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

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May 12, 1970

Dr. Alexander Kessler, Chief
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Dear Dr. Kessler:

Mr. McNamara has asked me to thank you for and reply to your letter of May 1st concerning the meeting which WHO plans to hold June 10-12 on the promotion of research in the bio-medical aspects of reproduction, including fertility regulation.

I am glad to inform you that Mr. E. K. Hawkins, Chief of our Population Studies Division, Economics Department, will attend this meeting on behalf of the World Bank Group. I would appreciate your sending further information concerning this meeting direct to Mr. Hawkins.

Sincerely yours,

Richard H. Demuth
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I AM SURE TO INFORM YOU WITH MR. H. K. HARRIS.

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Dear Ship,

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This paper has proved of great interest and we have received several requests for additional copies. In order to meet these requests we should be grateful if you could let us have a further 30 copies of the paper.

Best personal regards.

Yours sincerely,

P. Bierstein
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Dear Mr Weiner,

Thank you for your letter of 24 April 1970 in which you comment on the draft minutes of the WHO/Bank meeting.

We are in agreement with the minor amendments mentioned in the second and third paragraphs of your letter and confirm that we can now consider the minutes as corrected, final and official.

We hope to advise you shortly as to the general reaction to the matters of policy raised in the minutes.

Yours sincerely,

C. H. Atkins
Director
Division of Environmental Health

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Division of Environmental Health
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le 4 mai 1970

Monsieur,

Je me réfère aux entretiens que vous avez eus avec des membres du personnel de l'OMS concernant le projet PNUD/OMS, Maroc 0040 - Etudes sur l'approvisionnement en eau potable et les aspects y relatifs, lors d'une réunion qui a eu lieu le 23 avril à Rabat.

J'ai noté avec plaisir l'intérêt particulier manifesté par votre Organisation en ce qui concerne ce projet ainsi que le fait que vous soyez disposé à faire profiter le Gouvernement du soutien financier de la Banque dans les meilleurs délais.

Quant à votre participation à la revue et à la discussion des rapports avec les intéressés, je suis tout à fait de votre avis; il est, en effet, indispensable que vous ayez des copies des projets de ces rapports, dès qu'ils seront prêts pour discussion officielle, et bien avant leur présentation sous forme définitive. A ce sujet, j'ai donné des instructions aux services techniques responsables pour qu'ils fassent le nécessaire en ce qui concerne la transmission de ces rapports sous forme de projet ou sous forme définitive. Je vous saurais gré de bien vouloir m'indiquer l'adresse à laquelle il faudrait les envoyer et le nombre de copies.

En outre, je peux vous signaler qu'une discussion sur la future administration de l'eau dans la région côtière aura lieu au Maroc probablement vers le début du mois de juin à une date qui vous conviendra ainsi qu'aux autres intéressés.

Je vous serais très reconnaissant de bien vouloir prendre les dispositions nécessaires en vue de la participation de la BIRD à ces discussions.

Veillez agréer, Monsieur, l'assurance de ma considération très distinguée.

Dr L. Lataillade
Directeur des Services de
Santé

M. Maurice P. Bart
Chef de la Division pour l'Europe,
l'Afrique du Nord et du Moyen Orient
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WAO -

May 1, 1970

Mr. George Ponghis
Chief, Environmental Health
World Health Organization
8 Scherfigsvej
DK-2100 Copenhagen
Denmark

Dear George:

In connection with your letter of April 24 I should like to advise that Mr. Grover and myself will be arriving in Copenhagen on Tuesday, May 12. Since I have to stop in London for one day it is likely that each of us will arrive by a different flight, Mr. Grover by BE 742 at about 1225, and myself by BE 744 at 1830. In the event that I am able to finish early enough, I would attempt to catch the same flight as Mr. Grover. In any event, there is no need for you or anyone else from the office to meet us.

We propose to be in Copenhagen until the afternoon of May 14 departing from there to Zagreb on JU 361 at 1440. I believe that this will give us sufficient time to cover all the questions concerning Yugoslavia and any others which you may find of interest.

Concerning hotel reservations, our Travel Department has requested space in the Grand. However, if this has not been confirmed or problems are encountered we will cable you for assistance.

We look forward to seeing you.

Very truly yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

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cc: Mr. Grover

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May 1, 1970

Mr. Paul Bierstein
Chief, Community Water Supply
Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva 27
Switzerland

Dear Paul:

We have been going over a number of the UNDP projects and attempting to establish their status, progress, and likely time of completion.

For this purpose we have referred to the charts entitled 'UNDP Special Fund Projects in Community Water Supply' dated September 1969, of which there are four pages, and to a similar one on 'Waste Disposal' of which there are three pages. These projects are a bit cryptic in that they do not show anything more than the items of planned, requested, and approved, in the key. Also they are probably somewhat out of date, and we are wondering if it would be possible to receive an updated tabulation with perhaps some inked in additional information, such as where the project now stands with regard to the completion date, and the date when the preliminary report is expected.

Thank you for any assistance you can give on the foregoing.

Very truly yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
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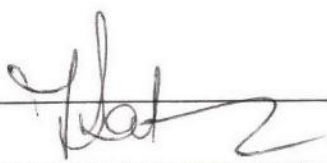
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I am returning the WHO correspondence and regret my inability to attend the meeting, as explained. A copy of this correspondence has been given to Mr. Hawkins.



From
K. Kanagaratnam

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MEETING OF AGENCIES ON THE PROMOTION OF RESEARCH IN THE BIOMEDICAL
ASPECTS OF REPRODUCTION INCLUDING FERTILITY REGULATION

Geneva, 10-12 June 1970

DRAFT AGENDA

- I. Review of current programmes of different agencies in the promotion of research in reproductive biomedicine including fertility control
 - (a) Areas of research interest
 - (b) Forms of research support
 - (c) Overview of individuals and institutions receiving support
 - (d) Magnitude of funding
 - (e) Mechanisms for co-ordinating research promotion with other agencies

- II. General discussion on
 - (a) Areas of research in this field requiring further stimulation and support
 - (b) Major obstacles to the development of fertility control methods
 - (c) Further needs for inter-agency co-ordination of programmes
 - (d) The advisability of regional research centres and of an international research centre
 - (e) Mechanisms for increasing funds available for research in these fields and administration of such funds.



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GENERAL AIMS AND SCOPE OF AGENCY

ADMINISTRATIVE STRUCTURE, INCLUDING RELATION TO GOVERNMENT(S)
WHERE APPLICABLE

NUMBER OF STAFF EMPLOYED

I. AREAS OF RESEARCH INTEREST

(i) In which of the following fields do you support research? Please specify after each subject whether in humans (H), non-human primates (P), other mammals (M), other vertebrates (V), invertebrates (I).

- gonads/gametes
- fertilization, implantation, placentation
- gestation, parturition, lactation
- normal early and late foetal development
- abnormal foetal development
- normal reproductive phenomena
(puberty, menstruation, menopause, etc.)
- reproductive morbidity
(including cancer of the genital organs)
- psychological and behavioural aspects
- methods of birth control
(mechanism of action, effectiveness,
side-effects, drug and device development)
- genetic aspects
- other (specify)

(ii) Would you give a rough percentage estimate of the distribution of the above research activities among the following categories:

- laboratory research
- clinical research
- epidemiological research

II. FORMS OF RESEARCH SUPPORT PROVIDED BY YOUR AGENCY

We have divided these into:

- A. Research projects: grants or contracts with individuals and institutions
- B. Research training
 - 1. research training grants, fellowships, etc.
 - 2. research training courses
- C. Research meetings, seminars, workshops, symposia, etc.
- D. Publications
- E. Provision of advisory services
- F. Provision of technical services
- G. Other

For A and B, kindly attach a copy of your application forms.

A. RESEARCH PROJECTS

Grants or contracts with individuals and institutions

(a) Nature of support provided:

Please tick for yes

(i) Do you cover:

- salaries
- equipment
- chemicals and other consumable items (e.g. laboratory animals)
- construction or rent of laboratory/animal facilities
- travel to meetings
- purchase of literature
- administrative overheads
- other (specify)

- (ii) Do you provide 'seed-money' grants, i.e. as an expression of technical approval and moral support, with the greater part of the funds required to be provided from other sources?

(iii) Duration of support:

- short term (specify)

- long term (specify)

If only short term, when there is a need for continuity, are arrangements made for the grantee's institution, or another body, to take over when the grant expires?

(b) Identification of individuals supported by Agency

(i) Which of the following mechanisms do you use for identifying potential grantees:

- is this the responsibility of certain staff members or of a special committee
- direct solicitation
- advertising
- other mechanisms (specify)
- or no mechanism

(ii) Do you give help to investigators in writing up their grant applications?

(c) Selection procedures

(i) Do candidates have to meet any specific nationality or academic requirements?

(ii) What is the mechanism for selection (referees, etc.)?

(iii) What is the average time lag between submission of an application and funds becoming available, if the application is successful?

(d) Evaluation of projects and results

(i) What is the mechanism for on-going review of projects:

- annual or other reports
- site visits
- other mechanism (specify)

(ii) What is the mechanism for final evaluation:

- financial accounting procedures:

- evaluation of results obtained

- later follow-up, if any?

(iii) Do you publish a summary of research work carried out with your support? How often?

(iv) Do you provide opportunities for grantees to meet and exchange information?

(v) Do you hold any proprietary rights, e.g. patents, on results of work you support?

(e) Other comments

B. RESEARCH TRAINING

1. Research training grants, fellowships, etc.

(a) Nature of training grants provided

(i) Do you cover:

- stipend
- travel costs
- laboratory expenses
- books
- attendance at meetings
- expenses of dependants
- other (specify)

(ii) Duration of grants (specify)

(iii) Do you provide research training grants for:

- technicians
- paramedical personnel
- predoctoral students
- postdoctoral students
- senior scientists

(iv) Do you administer research training grants which can only be held in one particular institution, or one particular country?

(v) Do you award grants to enable grantees to obtain a further degree?

(vi) Do you provide grantees on return to their institutions with support for carrying on research, or setting up a laboratory?

(b) Identification of suitable candidates

Which of the following mechanisms do you use for identifying candidates for research training:

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- other mechanisms (specify)
- or no mechanism

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(iv) Do you require an undertaking from the candidate's institution that, on his return to it from his period of research training, he will be able to put to good use the knowledge and experience gained?

(d) Evaluation

Do you require a report on the period of training from:

- the trainee
- the institution where he has trained?

(e) Other comments

2. Research training courses

- (i) Do you organize and/or fund research training courses?

- (ii) Do you give full or partial financial support to such courses?

- (iii) Do you provide fellowships for attendance at your or other training courses?

- (iv) In what areas of research have you held training courses?

- (v) At what type of investigator (scientist, technician, etc.) were these courses aimed?

- (vi) How many courses have you held or supported?

- (vii) Can you give an estimate of the number of participants in them?

- (viii) Other comments.

C. RESEARCH MEETINGS, SEMINARS, WORKSHOPS, SYMPOSIA, etc.

Do you sponsor, or give partial support to, seminars, symposia, workshops, other types of meetings?

Please specify:

- approximate number of courses
- topics
- location
- number of participants

D. PUBLICATIONS

Do you have a publication programme for scientific literature:

- textbook
- journals
- technical reports
- proceedings of meetings
- other

E. PROVISION OF ADVISORY SERVICES

Do you act in an advisory capacity

- to government (e.g. on research policy)
- to institutions on specific projects

F. PROVISION OF TECHNICAL SERVICES

(i) Do you provide a documentation and information service?
If so, to whom is it available and what data does it cover?

(ii) Do you have responsibilities for:

- biological standardization
- control of pharmaceutical substances
- surveillance of drug effects
- other technical services provided

G. OTHER FORMS OF RESEARCH SUPPORT

III. OVERVIEW OF INDIVIDUALS AND INSTITUTIONS RECEIVING SUPPORT

If available, please attach list of individuals and institutions receiving support during past one, two or five years.

(i) Do you support

- international organizations
- government agencies
- academic institutions
- industry
- other

(ii) How much of the support goes to:

- institutions or individuals in your own country
- abroad

Please state by continent or country as most convenient

(iii) Do you support multi-national or regional research projects?

(iv) What proportion of your support goes to:

- medical/public health institutions
- non-university clinical facilities
- non-medical university departments of biological science (e.g. veterinary sciences, pharmacology, agriculture)
- non-university research institutes other than industrial
- industry

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(iii) How many applications for research support do you turn down?

- because of shortage of funds

- because of inadequacy of proposals

(iv) Do you have projections covering funding over the next five years?

(v) What are the dates of your financial year? When are your budget proposals approved?

(vi) How far in advance can you allocate funds?

VI. MECHANISMS OF COORDINATION WITH OTHER AGENCIES

(i) Do you co-ordinate promotion of research with other agencies

- international

- national: university research

clinical research

industry

(ii) What is the mechanism for co-ordination?

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Unfortunately, urgent matters that have come up here in Washington will prevent Dr. Kanagaratnam from going to Geneva. We very much regret, therefore, that we will not be represented at the meeting and will appreciate it if any documentation arising from the meeting is sent to Dr. Kanagaratnam at this address.

Sincerely yours,

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24 April 1970

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Dear Ship,

The last correspondence we seem to have had on the ~~Humera~~ Humera water supply project was my letter of 27 August 1969.

In reviewing this file I find that Mr D.S. Marjanovic, WHO engineer stationed in Ethiopia has made a report entitled "Preliminary Design - Setit Humera Water Supply" which was forwarded to headquarters by a memorandum from EMRO dated 18 February 1970. Unfortunately I was in the United States during this period and no follow-up took place.

I am forwarding you the report, for what it is worth, and requesting the Regional Office to inform us whether there have been any new developments in Ethiopia.

Specifically is there any more we can do to help you on this project?
Best personal regards.

Yours sincerely,

Paul

P. Bierstein
Chief Community Water Supply
Division of Environmental Health

Mr H. R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Section
Projects Department Public Utilities
International Bank for Reconstruction and
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April 24, 1970

Mr. C.H. Atkins
Director
Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva 27
Switzerland

Dear Mr. Atkins:

We have received your letter of April 13 to which is attached the draft minutes of the WHO/Bank meeting and on which you have pencilled a few changes.

Mr. Shipman cabled Mr. Bierstein that we have no problems with the few revisions proposed except that one minor point needs clarification. This concerns page 6, c) iii b (corrected) where you add the sentence, "This would be essentially through pre-investment studies with UNDP/SF assistance." We propose to replace the word "essentially" with "in part". We would certainly not rule out the UNDP approach, but believe that many opportunities exist for national engineers to develop their own projects if given some guidance by competent experts from, for example, the WHO augmented staff.

A minor typo is noted on page 4, para 5 in the sentence originally beginning "In short, the Bank". The word "unless" should be deleted under your proposed revision.

If you agree with the minor amendments noted above, I would welcome your confirmation that we can consider the minutes as now corrected final and official. We now look forward to hearing from you on the general reaction to matters of policy raised in the minutes.

Sincerely yours,

Mervyn L. Weiner
Director
Public Utilities Projects Department

cc: Mr. Hittmair
Mr. Shipman

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WHO-


April 23, 1970

Dear Sir:

On the President's behalf I wish to acknowledge and thank you for your note verbale of April 10, 1970, inviting the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development to appoint a representative to attend the forty-sixth session of the Executive Board of the World Health Organization to be held in Geneva starting on May 25, 1970.

While we appreciate your invitation we regret that, due to other commitments at that time, it will not be possible for the Bank to be represented at the meeting.

Sincerely yours,


Ernesto Franco-Holguin
Deputy Special Representative
for
United Nations Organizations

Dr. M. G. Candau
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
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April 16, 1970

Dear Dr. Horwitz,

With reference to my letter of March 31, 1970, I should like to inform you that Mr. Dorich has given me a first draft of his report today. Mr. Dorich wishes to leave tonight for Lima and he should like to finish the text there. He will send us the text with such corrections within the next two weeks.

Sincerely yours,

Dragoslav Avramovic

Abraham Horwitz, M.D.
Director
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cc: Mr. Denton
Mr. Engelmann



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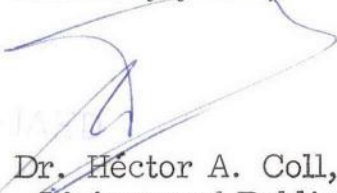
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Dr. Héctor A. Coll, Chief,
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Director, Division of Administrative
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World Health Organization
20 Avenue Appia
1211 Geneva, Switzerland

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With regard to travel expenses and travel arrangements, we prefer to treat a borrowed or seconded staff member in the same manner as we treat our own staff. The Bank will provide the staff member with an appropriate ticket for his travel. The itinerary and carrier of the staff member is his own choice, but he will be asked to pay any excess over the cost of a ticket by the most direct route. The Bank Group provides the traveller with a ticket, and not cash.

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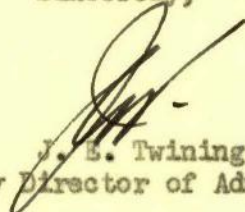
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WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION

If you have any questions about this matter or wish to propose any changes in our procedures, please let me know.

Sincerely,



J. E. Twining, Jr.
Deputy Director of Administration

cc: Mr. Hoffman
Mr. Brakel
Mr. Clarke
Mr. Blaxall
Mr. de la Renaudiere

Mr. Reardon
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April 13, 1970

Mr. Mario Espinosa
Regional Adviser
Department of Engineering and
Environmental Sciences
Pan American Health Organization
525 Twenty-third Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20037

Dear Mario:

Thank you for your letter dated April 7, 1970, forwarding the Georgia Tech Short Course in Economic Feasibility for Engineers to be presented in INOS.

This course looks very interesting and seems to be exactly the kind of course which water supply engineers in public agencies ought to receive. We shall be very interested in hearing an evaluation of the course once it is given, and we would hope it might be repeated throughout Latin America.

Sincerely yours,

Charles Morse
Chief, Water Supply Division II
Public Utilities Projects Department

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Dear Mr Weiner,

Your letter of 20 March 1970 and the draft minutes of our meeting reached here during my extended absence.

Mr Bierstein and I have now had the opportunity of reviewing the draft minutes and find that in general they adequately cover the transactions at our meeting. However, we do have a few comments of a minor nature which ... are noted on the attached copy of the draft minutes.

We will pursue as rapidly as possible with higher officials of WHO the policy matters raised during our meeting and will furnish you information as to their reactions.

It was a pleasure to meet with you and your staff for discussions which I feel should result in more effective collaboration. We look forward to continuing this dialogue and developing more extensive collaboration with you.

Yours sincerely,

C. H. Atkins
Director
Division of Environmental Health

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MEETING BETWEEN WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION AND
INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT
WASHINGTON, D.C. ON FEBRUARY 25-26, 1970

The persons in attendance were:

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WHO: Mr. ~~Calne~~ Atkins
Mr. Paul Bierstein
Mr. Bernd Dieterich

BANK: Mr. Mervyn L. Weiner (in the Chair)
Mr. Hans Hittmair
Mr. James Jennings
Mr. Harold Shippen
Mr. Charles Morse
Mr. Vincent Riley

(Mr. Richard Desmuth - Luncheon - February 25)
(Mr. Bernard Chadenet - Luncheon - February 26)

In addition, during the first day of the meeting, UNDP was
represented by:

Mr. Myer Cohen
Mr. J-P. Porterbord
Miss Norma Globerman

The main purpose of the meeting in Washington was: (a) to
review on the basis of the prospective pre-investment and sector work
in the water supply and sewerage field, whether the informal working
arrangements between WHO and the Bank, agreed upon in 1964, still pro-
vide an adequate basis for cooperation between the two institutions in

the light of the Bank's greatly increased future work load in water and sewerage; and (b) if changes are needed, to determine what might be required. The following minutes record the salient points of these discussions and the understandings reached as to what steps might be taken. Annex 1 shows the Agenda followed for the discussions.

General

1. There was common agreement that considerable progress had been made in coordinating the work of WHO and the Bank since the initial meeting between the two organizations in December 1964. At the same time, it was recognized that certain problems had been encountered, which, even with the best efforts of all concerned, continue to pose difficulties and which will undoubtedly continue and intensify as the work load substantially expands.

2. The Bank representatives reviewed the projected landing schedule for the next five years, pointed out the increasing task of appraising and supervising projects where loans are involved and underlined the need to reach decisions soon on how the work of project identification and development, sector studies and participation in economic missions could best be done in the future. The meeting with WHO was to determine whether and to what extent WHO was prepared to undertake a major share of these tasks

~~the responsibility for doing a major share of this work could be turned over to WHO.~~ The outcome of these discussions would then give the Bank an indication of how much of the work it should plan to do on its own.

3. WHO stated that the work visualized by the Bank fell clearly within the framework of responsibilities which had been accepted by its ~~Assembly~~ Assembly. WHO was interested in assuming a more important role in the field of sector studies because, ^{it would not only} ~~in addition to preparing~~ ^{but also} the ground for Bank operations, ~~this could~~ provide a basis for better planning of its own assistance to WHO's member states. Participation in economic missions would permit periodic reviews to up-date sector data and judgements in various countries. Note was taken of the fact that the Bank had already begun in specific cases to explore whether WHO would help staff such missions with water and sewerage engineers and medical and other specialists for public health and related sectors. (A brief explanation of the terms sector study, economic mission, project, etc., as used in the discussions, is contained in Annex 2.)

4. It was agreed that the scope and the requirements of sector studies and economic missions will vary considerably from place to place. While such studies could be done on occasion by consultants and by WHO field and regional staff, there was full agreement that such work would best be done by WHO through use of ^{specifically available} ~~permanent staff~~ employed for the purpose of sector studies, project identification and preparation and UNDP project supervision. Continuity of work quality could thus be assured. The Bank would make every effort

to provide whatever assistance was required for the initial orientation and ^{briefing} ~~induction~~ of such staff in Bank requirements. There was a clear recognition by all that WHO could not possibly undertake such an expanded work program with the headquarters staff now at its disposal.

Expert Panels

5. The present methods employed by WHO in project development and supervision was criticized by the Bank representatives as being both time-consuming and uneven in effectiveness. One of the ^{shortcomings} ~~basic flaws~~ of the present ~~institution of the expert panel~~ ^{procedure} was that personnel on the panels were ^{had to receive} ~~not~~ ^{briefing on} ~~always familiar~~ with conditions outside their home countries and that the frequent change of personnel from project to project made continuous rebriefing necessary. Experience gained in one project was lost when new panel members came on. Scheduling was difficult and with an increasing work load, would become almost unmanageable. ~~In short,~~ The Bank representatives felt that ^{should} ~~(unless)~~ WHO ~~could~~ find a way around this problem, ^{preferably} ~~via~~, through the employment of ~~permanent~~ ^{otherwise} staff for this purpose; WHO could hardly be ^{able} ~~expected~~ to play the expanded role visualized. The WHO representatives felt that this matter required further discussions in Geneva and agreed to take up the question after ^{the final report on the meeting} ~~their return to headquarters.~~ was received.

Increase in WHO's Staff

6. The need for an increase in WHO's ~~permanent~~ ^{and other} staff led to a discussion of its implications and the financial constraints under which WHO works. Savings from the replacement of the temporary panels might be applied to pay permanent staff. WHO also has limited other resources ^{subject to the agreement of UNDP}

which could be applied; but it was apparent that substantial additional funds would be required if WHO were to employ ^{additional} permanent staff in the numbers needed to meet the expected work load in an efficient manner.

7. Various estimates of manpower requirements and costs were discussed. The WHO representatives proposed to study these further after return to Geneva. The following assumptions were agreed as a basis for these further investigations:

a) Work Load

- (i) Sector study work: 6-7 studies per year;
- (ii) Economic missions: 10 per year. Some missions could be covered by field or regional staff after a period of training;
- (iii) Project Identification and Preparation: A rough estimate suggests between five and ten projects per year. Assums seven.

b) Basis for Operation

- (i) ^{The Bank suggested that} Staff ^{should} to be headquartered in Geneva and controlled by WHO headquarters.
- (ii) Bank would provide schedule of countries and activities requiring attention with indications of priority.
- (iii) Bank would assign staff to the extent possible during early phase of work to provide orientation and understanding of Bank's criteria and requirements.

(iv) The additional WHO personnel should be able to be used on sector studies, UNEP project supervision, project identification and development, economic missions, and special technical assistance.

c) Scope of Work to be Performed

(i) Sector studies } The work on sector studies; and
(ii) Economic missions) economic missions is discussed
in paragraph 4 and in Annex 2.

(iii) Project Identification and Preparation - This work would involve assistance to countries to: a) help countries submit projects to the Bank on which engineering has been done by the local engineers or engineers employed directly by the Government; and c) provide technical help on engineering, management and financial matters sufficient to permit national personnel to develop projects which will meet Bank standards and can be submitted for Bank consideration. This would be

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in part (essentially) assistance through pre-investment studies with UNDP/SF - 9

(iv) Project Supervision - This work is discussed in paragraphs 8 and 9.

d) Manpower Requirements

Sector studies and economic missions	-	6-8 man years/yr.
UNEP project supervision	-	6 man years/yr.
Project identification and preparation	-	3 man years/yr.

e) Costs

- (i) The cost per man year would include travel, secretarial services, office requirements, and special consultant fees in addition to salary;
- (ii) The Bank would consider an arrangement whereby in recognition of the benefits that would accrue to the Bank from this program, the costs for additional permanent WHO staff should be split between WHO and the Bank. As a preliminary, one-third WHO, two-thirds Bank cost sharing division might be taken.

It was agreed that the implications for both WHO and the Bank of these assumptions would be explored further within each organization and that further discussions would be scheduled as soon as institutional attitudes were clarified. WHO will notify the Bank about the results of its discussions on staffing questions and their implications.

Project Control

8. The Bank representatives expressed concern on several matters relating to the execution of UNDP projects which it had designated as of "special interest". The problems experienced concerned: the quality of supervision (see paragraph 5 above); the amount of time required in the execution of projects; the difficulty in obtaining accurate information on the status of the project and, most of all, the divided responsibility for controlling projects between WHO Headquarters and Regional Offices.

* said that ultimate responsibility and control of UNDP projects has always been a WHO headquarters function, but

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The latter factor seemed to be the source for many of the difficulties. The Bank representatives enquired whether it would be possible for WHO Headquarters to deal directly with UNDP projects and exercise operational control and responsibility over them. The Regional Offices could be kept informed at all times but Headquarters would carry the responsibility for initiating action. The WHO representatives took note of this suggestion and indicated that they would discuss it in Geneva.

9. The Bank representatives consider a clarification of this point, aiming as a minimum at parallel channels (i.e. directly between Project and Headquarters, but with a parallel channel through the Regional Offices), a very important pre-requisite for an efficient handling of the expected work load. The Bank believes that success in dealing with the UNDP project problems would depend largely on vesting WHO Headquarters with ^{MORE} operational control; this question is so fundamental that without reasonable solution, it will be difficult to see how the future work can be approached properly.

Exchange of Personnel

10. The question of exchanging personnel between the two organisations was raised and after recognizing certain benefits to be gained, the matter was deferred because neither organisation has, at this point, staff it could second, regardless of the merits of the proposal. The matter could be raised again, if and when the staffing problems ease.

Channels of Communication - Bank-WHO

11. Meetings have been held at the working level almost yearly since the time of the first general meeting in 1964. These informal discussions on specific projects and problems should continue whenever the need arises and staff visits are possible. The present arrangements for interchange of information between WHO and the Bank at the working level is functioning well and it was agreed that no changes are required.

Discussions with UNDP

12. The UNDP representatives participated during the first day's exchange of ideas concerning the investment work done and envisaged by the three organizations, ranging from a general review of the work and its organization to the discussion of specific projects. In commenting on the specific points listed under Item I of the agenda, the following views were expressed by UNDP, it being understood that such views were not necessarily a statement of an official position:

- a) UNDP has an interest in sector studies and is prepared to support them. It accepts the point that each country will have to be considered separately and the most feasible approach selected for the country concerned would be size and complexity. UNDP will consider inclusion of sector studies in projects which also provide engineering for specific systems. It can also consider projects which consist only of the sector study.

- b) UNDP, in principle, believes it possible to carry out sector studies for several small countries on a multi-country approach although certain administrative complications may create as many problems as are solved by the packaging approach.

A number of other useful comments were made by the UNDP representatives concerning specific projects and opportunity was taken to clarify a number of questions which they presented. UNDP presence in the meeting proved most profitable and their representation at future meetings between the Bank and WHO concerning UNDP projects should be invited.

Future Action

13. It was agreed that after the WHO representatives had returned to Geneva ^{, received the report of the meeting} and discussed the questions raised in the Washington meeting, they would inform the Bank about the results. The next steps which might involve consideration of a more formal arrangement between WHO and the Bank would be defined in the light of WHO's reaction to the meeting. It was agreed that, in view of the pressing urgency to proceed with pre-investment and sector work, decisions should be reached as soon as possible to allow proper planning.

Agenda Followed February 25-26, 1970WHO-Bank MeetingI. Wednesday - February 25A. Morning Session

Scope and mechanisms for UNDP pre-investment surveys and sector and economic studies in the field of water supply and sewerage.

1. Sector and Economic Studies:

- a) UNDP/WHO and the sector study work load described in Item I B 2c.
- b) Possibilities for a multi-country UNDP approach to sector studies.
- c) Problems in combining sector studies with the study of a specific project. For example: Country A wants studies leading to investment in water supply for its capital city. Can a sector study be tasked on?

2. Economic Missions:

- (1) Work load - see attachment
- (2) Staff requirements
- (3) Role of WHO.

B. Afternoon Session

1. Other activities in water and sewerage of possible interest to WHO-Bank for consideration:

- a) Consultants seminars;
- b) Management seminars
- c) Management advisory teams;
- d) Operation and Maintenance teams;
- e) Regional Sector of National Program Development Seminars.

2. Discussion of ongoing and projection of potential new projects, sector studies and other activities of both organizations for the Five-Year period, 1970-1974, in the field of water supply and sewerage:

- a) projects on which WHO is now working and for which the Bank/IDA is likely to consider lending. These are:

China - Taipei Sewage - sewage (1974); water (1972)
Uganda - Kampala, Jinja water and sewage (1973)
Turkey - Istanbul water and sewage (1971)
Senegal - Dakar Water (1972)
Philippines - Manila Sewage
Ceylon - National Water - Colombo water supply (1973)
Morocco - National Water (1972)
Nigeria - Ibadan Sewage
Ghana - 2nd stage
Nepal (1973)
Cambodia
Ivory Coast
Algeria
Iran
Yugoslavia (1971)

- b) countries where Bank/IDA lending in water and sewerage is scheduled and where WHO might be able to help. These are:

Togo (1973)
Sierra Leone
Thailand - water (1971); sewage (1972)
Gabon
Bahomey
Upper Volta
India (1973)
Congo K (1975)
Ethiopia - Addis Ababa (1971); Humera (1972)
Colombia - medium sized cities (1972) (1974)
Indonesia (1972/1973)
Malaysia - Ipoh Sewage (1972); Kuala Lumpur sewage (1973)
Philippines - Manila Water (1972)
Nicaragua (1972)

- c) countries where sector studies are needed, with an indication of suggested year for studies. (These are listed without knowing at this stage to what extent WHO would be involved):

<u>1970</u>	<u>1971</u>	<u>1972</u>	<u>1973</u>
Colombia	Thailand	Ceylon	Dahomey
Argentina	China	Nepal	Cameroon
Indonesia	Philippines	Yugoslavia	Niger
Turkey	Morocco	Kenya	Gabon
Nigeria	Ethiopia	Uganda	
	Ivory Coast	Togo	
		Upper Volta	

Thursday - February 26

II. Review of, and proposals for, procedures to improve the pace and quality of work on projects of joint concern to both organizations. Discussions of the implications of this review and of the proposals for staffing, coordination, procedures, mechanisms, channels of communications, cost and financial arrangements, and exchange of staff:

a) Expert Panels vs. Permanent staffing in Geneva:

- 1) Feasibility and problems;
- 2) Financial Implications
- 3) Decisions

b) Channels of Communication between:

- 1) WHO Headquarters and Bank;
- 2) Project and Bank;
- 3) Project and WHO;
- 4) WHO Regional Offices and Bank;
- 5) PAHO-Bank.

c) Exchange of staff:

- 1) Type of staff involved;
- 2) Duration of exchange;
- 3) Implications:
 - a) Financial
 - b) Administrative
- 4) Conclusions on feasibility and actions proposed.

Future Economic Missions to Countries Subject to Annual Review by the Bank

(As of December 19, 1969)

<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>Missions scheduled Jan. 70 - June '71</u>
<u>East Africa</u>	
Congo	March 1970 (February 1971)
Ethiopia	January 1970 (February 1971)
Kenya	September-October 1970
Sudan	June 1970 (June 1971)
Tanzania	September-October 1970
Uganda	September-October 1970
<u>West Africa</u>	
Ghana	April 1970 (April 1971)
Ivory Coast	November 1970
Nigeria	April 1970 (April 1971)
<u>East Asia and Pacific</u>	
China	March 1970 (March 1971)
Indonesia	October 1970
Korea	September 1970
Malaysia	January 1971
Philippines	April 1970 (April 1971)
Thailand	January 1970 (January 1971)
<u>South Asia</u>	
Afghanistan	March 1970
Ceylon	October 1970
India	January 1970
Iran	September 1970
Pakistan E)	March 1970 (March 1971)
Pakistan W)	
<u>Europe, Middle East & North Africa</u>	
Morocco	April 1970 (April 1971)
Spain	October 1970 (Spring 1971)
Tunisia	January 1970 (November 1970)
Turkey	March 1970 (Spring 1971)
U.A.R.	May 1970 (May 1971)
Yugoslavia	October 1970
<u>Central America & Caribbean</u>	
Mexico	April 1970 (April 1971)
<u>South America</u>	
Argentina	April 1970 (April 1971)
Brazil	April 1970 (April 1971)
Chile	November 1970
Colombia	February 1970 (February 1971)
Peru	April 1970 (April 1971)

Definition of Certain Terms used in WHO-Bank Meeting

During the course of the discussions, agreement was reached on the meaning of certain terms appearing in the agenda. These were as follows:

Projects

1. UNDP and WHO refer to programs and activities which embody agreements with governments as "projects". The Bank usually uses the word project to refer also to activities which are covered by an agreement signed between the Bank and the Government. In most instances, however, in the Bank project refers to work and actions to be taken which are financed by the Bank/IDA in the form of loans/credits.

Sector Studies

2. WHO presented a draft paper which contained a listing of work to be carried out in a sector study. WHO is requested to attach this as an Annex since it reasonably reflects the Bank's requirements for a sector study. See also pages 3, 4 and 5 of the Bank document "Preinvestment Study Programs for Developing Countries".

Economic Missions

3. In order to provide the Bank group with a thorough knowledge and analytical assessment of the development programs and policies of member countries, general economic reports are compiled and updated for all borrowing countries. The general reports are essentially the product of a country mission team, organized by the Area Department and staffed by its personnel and by functional and sector specialists from the Economics staff, Projects departments and consultants. In general, it is the aim of an economic mission to provide:

- a) an evaluation of the situation and prospects of the economy;
- b) an analysis of the country's development objectives and of the major development obstacles and assets of the economy;
- c) an informed judgement concerning the appropriate development strategy to be pursued by the government concerned and the likelihood that it will take the action required to carry out that strategy;
- d) an assessment of domestic and external financing requirements and of the possibilities of meeting them;

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Prière de rappeler la référence:

The Director-General of the World Health Organization has the honour to invite the specialized agencies, the International Atomic Energy Agency, the intergovernmental organizations and the non-governmental organizations in official relations with WHO, to appoint representatives to attend the forty-sixth session of the Executive Board which will be convened on Monday, 25 May 1970, at 10 o'clock, at the Organization's headquarters, Geneva, Switzerland.

... A copy of the provisional agenda for this session is enclosed.

The Director-General will be pleased to be informed of the names and addresses of any representatives appointed, as far in advance of the session as possible, as well as the language (English or/and French) in which they would like to receive the documents.

GENEVA, 10 April 1970

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EXECUTIVE BOARD

Forty-sixth Session

Geneva, 25 May 1970

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

- 1.1 Opening of the session
- 1.2 Adoption of the agenda
- 1.3 Election of Chairman, Vice-Chairmen and Rapporteurs
- 1.4 Report by the representatives of the Executive Board at the Twenty-third World Health Assembly: Official Records No. 181
resolution EB45.R38
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COMMITTEES

- 2.1 Standing Committees of the Executive Board
 - 2.1.1 Standing Committee on Administration and Finance: filling of vacancies Official Records No. 178
resolution EB44.R6
 - 2.1.2 Standing Committee on Non-governmental Organizations: filling of vacancy Official Records No. 178
resolution EB44.R11
- 2.2 UNICEF/WHO Joint Committee on Health Policy: filling of vacancies Official Records No. 178
resolution EB44.R7
- 2.3 Dr. A. T. Shousha Foundation Committee: filling of vacancy Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions, 10th ed.,
p. 487
resolution EB42.R6

PROGRAMME

- 3.1 Report on appointments to expert advisory panels and committees Document EB46/
- 3.2 Report on expert committee meetings Document EB46/
- 3.3 Study group reports Document EB46/
- 3.4 Report of the UNICEF/WHO Joint Committee on Health Policy on its seventeenth session Document EB46/
- 3.5 Technical discussions
 - 3.5.1 Appointment of the General Chairman of the technical discussions to be held at the Twenty-fourth World Health Assembly Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions, 10th ed.,
p. 256-257
resolution WHA10.33, para. 6
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- 3.5.2 Selection of a subject for the technical discussions at the Twenty-fifth World Health Assembly
- Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions, 10th ed., p. 256-257
resolution WHA10.33, para. 3
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PROGRAMME AND BUDGET

- 4.1 Transfers between sections of the appropriation resolution for 1970 (if any)
- 4.2 Allotments issued and obligations incurred as at 30 April 1970
- Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions, 10th ed., p. 195
resolution EB43.R29
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WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY AND EXECUTIVE BOARD

- 5.1 Date and place of the Twenty-fourth World Health Assembly
- 5.2 Date and place for the forty-seventh session of the Executive Board
- Articles 14 and 15 of the Constitution
Rule 5 of the Rules of Procedure of the Executive Board

ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL QUESTIONS

- 6.1 Voluntary Fund for Health Promotion
- 6.2 Appointment of World Health Assembly Representatives to the WHO Staff Pension Committee
- 6.3 Report(s) of the Joint Inspection Unit
7. Closure of session
- Handbook of Resolutions and Decisions, 10th ed., pp. 365-366 and 368
resolutions WHA13.24, para. 3, EB26.R20, EB33.R4 and WHA19.20
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MISC-0-33

Dear Mr. Morse:

As you are aware, the Pan American Health Organization has undertaken a program to train members of water and sewer institutions in matters pertaining to the introduction of economic and managerial techniques to improve and strengthen the operation of water and sewer utilities.

To this end, we have contracted the services of the Georgia Institute of Technology to develop a course on economic feasibility to introduce engineers to the concepts and specific topics of this practice. We enclose for your perusal and information the original submission of the Institute of Technology, outlining their proposal for the preparation of the course, as well as a description of subject matter and the schedule for its presentation.

I would like to mention also that INOS is considering the possibility of developing special courses to have a broader coverage of some of the topics presented at this course. Georgia Tech. will also undertake under contract with us to develop such courses.

We feel that courses of this nature will contribute to create the framework for action and the understanding of economic and financial matters so badly needed to foster water supply and sewerage services.

Sincerely yours,

Mario Espinosa
Mario Espinosa
Regional Adviser, Department
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March 27, 1970

Mr. Mario Espinosa
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Dear Mr. Espinosa:

This is to serve as a statement of our intent to offer a short course in Economic Feasibility for Engineers in Caracas, Venezuela, on June 29-July 3, 1970, as specified in the attached material.

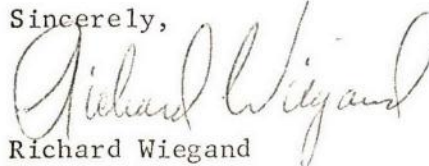
Enclosed is a two-page statement that delineates the overall objectives, methods, costs, etc. Attached to this is a listing of the specific topics that will be covered in the course and a daily schedule. There are two complete sets of material enclosed, one set in English and the other in Spanish. You will undoubtedly need extra copies of each for interested parties in PAHO offices and at INOS. If you wish, you may copy the material or let me know and we will supply you with as many extra copies as you wish.

You stated that it would be necessary to enter into a formal contractual agreement between the Pan American Health Organization and the Georgia Institute of Technology. The only person on the campus who is empowered to sign such a document is Mr. Ewell I. Barnes, Controller. I am sending him a copy of this letter (and the attachments) to alert him to the possibility that you may wish him to sign an agreement. Should the agreement be drawn up, please send it to me and I will take it to Mr. Barnes.

We also understand that there is a possibility that you will want the same course presented in Spanish at other locations in South America this summer. I have already indicated to you the availability of the faculty and am looking forward to your decision concerning such additional offerings.

If I can supply further information, please let me know.

Sincerely,



Richard Wiegand
Director

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Enclosures

cc: Mr. Ewell I. Barnes
Mr. L. V. Johnson
Dr. Sherman F. Dallas

Short Course in
Economic Feasibility for Engineers

to be presented in
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June 29-July 3, 1970

Sponsored by the Pan American Health Organization
and the Instituto Nacional de Obras Sanitarias
and the College of Industrial Management
Georgia Institute of Technology

Conducted by the Department of Continuing Education
Georgia Institute of Technology
Atlanta, Georgia

Introduction and Purpose

The objective of this short course is to introduce INOS engineers to the concepts and specific topics of Economic Feasibility. The increasing rate of construction and the vast number of projects undertaken by INOS as it serves the people of Venezuela require that these activities not only be technically sound but also constructed in the most economic and efficient manner possible. This short course will introduce the various topics that will aid design and distribution engineers as they make daily decisions that have economic implications.

Course Method

The course will be presented in Spanish to a limited number of INOS engineers at INOS headquarters. The presentation will employ lecture, discussion, and case study, and the program will cover approximately 38 hours. However, there will be prior study of statistics by all persons enrolled in the course so that the faculty can be put to optimum use during the limited time available in Caracas.

Course Location and Facilities

All classes will be held in the special meeting room in the INOS building. Local coordination will be the responsibility of the Zone I office of PAHO and the training office of INOS. It will be the responsibility of INOS to supply the classroom, chairs and tables, classroom supplies, chalkboard space, and audio-visual equipment as required. INOS will also be responsible for the purchase of textbooks and the establishment of a small library at the recommendation of the professor. The maximum number of students will be 30.

INOS will also develop certain data and computer printouts to serve as class exhibits and examples of computer techniques that are useful in various aspects of feasibility determination. These exhibits will be used as part of the case studies.

Georgia Tech Responsibilities

It will be the responsibility of the Department of Continuing Education to supply two Spanish-speaking professors and to pay their honoraria and travel and living expenses. The Department is also responsible for the costs of a survey trip made during February, 1970, to set up the course. The Department will supply various handouts and class notes to be used in connection with the lectures.

Cost

The total cost of the course will be \$5,230, payable by the Pan American Health Organization in American dollars immediately upon completion of the course. An invoice will be sent in quadruplicate to the PAHO office in Washington for this purpose. If required, the Controller of the Georgia Institute of Technology will sign a special contractual agreement with the Pan American Health Organization outlining the terms covered in this course description.

Attachment

Class Schedule

Monday

Economic Theory

Demographic
Concepts

Mathematics of
Growth

Case Practice

Tuesday

Sampling

Probability
Distribution

Correlation and
Regression

Forecasting

Wednesday

Simulation

Relevant Costs

Asset Replacement
Theory

Case

Informal Discussion

Thursday

Capital Budgeting
and Rate of Return

Decision Theory

Standard Costs

Informal Discussion

Friday

Managerial
Controls

Review and
Case

Course Outline

Economic Theory

This area will include those points in macroeconomics needed for a good understanding of economic projections plus a discussion in theory of the firm to properly comprehend the forces of demand, supply, costs, marginal concepts, etc.

In the macroeconomics aspects a discussion of the gross national product concept and allied ideas. A brief introduction to the theory of investment and economic development.

Problems of income distribution and elasticity are basic to any questions on feasibility. (Approximately 3 hours)

Demographic Concepts

Following Bogue's book the course will touch on the basic demographic ratios, censuses and population projections. Curves of population growth. Population problems and suggested solutions. (Approximately 2 hours)

Mathematics of Growth

This will discuss the basic rules of exponential growth. All functions in mathematics of finance will be covered. Special emphasis will be put on present worth approaches as compared to other methods. The illustrations will delve equally on monetary and other growth functions. Annuities and perpetuities included here and a general treatment of depleting assets. (Approximately 2 hours)

Sampling

The general concept of sample. Randomness. Sampling methods. Errors and biases. Estimation. Interval and point estimation. Size of sample. Normal curve. Sampling of human populations. Emphasis should be put in actual testing through some practical illustrations. Different schemes. Tests of hypotheses. Two types of error. Practical uses. Surveys. Prediction and error. (Approximately 3 hours)

Probability Distribution

The normal distribution was introduced in sampling. Here it is reinstated and contrasted with other distributions: hypergeometric, binomial, Poisson. Objective of this session is to make the participants aware of the need of "side tests" in feasibility and how to pick the right distribution. Some computer programs will be introduced. (Approximately 2 hours)

Correlation and Regression

This and the next are the core topics in all feasibility studies. Here participants are introduced to the basic concepts of regression, linear, curvilinear, and multiple. Errors in predictions are discussed. (Approximately 2 hours)

Forecasting

This topic will be practice oriented. Trends, seasonals, and cycles will be studied. Also the theories of growth in the third topic. Emphasis will be put in econometric models. Exponential smoothing will be discussed. (Approximately 2 hours)

Simulation

Basic principles and illustrations. Monte Carlo techniques. Some computer programs. (Approximately 2 hours)

Relevant Costs

This section discusses costs as a finished product. The breakdown of the cost structure is discussed in Standard Costs. This section is included to familiarize the participants with situations in which cost decisions may be misleading. A very brief reference to the accounting theory of costing is included. This will lead to cases and practical applications. Terminology probably encountered in feasibility is outlined. (Approximately 2 hours)

Asset Replacement Theory

This section combines the preceding studies in mathematics of finance probability, and relevant costs to make the wise decision in planning the substitution of heavy equipment. Capitalized cost theory and its impact in budget projections are discussed. (Approximately 2 hours)

Decision Theory

Expectations and expected values. The utility concept. Bayesian approaches. Other decision theories. The dollar value of additional information. (Approximately 3 hours)

Standard Costs

The theory of inventory valuations and costing theories. Different methods of costing. Process, job order. The standard approach. Variances. Control through variances. (Approximately 2 hours)

Managerial Controls

Based on Johnson, Kast & Rosenzweig's approach the theory of control is introduced. Then some applications in the areas of production distribution and finance. The internal control of the firm is studied. The control of the individual project both time and cost with references to networking analysis. (Approximately 3 hours)

Capital Budgeting and Rate of Return

Budgeting, funds statements, cash flows, and similar statements are abundantly used. Some economics, following Joel Dean's book. Basic concepts of accounting. Some financial statements, interpretation and use. The rate of return approach. Some other methods of measuring efficiently. (Approximately 3 hours)

Review and Case

The case mentioned in the last day is not necessarily started on that day. Most probably it will be an aggregate of items put together through the week and given final shape on the last session. Part of the time will be used for review and added emphasis on points that might be weak. (Approximately 5 hours)



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Our Personnel Office will get in touch with Mr. Thomas Noone, Personnel Officer of the Bank, to work out details of this assignment. Eng. Sandoval will report to our office in Washington, on April 21, 1970.

Sincerely yours,

Alfredo Arreaza Guzmán
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Dear Ship,

Thank you for your letter of 20 March 1970 referring to the schedules for panel visits and informing us of your visit to Yugoslavia in mid May and Mr Jennings visit to Turkey in mid June.

On the subject of the panel visit to Uganda, we have just been advised by Dr Logan and Mr Seidel that they will both be able to make it together towards the end of June. We are, of course, pleased that you will again send Mr Seidel as your representative. This meeting was previously planned for mid May and we are now contacting Mr Hale to see if he can fit this in to his schedule for the latter part of June. Confidentially we are not sure that Mr Millar will be invited for the second meeting as we are still communicating on this subject with the Regional Office. At any rate he has indicated earlier that he may not be able to travel in June.

The Ceylon panel meeting has been changed again and is now expected to take place around mid May. We are awaiting Regional Office confirmation and will cable you the exact date, hoping that your side can also be represented.

As far as CWS is concerned, we do not expect any other meetings in the near future, except for Malta, which is expected to take place during the third week of April. We wonder whether there has been any recent activity between yourselves and the Government on this project. We understand from EURO that no interest has been expressed by the Maltese to request international assistance.

Luis has indicated that the panel meeting for Ibadan is planned for June. He assumes that Mr Seidel is keeping you informed on the Taipei meeting, which was originally scheduled for June, but in view of Harris' commitments for • Uganda, the Taipei meeting may take place in July.

We are pleased to note your planned visits to Istanbul and Yugoslavia and we welcome the opportunity of meeting you again on your way to these countries. EURO has been advised of these visits and we hope they will be sending us a revised Request for the Yugoslavia project well in advance of your visit.

Yours sincerely,

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WHO -

Mr. Alfred Koch

April 7, 1970

Richard H. Demuth

WHO Cooperation in IBRD Tourism Studies

At a meeting last week of the Inter-Agency Consultative Board of the UNDP, called to advise the UNDP Administrator concerning projects in his June program, the tourism project in Bali, for which the Bank is to serve as executing agency, came up for discussion. Dr. Candau, Director-General of WHO, made a point to which I think you will want to give serious consideration - namely, that any mission sent out to examine the possibilities of tourism and to draw up a tourism development program should include a public health expert, in view of the importance of a healthful environment and particularly a pure water supply, in attracting tourists. Dr. Candau offered the cooperation of WHO in supplying public health experts for our tourism studies, including the Bali project, if we wish him to do so.

I would appreciate being kept advised of any action which you may take in connection with this matter.

cc: Mr. Goodman
Mr. Chadenet

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March 30, 1970

Abraham Horwitz, M.D.
Director
Pan American Health Organization
Regional Office for the Americas of
the World Health Organization
525 Twenty-third Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20037

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Sincerely yours,

Dragoslav Avramovic

cc & cleared with:

Mr. Engelmann
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Sincerely yours,



Mervyn L. Weiner
Director
Public Utilities Projects Department

cc: World Health Organization
Avenue Appia
1211 Geneva
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Director
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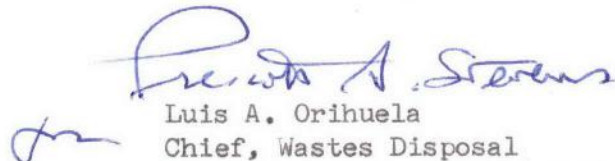
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With very cordial regards,

Yours sincerely,


Luis A. Orihuela
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World Health Organization
Avenue Appia
1211 Geneva
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Dear Luis:

We are in receipt of your letter dated March 11, 1970 requesting
a further 50 copies of the French version of our Sewerage questionnaire.

These are being forwarded today under separate cover.

Very truly yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
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c/o PAHO-WHO Representative in
Trinidad and Tobago
P.O. Box 898
Port of Spain, Trinidad

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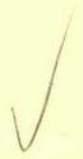
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WHO -
March 20, 1970

Mr. Paul Bierstein
Chief, Community Water Supply
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Avenue Appia
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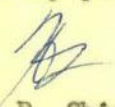
Dear Paul:

I am attaching herewith a copy of the Minutes of our recent WHO-Bank meeting in Washington. The official draft is being forwarded to Slim by Mervyn Weiner but since we understand that Slim may be travelling extensively before getting back to Geneva, we thought it desirable to transmit a copy directly to you for whatever attention you feel it deserves, prior to his return.

You will note in Mervyn's letter that we suggest you make whatever corrections, additions or changes to the draft Minutes as you feel appropriate and return these to us for review following which, assuming no major changes, we would feel that the draft could become official.

Please let me know if there is any additional information which you may need.

Very truly yours,


Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

Messrs. Riley (Development Services)
Morse

HRShipman/pbf

March 20, 1970

Mr. Calus Atkins
Director
Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
Avenue Appia
1211 Geneva
Switzerland

Re: WHO-Bank Meeting -
February 25-26, 1970

Dear Mr. Atkins:

I am sending you herewith a draft of the Minutes of our recent meeting for your review and comment. As we agreed, Mr. Shipman will be sending a copy of these Minutes to Mr. Bierstein in order that he and other members of his staff might have a chance to follow-up on certain of the points which may require attention before your return. A copy is also being sent to Mr. Dieterich.

We covered quite a number of topics during our two-day meeting; the draft Minutes select those points which we considered important for the record. I hope you will feel free to make whatever additions or adjustments you think necessary to more accurately reflect the course of the discussions.

I would suggest that after you have had a chance to review the draft and have introduced whatever changes you feel appropriate, a copy be forwarded to us for our review after which, assuming no further changes are required, the Minutes could be considered as official. In the meantime, we shall await word from you about the general reaction of WHO to the proposals which emerged from the meeting. Should you feel the need for any further clarification or amplification of Bank views, please do not hesitate to let me know.

Mr. Calus Atkins

March 20, 1970

It was a pleasure to meet you, Mr. Bierstein and Mr. Dieterich. I look forward to meeting again soon with you and your staff to continue our discussions on problems of mutual interest.

Very truly yours,

Mervyn L. Weiner

Mervyn L. Weiner
Director
Public Utilities Projects Department

cc: Mr. Paul Bierstein
WHO, Geneva
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Mr. Bernd Dieterich

cc: Messrs: Riley (Development Services)
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March 20, 1970

Mr. Paul Bierstein
Chief, Community Water Supply
Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
Avenue Appia
1211 Geneva
Switzerland

Re: Forthcoming Panel Visits

Dear Paul:

Over the past few months, you have forwarded to us tentative schedules for panel visits to UNDP projects. We have noted these and in most cases, have replied indicating that unless there were some changes in staff scheduling, it would be unlikely that we could arrange a schedule which would conform with yours. We are in the process of reviewing the present status and I am wondering whether it would be possible for you to give us a current reading on all of the panel visits now scheduled. We have had a letter from Harris Seidel indicating that he has told you of his inability to travel in June. He has suggested that he might be able to travel in May, for example, to Uganda. In the event that that panel is still scheduled for the last two weeks of May, we would make an effort to have Harris accompany them. Your advice on this regard and on the other visits will be appreciated.

I should like to take this means of informing you of a likely visit on the part of Mr. Jennings and Mr. Callejas to Istanbul sometime around mid-June. The purpose of the visit will be to discuss the various outstanding problems which will have to be resolved before an appraisal can be made of that project. I hope that the water reports will have been made available by then and have today cabled you concerning their status.

I should like also to advise that I am tentatively planning to go to Yugoslavia in mid-May accompanied, hopefully, by a representative of our Agriculture Department and at least one of the Division staff. During

Mr. Paul Bierstein

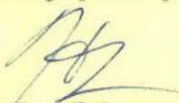
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that visit, we will attempt to clarify the outstanding problems which will have to be overcome in order that we can proceed with an appraisal of the Ibar-Lepenac project. It was Charlie Morse's original thinking that we would not necessarily have to wait for the municipal water systems to be expanded following the proposed UNDP project studies. This will have to be further assessed during my visit. In a letter which I showed to you during your recent visit to Washington, George Pongis asked if it would be possible to discuss the comments made by Charlie Morse on the UNDP project in more detail with someone from the Bank. I could probably do this during a one day stop in Copenhagen en route to Yugoslavia should you feel it worthwhile.

I look forward to hearing from you in connection with the panel visits and also in connection with the proposed trips to Istanbul and Yugoslavia.

Please accept my best regards.

Very truly yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

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cc: Messrs. Callejas
Morse



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PAN AMERICAN HEALTH ORGANIZATION
Pan American Sanitary Bureau, Regional Office of the
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525 TWENTY-THIRD STREET, N.W., WASHINGTON, D. C. 20037, U.S.A.

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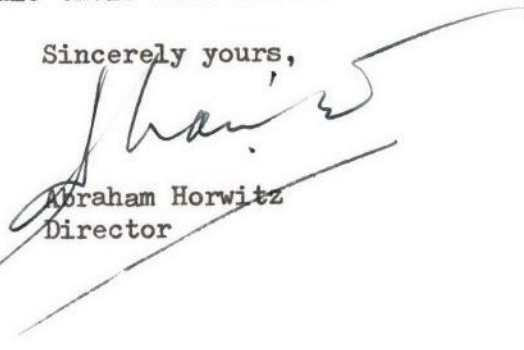
Mr. Mervyn L. Weiner, Director
Public Utilities Projects Department
International Bank for Reconstruction and
Development
1818 H Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20433

Dear Mr. Weiner:

Responding to your letter of 9 March 1970, we will be pleased to assign to you an engineer for your economic mission to Argentina for the purpose of reviewing the water supply and sewerage sector. Dr. Mark Hollis of our staff will review with Mr. Morse the engineer we have in mind for this assignment and the technical details of the assignment. After the selection is made our Personnel Office will get in touch with Mr. Thomas Noone, Personnel Officer of the Bank.

As your long-range plans are developed regarding the scheduling of economic missions, it would be most helpful to us to know the specific missions and dates on which you believe our resources might be of assistance. This advance notice will permit us to select competent consultants and to schedule their activities.

Sincerely yours,


Abraham Horwitz
Director

cc: EH/WHO/Geneva

WHD

March 16, 1970

Dr. Hector Coll
Chief, Liaison on Public Relations
Pan American Health Organization
525 23rd Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20037

Dear Dr. Coll:

I am now in a position to give you the information about forthcoming missions to Central and South America and the Caribbean which you requested when we met a few weeks ago.

The following are the economic, up-dating and special missions now scheduled for countries in those areas from March 1970 to June 1971.

Central America and Caribbean

Guatemala	March 1970	Economic mission
Mexico	April 1970	Economic mission
Mexico	April 1970	Transport survey
Jamaica	July 1970	Economic mission
Costa Rica	September 1970	Economic mission
Dominican Republic	October 1970	Economic mission
El Salvador	March 1971	Economic mission
Honduras	March 1971	Economic mission
Trinidad and Tobago	March 1971	Economic mission
Mexico	April 1971	Economic mission

South America

Brazil	March 1970	Exploration of urban problems
Brazil	April 1970	Economic mission
Peru	April 1970	Economic mission

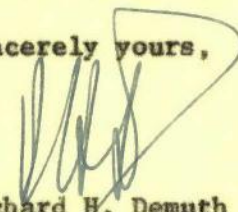
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South America cont'd.

Argentina	May 1970	Economic mission
Uruguay	August 1970	Up-dating mission
Paraguay	October 1970	Economic mission
Chile	March 1971	Economic mission
Colombia	February 1971	Economic mission
Brazil	April 1971	Economic mission
Peru	April 1971	Economic mission
Argentina	May 1971	Economic mission

With respect to the missions scheduled for the balance of our current fiscal year (through June 1970), I am informed that PAHO has already been asked to find a water supply specialist for the mission which is to go to Argentina in May. We have not yet begun to focus on the sectors which will be of priority concern to the missions scheduled for fiscal 1971, and therefore we are not now in a position to say what calls we may wish to make upon PAHO for these missions, except that we are likely to ask for a family planning specialist for the Trinidad mission now scheduled for March 1971. We expect to begin consideration of the staffing of all fiscal 1971 missions within the next six to eight weeks, and we should then be in a better position to determine what our needs will be. In the meantime, if there are any missions in the list above of particular interest to PAHO, I hope you will let me know.

Sincerely yours,



Richard H. Demuth
Director

Development Services Department

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and Hittmair

WHD

March 13, 1970

Dear Mr. Bierstein:

We are attaching a copy of a letter we have today sent to UNDP. We would be very grateful if you would send to Mr. Shipman any comments you may have on the proposals put forward for management assistance in the third phase.

Sincerely yours,

Eileen Powell
Development Services Department

Enclosure

Mr. Paul Bierstein
Chief, Community Water Supply
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Avenue Appia
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. Richard H. Demuth

DATE: March 12, 1970

FROM: Hans C. Hittmair

SUBJECT: WHO Experts on Bank Missions

This is in reply to your inquiry of March 2, 1970 regarding the need for PAHO experts to assist us in our economic and sector work in water supply and sewerage in Latin America.

So far we have asked PAHO for experts on two occasions: Colombia (in the field) and Argentina (May 1970). On these two occasions we had sufficient advance warning to contact PAHO in good time to make all necessary arrangements. We have not been approached by the Area Departments so far for any other mission support in water supply and sewerage sectors. For our own purposes we are concentrating our activities on preparatory work required for the 5-year lending program. Parenthetically it should be mentioned that for Latin America we have actually left the field of water supply and sewerage to a large extent to the Inter-American Development Bank.

Aside from the missions to Colombia and Argentina, we will be able to supply the required sector information for Jamaica on the basis of our present lending operations. In Brazil we are involved in a sewerage project for Sao Paulo and have in the past reviewed the potential for water supply operations in the Northeast. In this case too, we will continue to try and keep up-to-date with the development in the national sector but would most likely do this with our own staff.

For the moment we are therefore unable to indicate any specific mission to Latin America during the next fiscal year to June 30, 1971 for which we might require PAHO experts. We would, however, hope that we could as in the past count on PAHO's assistance as and when circumstances required.

WFO



March 12, 1970

Dear Dr. Candau:

On behalf of the President I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 6/1970 and to thank you for having invited the Bank to attend the Twenty-third World Health Assembly which will be convened on May 5 in Geneva.

I am pleased to inform you that the Bank will be represented at the Assembly by Dr. Kandiah Kanagaratnam, Director of the Population Projects Department. I would appreciate it if you would arrange for any further documentation relating to this meeting to be sent to Dr. Kanagaratnam at this address.

Sincerely yours,

Federico Consolo
Special Representative
for
United Nations Organizations

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1211 Geneva 27
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. Richard H. Demuth

DATE: March 10, 1970

FROM: E. Peter Wright *EPW*

SUBJECT: WHO Experts

Regarding your memorandum of March 2 to Mr. Gutierrez, we do not have any firm demands for WHO experts at this time. However, there may be the need for a family planning specialist on the Trinidad mission scheduled for March 1971 if little progress is made on the project included in the lending program. It may thus be advantageous to request one on a tentative basis.

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March 9, 1970

Mr. Calus Atkins
Director
Division of Environmental Health
World Health Organization
Avenue Appia
1211 Geneva
Switzerland

Dear Mr. Atkins:

Enclosed is a copy of the section covering water
and sewerage projects from the "Progress of Operations"
report as at February 28, 1970.

Sincerely yours,



Harold R. Shipman
Chief, Water Supply Division I
Public Utilities Projects Department

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Meanwhile, we look forward to continued close collaboration in relation to the Bank's activities in this field.

Yours sincerely,


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Director, Division of
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WHO -
March 6, 1970

Dr. Abraham Horwitz
Director
Pan American Health Organization
525-23rd Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20007

Dear Dr. Horwitz:

The Bank is scheduling an economic mission to Argentina and would like to include an engineer to review the water supply and sewerage sector. As for the Colombia economic mission, we would like to ask your Organization to assist in staffing the Argentine mission by assigning an engineer staff member of PAHO.

The mission would depart April 26, 1970 for approximately six weeks. One to two months would be subsequently required in Washington for report writing.

If you are agreeable, I would suggest that your staff discuss the candidates and the technical details of the assignment with Mr. Morse, Chief Water Supply Division II. The administrative arrangements would be the responsibility of Mr. Thomas Noone, Personnel Officer of the Bank.

Very truly yours,



Mervyn L. Weiner
Director
Public Utilities Projects Department

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6 March 1970

Sir,

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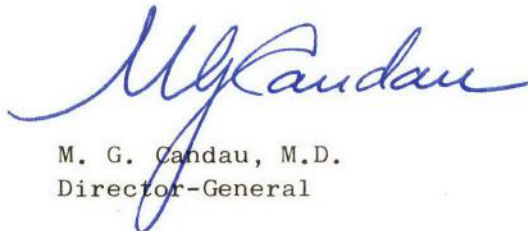
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Sir,

Your obedient Servant,


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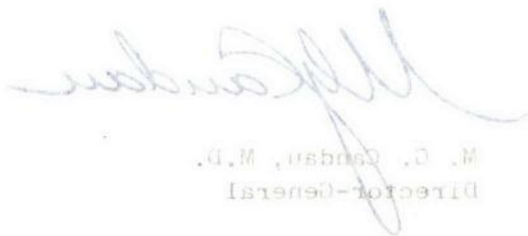
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. Richard H. Demuth

DATE: March 4, 1970

FROM: Gerald Alter *GA*SUBJECT: WHO Experts on Bank Missions

1. In reply to your memorandum of March 2 on the above subject we have examined your list of economic missions scheduled by the South America Department for the period from March 1970 to June 1971. We are pleased to inform you that the countries and dates listed by you are correct, with the exception of the case of Chile where it should be changed to March 1971.

2. As of the present time the only mission for which we have asked for a water supply specialist is that of Argentina in late April 1970. It is our understanding that Mr. Charles A. Morse Jr. of the Public Utilities Projects Department is in contact with the PAHO seeking their assistance in finding an expert in this field for the Argentine mission.

3. We have not yet begun the staffing of our missions during fiscal 1971. Once the staffing starts and the priority sectors of interest are identified we may find that PAHO assistance will be requested at that time. We should start thinking of the specifications of these missions within the next six to eight weeks. At that time we will notify you in the event that additional PAHO experts will be needed.

Messrs. Alter, Gutierrez and Weiner

March 2, 1970

Richard H. Demuth

WHO Experts on Bank Missions

The Pan American Health Organization (PAHO) will be responsible for finding or providing any experts we may request from WHO for missions to Latin America. For planning purposes, Dr. Hector Koll of PAHO has asked me what missions we plan to send out in the next year, and which of them is likely to need an outside health or water supply expert.

According to the last 12-month mission schedule put out by the Economic Committee (EC/O/70-21, dated February 6), the following are the economic, up-dating and special missions scheduled for countries in South and Central America and the Caribbean from March 1970 to June 1971. I should appreciate it if you would verify the correctness of the list for the missions of concern to you, and indicate those for which we may apply to WHO to provide an expert. If there are missions in prospect which are not on the list, please add them. I intend to pass the information on to Dr. Koll, saying that the schedule is subject to change and that any requests for assistance will be directed to WHO in due course.

Central America and Caribbean

Guatemala
Venezuela

March 1970
March/April 1970

Economic mission
Study of development strategies in semi-industrial countries

Mexico
Mexico
Jamaica
Costa Rica
Dominican Republic
El Salvador
Honduras
Trinidad and Tobago
Mexico

April 1970
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July 1970
September 1970
October 1970
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Economic mission
Transport survey
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South America

Brazil
Colombia

March 1970
March/April 1970

Exploration of urban problems
Study of development strategies in semi-industrial countries

South America cont'd

Brazil	April 1970	Economic mission
Peru	April 1970	Economic mission
Argentina	May 1970	Economic mission (water supply expert from Bank staff)
Uruguay	August 1970	Up-dating mission
Paraguay	October 1970	Economic mission
Chile	February 1971	Economic mission
Colombia	February 1971	Economic mission
Brazil	April 1971	Economic mission
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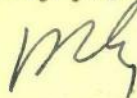
February 19, 1970

Dear Mr. Cohen:

Further to my letter of February 6 regarding the meeting between WHO and the Bank on February 25 and 26, I am attaching for your information a copy of the detailed agenda and a copy of our letter to Mr. Galus Atkins of WHO regarding the proposed discussions.

We look forward to seeing you.

Sincerely yours,



Vincent J. Riley
Chief, Technical Assistance Division
Development Services Department

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Assistant Administrator and Director
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WHO -

Mr. Demuth

February 19, 1970

Michael L. Hoffman

WHO/Bank Meeting - February 25/26, 1970, in Washington

I don't want to harrass you with reading matter on your return, but here is something that you and Vince need to deal with on Tuesday morning.

I have told Weiner that I think they will have to live with WHO's regional set-up and should concentrate on getting changes made in the channels of communication and authority and quality of the regional offices so they can do our work. He seems to agree that it isn't the regional set-up as such but the way it is managed that creates the present difficulties. Of course, there is no harm in trying to get them to centralize as proposed in the brief. We are certainly right to insist on doing away with the panel system.

I also told Mervyn that he would have to wait to talk to you before deciding what, if anything, to say about cost sharing. I said that I just did not know if you had authority to broach and discuss this topic and I did not want to clear the matter with Mr. McNamara in your absence. I pointed out that the briefing paper gives no indication that we would in any case have to get Board and Governors' approval for a joint program with WHO.

Myer Cohen is going to attend the meeting as well as one of their technical people.

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The Director-General of the World Health Organization has the honour to inform the Secretary-General of the United Nations and the executive heads of the specialized agencies and of the International Atomic Energy Agency that the forty-sixth session of the Executive Board of the World Health Organization is to be convened on Monday, 25 May 1970, at the Organization's headquarters, Geneva, Switzerland, and that the provisional agenda for this session will be drawn up in accordance with Rules 8 and 9 of the Rules of Procedure of the Board and dispatched to members of the Board and to Members and Associate Members of the Organization not later than 10 April 1970.

GENEVA, 19 February 1970

Date: 2/24/70
Mr. Dammall
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WHO

Mr. Richard H. Demuth

February 16, 1970

Mervyn L. Weiner

WHO/Bank Meeting - February 25/26, 1970 in Washington

Attached are:

- (a) A copy of the letter of January 30, 1970 which you know, which I sent to Mr. Atkins of WHO together with the expanded draft Agenda for the forthcoming meeting, and
- (b) Briefing notes which comment on the Agenda, anticipate reactions from WHO and propose what positions the Bank should take in these discussions.

What the Bank's posture should be if WHO is unwilling to change its present methods, or if WHO makes such changes dependent upon financial support by the Bank, is the issue raised by this briefing. I hope we can agree on the posture recommended in the briefing and obtain the necessary authorization so that we can finalize this position paper this week prior to the meeting with WHO.

cc: Messrs. Chadenet
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Riley (Development Services)

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cc Pre-Investment Studies

February 16, 1970

Dr. P.M. Dorolle
Deputy Director-General
World Health Organization
Avenue Appia
1211 Geneva 27
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Dear Dr. Dorolle:

I enclose a copy of a paper entitled A Proposed Approach to Pre-investment Study Programs for Developing Countries which may be of interest to you and to some of your staff. It is an internal Bank paper which, as the title indicates, proposes how to assist governments in the programming of the preinvestment studies required as a basis for their investment programs over the coming years.

We prepared this paper to guide our staff, but we also hope it can provide a basis for further discussions within the UN system as we all gain experience in this field. It will, of course, be made available directly to members of your staff who will be participating in forthcoming Bank missions concerned, among other things, with preinvestment requirements in various sectors. While it is not a restricted document, it is a working paper and subject to revision in the light of experience. I would therefore request that you do not give it any general or public distribution but confine its circulation to members of your staff to whose work it directly relates.

I also enclose, for your personal information, a copy of a memorandum from Mr. McNamara to the professional staff of the Bank which explains some of the considerations that gave rise to the Approach paper.

I am writing in a similar vein to FAO, ILO and Unesco. This paper was reviewed by the UNDP before being distributed to the professional staff of the Bank.

Sincerely,

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Associate Director
Development Services Department

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UNDP Geneva 21
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Director General
Dr. B.H. Hoffmann

Very truly yours,
G. Hoffmann

cc: Mr. Hoffmann

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WHO

February 12, 1970

Dear Dr. Candau:

Thank you for your letter of January 30 (P13/372/5), replying to my letter of December 24, which posed a number of questions pertinent to our analysis of the Pearson Commission recommendation that the Bank, in consultation with WHO, should take steps to launch a program for support and coordination of international research in human reproduction and fertility control.

The preliminary and general comments made in your letter will be helpful to us. I look forward to the more detailed response which you plan to send me after the forthcoming Geneva meeting which will consider current activities concerned with promotion and stimulation of research in human reproduction. As soon as you inform us when the meeting is to be held, we shall make every effort to arrange for attendance by a representative of the Bank, as you have kindly suggested.

Sincerely,

(Signed) Robert S. McNamara

Robert S. McNamara

Dr. M. G. Candau
Director-General
World Health Organization
1211 Geneva 27
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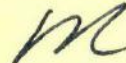
On February 25 and 26 a meeting is scheduled in Washington between officials of WHO and the Bank. This meeting is intended to cover a number of areas of common interest to WHO and the Bank, particularly in the field of water supply and sewerage. One of these is of particular interest to UNDP in that it will deal with the scope and mechanisms for pre-investment surveys and sector and feasibility studies in UNDP-financed projects.

I understand that Mr. Paul-Marc Henry, during a recent visit to Geneva, was apprised of this meeting by WHO, and during the recent Governing Council meeting, I also spoke with him about it. We all believe that it would be highly desirable for UNDP to send a participant to these meetings, at least when the items of particular interest to UNDP are being discussed. Mr. Henry suggested, and we agree, that Mr. John Cella would be a most appropriate UNDP representative if he could be made available.

A copy of our draft agenda is attached. Mr. Cella's presence is requested particularly for the discussion of item II, which if agreeable to you, would be tentatively scheduled for the afternoon of February 25.

I will appreciate your advising us if you will be represented at the meeting and if so whether the proposed time for discussion of item II is agreeable.

Sincerely yours,



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IBRD-WHO Meeting
February 25 and 26, 1970

Tentative Agenda

Conference Room, D Building, 11th Floor

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25

9:30 a.m. Introductory Comment - IBRD (Mr. Demuth or Mr. Weiner)
- WHO, Mr. Atkins

Agenda Item I - Discussion of ongoing and projection of potential new projects, sector studies, and other activities of both organizations for the five-year period 1970-1974 in the field of water supply and sewerage.

12:30 p.m. Luncheon - Executive Dining Room

2:15 p.m. Agenda Item II - Scope and mechanisms for UNDP pre-investment surveys and sector and economic studies in the field of water supply and sewerage.

5:00 p.m. Adjournment

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26

9:30 a.m. Agenda Item I (if not completed during first morning)

Agenda Item III - Review of, and proposals for, procedures to improve the pace and quality of work on projects of joint concern to both organizations (WHO and IBRD); discussion of the implications of this review and of the proposals for staffing, coordination, procedures, mechanisms, channels of communication, cost and financial arrangements, and exchange of staff.

12:30 p.m. Luncheon - Executive Dining Room

2:15 p.m. Agenda Item III - (completion)

5:00 p.m. Adjournment

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February 4, 1970

Dear Dick:

WHO - 45th Session - Executive Board Meeting - Jan. 22-30, 1970

As arranged with Ernesto Franco, I attended part of the above meeting and I enclose two copies of a short report to Files. There was nothing discussed which had particular interest for us, the only reference to the Bank proper being the announcement that WHO would participate in our major economic missions. This announcement elicited no comment from the Board members.

Kenya Consultative Group

For the last two days I have attended the Kenya Consultative Group meeting here which I think went very well. Michael Lejeune will be reporting on it in detail. I think he was satisfied and he certainly did an excellent job as Chairman.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: Files

DATE: February 4, 1970

FROM: G. C. Wishart *W*SUBJECT: World Health Organization - 45th Session of the
Executive Board Meeting - January 22 - 30, 1970

1. I represented the World Bank Group at part of the above session of the Executive Board of the World Health Organization. It was difficult to find out the exact dates on which the items, which have some particular interest for the Bank, would be coming up, so I arranged to attend during the middle of the session, from Friday January 23 through Wednesday January 28. This enabled me to get a fairly good idea of most of the subjects under discussion. The other United Nations' specialized agencies were represented only at some of the sessions, mainly in the first week, except for Sir Herbert Broadley who represented UNICEF throughout the complete two weeks. I am sure it is not necessary for the Bank Group to be represented at all the daily meetings of the Executive Board and that attendance for a few days meets the requirement of courtesy to a sister agency and also provides sufficient insight into the work of WHO.

2. The members of the Executive Board are 20 representatives nominated by WHO member countries which exercise a right of nomination on a rotation basis. The Executive Board members are either Chief Medical Officers in their own countries or other important officials from Ministries of Health. When speaking on administrative and financial matters, they obviously had received briefing and instructions from their home governments. On matters concerning public health, however, one had the feeling that they spoke as medical men on their own authority.

Limitation of Smoking

3. One of the first items at the meeting was the passing of a resolution, sponsored by Sir George Godber of the United Kingdom and Dr. Layton of Canada, requesting those attending WHO meetings to refrain from smoking cigarettes in the room where the meetings were held. Thereafter, it was interesting to watch some of the participants and certain of the supporting staff at the coffee breaks when at last they felt free to light up a cigarette.

Working Capital Fund

4. Before I arrived at the Executive Board meetings, there had been quite a debate regarding the Working Capital Fund which is held at the disposal of the Director General to meet unexpected contingencies. In particular, the Working Capital Fund had been used on occasions when the largest major contributor (the United States) had been late in paying in its agreed subscription. For a number of years, the Working Capital Fund had been fixed at 20% of the working budget but the Director General (Dr. Candau) now proposed that for the future it should be established at the lower level of 15% of the effective budget. This reduced level still seemed too high to various Board members and Dr. Layton (Canada) put forward a resolution to abolish the concept of a percentage of the budget and instead to substitute a fixed sum of \$10 million for the Working Capital Fund. The Director General was not prepared to accept that he could manage on this basis and there was a long discussion on the subject before a compromise resolution was agreed fixing the amount of the Fund at \$11 million, subject to annual review.

Review of the Programme and Budget Estimates for 1971

5. I attended this debate. To an observer, the interest in this debate was not so much in the actual financial estimates, all of which had already been worked over by the Standing Committee on Administration and Finance, but rather on the discussion which arose regarding the work of each of the divisions. The odd question put to a Division Chief by one or other of the Board members often generated quite a lively exchange on different public health programmes. For example, the following came up:-

- (a) Sir George Godber of the United Kingdom asked for advice regarding the wider use of vaccines against outbreaks of influenza and the effectiveness of protection against the current strain of influenza virus. He was told that vaccines had proved useful in the case of the elderly, the very young and those with chronic conditions. Tests were still going on to try and find more effective vaccines.
- (b) Dr. Layton of Canada raised the question of the conflict between the use of DDT for malaria eradication, etc., while at the same time research showed that the environment is being widely

contaminated by DDT residues. The reply weighed the advantages of the use of DDT against the possible hazards. WHO was making a major effort to find insecticides which could replace DDT. Certain better alternatives were in fact available but their manufactured cost was still prohibitive. The search was for a new compound which could be manufactured within a reasonable price range. In the meantime, DDT must be used to control malaria, etc., otherwise there might be a public health disaster.

- (c) Concern was expressed at the greatly increased rates of venereal diseases. In this connection, the Head of the appropriate Division spoke on some research which might eventually help against these diseases. In particular, there was experimentation with vaccines which were already proving very successful when tried out on animals.
- (d) There was a full report on the monitoring of adverse reactions to drugs with particular reference to a pilot project located at Alexandria, Va., which was working in liaison with ten national centres in other countries. Funds to carry on this programme were short but, during the course of the Executive Board meeting, various countries agreed to make special contributions to enable the work of these pilot project centres to be continued for a further period.

Organizational Study on Coordination
with the United Nations and Specialized Agencies

6. A Report of a Working Group (EB45/4) on the above subject was tabled for discussion on the day before I arrived. This report led various Board members to express their concern at the enormous amount of work created by the establishment of so many coordination committees. These committees include not only ACC but also working groups to coordinate work with IAEA, UNICEF, etc. Sir George Godber pointed out that all this coordination work was costing WHO 2% of its budget. In his reply, the Director General pointed out that the United Nations' own operations had expanded considerably, particularly in the economic and social sphere. He could provide a whole list of subjects including population and water supply where there were common areas of understanding. He thought the cooperation between WHO and UNICEF was particularly useful in developing health programmes, and he also spoke of good cooperation between WHO and ILO, FAO and UNESCO. The problem of coordination at the country

level was another matter and this could only be solved by the individual countries themselves.

Incidentally, Sir Herbert Broadley of UNICEF tackled me on this question and pointed out that WHO was listing as coordination expenses the cost of regular meetings between officials of the two agencies on project matters. Sir Herbert thought that these should be treated as project costs and not as coordination expenses. Later, Sir Herbert made a statement to the Board regarding these WHO/UNICEF costs.

Coordination with the United Nations and Specialized Agencies

7. A report on all coordination activities was also tabled for discussion (EB45/18). This report listed all decisions of the U.N. General Assembly and the ECOSOC which had a bearing on the work of WHO. It also went into detail on the cooperation between WHO and UNDP, UNICEF and WFP. Finally, the report dealt with various matters of mutual interest to WHO and other specialized agencies.

On the section dealing with United Nations' decisions, the following comments were made:-

- (a) Dr. N'Garo of Central African Republic hoped that the strategy for DD II would stress the importance of preventative measures against diseases.
- (b) Professor Rexed of Sweden said that the International Narcotics Commission hoped to produce a useful protocole at an early date.
- (c) Dr. N'Garo also commented on the U.N. resolution on decolonisation and regretted that certain international agencies had not been able to take appropriate action.
- (d) Dr. Street of Jamaica asked for a good name for the Second Development Decade. He had already seen references that the Secretary General of the United Nations was referring to it as the "Disarmament Decade" and one UNESCO publication called it the "International Hydrological Decade". He thought it most important that a good descriptive and challenging name be found for the second decade.

Under the heading of WHO's relationship with specialized agencies, there was a report on the Bank's plan for a programme of economic missions and it was stated that the Bank had requested to WHO to cooperate in the implementation of this programme. The Director General had promised that WHO would do so. When that part of the report was reached, however, there was no comment or discussion.

Report of United Nations' Joint Inspection Unit (EB45/15)

8. The Executive Board took this report very seriously. Dr. Ehrlich of the United States considered that these reports were of real interest and value and that they should receive good attention from the Executive Board. He particularly referred to a criticism that "counterparts" were not always being made available to back up the technical assistance personnel provided by some of the specialized agencies. To this, the Director General made a good reply, pointing out that the job of technical assistance is to produce the "counterparts" and that these cannot be expected always to be available from the start. For example, WHO had arranged to send out professors to various developing countries. These professors would start courses which would eventually produce local professors to take over.

Date of Next Meeting

9. It was agreed that the forty-sixth session of the Executive Board would be held in Geneva beginning on Monday, May 25, 1970.

cc: Mr. Demuth (2)
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Documents available from Paris Office if required

- List of Members (EB45/36 Rev. 1)
- Review of the Organizational Study on Coordination with the United Nations and the Specialized Agencies (EB45/4)
- Coordination with other Organizations: the United Nations, the Specialized Agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency (EB45/38)
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Second Report of the Ad Hoc Committee of Experts to examine the Finances of the U.N. and the Specialized Agencies - Progress Report on Implementation.
- Coordination with other Organizations on Administrative, Budgetary and Financial Matters (EB45/15)
- Coordination with other Organizations, the United Nations, the Specialized Agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency - Programme Matters (EB45/18).

Resolutions passed

- Future Organizational Study by the Executive Board (EB45.R16)
- Review of the Working Capital Fund (EB45.R18)
- Coordination with other Organizations, the United Nations, the Specialized Agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency - Administrative, Budgetary and Financial Matters (EB45.R33)
- Review of the Organizational Study on Coordination with the United Nations and the Specialized Agencies (EB45.R34)
- Coordination with other Organizations on Administrative, Budgetary and Financial Matters - Reports of the Joint Inspection Unit (EB45.R35)
- Coordination with other Organizations: the United Nations, the Specialized Agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency - Second Report of the Ad Hoc Committee of Experts to examine the Finances of the United Nations and the Specialized Agencies - Progress Report on Implementation (EB45.R36)
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Again, the experience of WHO field research teams who have evaluated new pharmacological agents in other areas of health, such as schistosomiasis and malaria, suggests that similar efforts would be rewarding in regard to fertility control agents and methods. The World Health Assembly has already approved the establishment of a field team for intermediate level studies of fertility regulating agents in different ecological settings. The network of international and regional reference centres is another pertinent mechanism in which we have had long and useful experience in other areas of health, and our governing bodies have approved the setting up of such a network of reference centres in the field of human reproduction. These centres help in developing a suitable standardized methodology for basic and applied research projects, and assist in training workers on a national and regional basis. WHO is, of course, in a unique position to bridge the gap between the potential of health services in the less developed countries and the scientific technology in this field developed in the sophisticated laboratories of the more developed countries.

You refer in your letter to "population research". I agree that, in addition to research in reproductive biology and fertility control, there is an important need to expand epidemiological, administrative and operational research as related to family planning and population. These areas of research are being neglected, and, although we are making efforts to stimulate research in them, funds continue to be restricted. International co-ordination in such studies would be most fruitful. My impression, from Mr Salas's recent letter, is that support for research in human reproduction is not one of the priorities of the United Nations Fund for Population Activities. A separate fund may therefore be indicated, and several possibilities exist for institutional arrangements. Within WHO, we have long established mechanisms for the administration of special funds for specific purposes, and these mechanisms could easily be utilised for research in human reproduction as well.

It is clear that there is an urgent need for strengthening existing research activities and institutions, particularly in those less developed countries where research in human reproduction and fertility control is being given high priority but is inadequately funded. At the same time, I think there is room for the establishment of additional international research and training centres to support national institutions. For example, at the request of certain governments, we have already begun to discuss the possibilities of establishing regional research institutions

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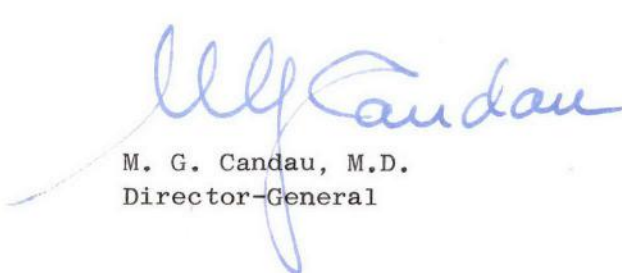
in reproduction and fertility control. There is evidence to indicate that, when properly structured, such regional centres can be used to strengthen national programmes.

The question of the dissemination of information on and knowledge of current research is, of course, an important one. In research in human reproduction, in particular, the scientific community is witnessing what might be called an information explosion. The classical methods of disseminating information must be modernised. It should also be remembered that simple methods can sometimes lead to rapid publication of results and reports. A case in point is a recent symposium organized by the Karolinska Institute, with a grant from the Ford Foundation and in collaboration with WHO, whose Proceedings were published and distributed within three months of the date of the meeting.

There are of course many other aspects of research in human reproduction and fertility control, e.g., the role of the pharmaceutical industry; the potential contributions of a unifocal, large scale undertaking on a specific problem such as contraception; the application of knowledge; and the improvement of educational, social welfare and health services for the promotion of reproductive health, including fertility control. These aspects and others are pertinent to the Pearson Commission Report.

This is only a partial reply to your letter, which I shall answer in detail after I have considered the report of the meeting mentioned above. I should, however, like to take this opportunity to repeat here briefly what I said at the IACB meeting last October. Then, as you will recall, I expressed my admiration for the report, but did feel - and continue to feel perhaps even more strongly now - that it underestimated the problems which have to be faced in the field of health. I also mentioned that an appreciable amount of the information contained in it on health matters was also misleading. The whole tone of the report could, I fear, very easily give the impression that everything is progressing well in the field of health and that the only problem that has to be faced at the present time is that of population control. I am afraid that if this view is accepted by governments, the final result will be a reduction in population due not to fertility control for which we are all striving, but to the depredations of unchecked disease.

Yours sincerely,



M. G. Candau, M.D.
Director-General

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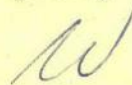
on Bank policy, procedures and requirements to enable him to review the project effectively and insure that it will meet our requirements. We have been able to do this in some instances in the past, but we seriously doubt that we will be able to do so in future if the number of projects increases as we expect. A related issue is the quality of consultants and the need to insure a uniform and high level of competence.

While we appreciate that Dr. Wolman's comments on the regional structure of WHO and the difficulties of central office control of field operations constitute a delicate subject, we do hope that you would be prepared to exchange views on how we might develop more direct channels for field supervision in future. One approach might be that on projects which the Bank is likely to help finance, personnel, whose costs might be paid in part by the Bank, wherever they may be stationed, should deal directly with the countries.

We note that you concur in having UNDP representation during the discussion of Agenda Item 2, and we are issuing an invitation to UNDP accordingly. During a visit to New York last week, Mr. Riley of our Development Services Department explored this question briefly with UNDP and we understand that Mr. Cella, Mr. Albani's successor, is likely to be nominated.

We also look forward to knowing whether the agenda as now expanded and the explanation of Item 3 provide sufficient information for your requirements. We will welcome suggestions for any further changes or additions which you feel desirable.

Sincerely yours,



Mervyn L. Weiner
Director

Public Utilities Projects Department

Attachments

Cleared with and cc: Mr. Demuth (Development Services)

cc: Messrs. Hittmair, Shipman, Morse

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WHO-BANK MEETING

February 25-26, 1970

Expanded Draft Agenda

I. Discussion of ongoing and projection of potential new projects, sector studies, and other activities of both organizations for the Five-Year period 1970-1974 in the field of water supply and sewerage.

1), projects on which WHO is now working and for which the Bank/IDA is likely to consider lending. These are:

China - Taipei Sewage - sewage (1974); water (1972)

Uganda - Kampala, Jinja Water & Sewage (1973)

Turkey - Istanbul Water & Sewage (1971)

Senegal - Dakar water (1972)

Philippines - Manila Sewage

Ceylon - National Water - Colombo Water Supply (1973)

Morocco - National Water (1972)

Nigeria - Ibadan Sewage

Ghana - 2nd stage

Nepal (1973)

Cambodia

Ivory Coast

Algeria

Iran

Yugoslavia (1971)

2) countries where Bank/IDA lending in water and sewerage is scheduled and where WHO might be able to help. These are:

Togo (1973)

Sierra Leone

Thailand - water (1971)
sewage (1972)

Gabon

Dahomey (1974)

Upper Volta

India (1973)

Congo K (1975)

Ethiopia - Addis Ababa (1971)
Humera (1972)

Colombia - medium sized cities (1972) (1974)

Indonesia (1972/1973)

Malaysia - Ipoh Sewage (1972)
Kuala Lumpur Sewage (1973)

Philippines - Manila Water (1972)

Nicaragua (1972)

- 3) Countries where sector studies are needed, with an indication of suggested year for studies. (These are listed without knowing at this stage to what extent WHO would be involved):

<u>1970</u>	<u>1971</u>	<u>1972</u>	<u>1973</u>
Colombia	Thailand	Ceylon	Dahomey
Argentina	China	Nepal	Cameroon
Indonesia	Philippines	Yugoslavia	Niger
Turkey	Morocco	Kenya	Gabon
Nigeria	Ethiopia	Uganda	
	Ivory Coast	Togo	
		Upper Volta	

- 4) Economic missions:
 - a) Objective of sector review;
 - b) Scheduling and work load - see attached list; (Annex A) of missions in 1970 and 1971 for
 - c) countries subject to annual review by the Bank;
 - c) Role of WHO.
- 5) Other activities in water and sewerage of possible interest to WHO-Bank for consideration:
 - a) Consultants seminars;
 - b) Management seminars;
 - c) Management advisory teams;
 - d) Operation and Maintenance teams;
 - e) Regional Sector or National Program development seminars.

II. Scope and mechanisms for UNDP pre-investment surveys and sector and economic studies in the field of water supply and sewerage. (The overlap with Item I has been left since the UNDP representative will only be involved in Item II.)

- a) Sector and Economic Studies:
 - 1) UNDP/WHO and the sector study work load described in Item a. 3.
 - 2) Possibilities for a multi-country UNDP approach to sector studies.
 - 3) Problems in combining sector studies with the study of a specific project. For example: Country A wants studies leading to investment in water supply for its capital city. Can a sector study be tacked on?
 - 4) Economic missions:
 - (1) staff requirements;
 - (2) role of WHO;
 - (3) administrative aspects;
 - (4) financial or other restraints requiring clarification.

- b) Bankable projects
- c) Institution building
- d) Long range studies (Master Plans)
- e) Training
- f) "Feedback"

III. Review of, and proposals for, procedures to improve the pace and quality of work on projects of joint concern to both organizations. Discussion of the implications of this review and of the proposals for staffing, coordination, procedures, mechanisms, channels of communication, cost and financial arrangements, and exchange of staff.

- a) Expert Panels vs. Permanent Staffing in Geneva:
 - 1) Feasibility and problems;
 - 2) Financial implications;
 - 3) Decisions.
- b) Channels of Communication between:
 - 1) WHO headquarters and Bank;
 - 2) Project and Bank;
 - 3) Project and WHO;
 - 4) WHO Regional Offices and Bank;
 - 5) PAHO-Bank.
- c) Exchange of staff:
 - 1) Type of staff involved;
 - 2) Duration of exchange;
 - 3) Implications:
 - a) Financial
 - b) Administrative
 - 4) Conclusions on feasibility and actions proposed.
- d) Technical assistance and training:
 - 1) Feasibility of one or more management teams operated by WHO for assignment to areas around world.
 - 2) Requirements for training in the immediate future and adequacy of present approaches and facilities.
 - 3) Financial and other implications for the immediate future.

Future Economic Missions to Countries Subject to Annual Review by the Bank
(As of December 19, 1969)

<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>Missions scheduled Jan. 70 - June '71</u>
<u>East Africa</u>	
Congo K	March 1970 (February 1971)
Ethiopia	January 1970 (February 1971)
Kenya	September-October 1970
Sudan	June 1970 (June 1971)
Tanzania	September - October 1970
Uganda	September - October 1970
<u>West Africa</u>	
Ghana	April 1970 (April 1971)
Ivory Coast	November 1970
Nigeria	April 1970 (April 1971)
<u>East Asia and Pacific</u>	
China	March 1970 (March 1971)
Indonesia	October 1970
Korea	September 1970
Malaysia	January 1971
Philippines	April 1970 (April 1971)
Thailand	January 1970 (January 1971)
<u>South Asia</u>	
Afghanistan	March 1970
Ceylon	October 1970
India	January 1970
Iran	September 1970
Pakistan E)	March 1970 (March 1971)
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<u>Europe, Middle East & North Africa</u>	
Morocco	April 1970 (April 1971)
Spain	October 1970 (Spring 1971)
Tunisia	January 1970 (November 1970)
Turkey	March 1970 (Spring 1971)
U.A.R.	May 1970 (May 1971)
Yugoslavia	October 1970
<u>Central America & Caribbean</u>	
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<u>South America</u>	
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Brazil	April 1970 (April 1971)
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Peru	April 1970 (April 1971)

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~~Many thanks.~~

~~Francis~~

From Harold Shipman

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In reply please refer to: W2/86/2 (16)

Prière de rappeler la référence:

Dear Mr Alagappan,

We would refer to UNESCO's letter SCE/HYD/571/40/16.689 of 30 October 1969, in which Mr da Costa asks that we should inform you directly of our suggestions concerning the chart of "Main Fields of Activity of Governmental and Non-Governmental Organizations in the Field of Hydrology".

After a careful study by the various units concerned, we submit the following comments which we believe could lead to a more accurate presentation of the position.

1. Headings

We feel that the column headings may be misleading. UNESCO's column is headed "Scientific aspects", but to a great extent the work of all agencies involves the scientific aspects of their respective disciplines.

Equally, the work of WHO is not restricted to health aspects alone, since in the field of community water supply, waste disposal and control of pollution, we are involved in organization, management, economics, finance and operation, to name but a few other aspects.

Again, the word "international" in the heading for UN might suggest that the work of the other agencies is not international in character.

Hence, at the expense of brevity, we would suggest the following amendments:

UNESCO: scientific aspects of hydrology.
WHO: operational aspects, hydrology and meteorology.
WHO: community supplies, wastes disposal, pollution control, and health aspects of water resource development.
UN: omit the word "international".

An expansion of FAO's heading, to include, say, fisheries and animal husbandry might also be considered desirable.

Our remaining comments refer only to the WHO column.

Mr G. Alagappan
Chief, Water Resources Section
Resources and Transport Division
United Nations
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cc: members of the ACC Sub-Committee

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2. Basic Data

- change to: - Water quality for all purposes.
- Availability of resources for community use.

3. Inventories

- change to: - Quality and quantity evaluation for community use,
recreation and waste disposal, including ground water
exploration for community supplies.
- Degradation of resources.
- Health aspects of reuse and recharge for all purposes.

4. Research

- change to: - Research and development on community water supply, wastes
disposal, quality management and the prevention and
control of pollution of water resources.

5. Exchange of Information

- change to: - Water quality criteria, guides and standards.
- Exchange of information on technical aspects of community
water supply; wastewater collection, treatment and
disposal; water quality management; prevention and
control of pollution.

6. Education and Training

- change to: - Professional training in sanitary engineering, management
and surveillance of community water supplies and wastes
disposal, water quality control.
- Sub-professional training, including plant operators,
drillers, laboratory staffs and other ancillary personnel.

We trust that you will find the above suggested amendments acceptable,
and look forward to seeing the revised chart in due course.

Yours sincerely,

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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DATE: January 19, 1970

FROM: Harold R. Shipman *HS*SUBJECT: WHO/Bank Meeting - February 25 and 26

On January 19, I talked with Mr. Paul Bierstein, Chief, Community Water Supply Section, WHO, Geneva, in connection with the paragraph of their letter of January 12 which refers to Item 2 of the Agenda for the proposed WHO/Bank meeting in February. This is the item on which we proposed that UNDP might be invited to take part.

In the WHO reply to our proposal, they indicated that they had been in touch with Paul Marc Henry of UNDP and that he had indicated keen interest in the meeting. I told Mr. Bierstein that we were somewhat concerned with this development since it was my understanding that the Bank hoped to keep the meeting at the working levels as far as possible. Mr. Bierstein said that he felt there was no reason for concern since they had informed Mr. Henry of the proposal as a matter of information during the inter-agency review meeting, and like myself, Mr. Bierstein felt that either Mr. Albani or Mr. Ambroggi would be the logical choices to attend. He suggested that the Bank get in touch with Mr. Albani and determine from him who should represent UNDP. The Bank could then inform WHO and could also extend a formal invitation. I communicated this information to Mr. Riley of Development Services by phone while he was in New York on January 19. He informed me that Mr. Albani is no longer with UNDP and has been replaced by Mr. Sella. He believed the latter would be well suited to represent UNDP at the meetings and was to explore the matter informally with him before returning to Washington.

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15 January 1970

Dear Mr. McNamara:

One of the significant functions of the Pan American Health Organization is the coordination of the Inter-American Meeting on Foot-and-Mouth Disease and Zoonoses Control which is conducted at the ministerial level.

In implementation of Resolution XV approved at the II Meeting held in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, 14-17 May 1969, I take pleasure in inviting you to attend the next Meeting to be held in Buenos Aires, Argentina from 14 to 17 April 1970.

... The attached provisional agenda has been prepared in accordance with the recommendations of the Ministers and participants during previous meetings. Topics of major significance include: 1) foot-and-mouth disease and zoonoses prevention and control programs being conducted in the Continent; 2) the work of the Pan American Foot-and-Mouth Disease and Zoonoses Centers as coordinators of these programs; 3) a subject of particular significance at the present time, the development of food and nutrition programs in the countries of the Hemisphere; and 4) the important role played by health and agriculture organizations in them.

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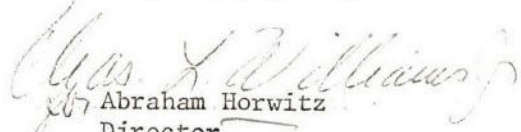
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I am sure you agree with me about the importance of this Meeting which is why I sincerely hope that you will be able to attend personally. If you find you cannot attend, it would be advantageous to have as your designated representative one who has responsibilities related to the field of animal production and livestock development.

I look forward to the pleasure of greeting you personally in Buenos Aires.

Very truly yours,


for Abraham Horwitz
Director

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cc: Mr. Don Stoops
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12 January 1970

Dear Mr Weiner,

This refers to your letter of 22 December 1969 concerning the proposed WHO/Bank meeting and will confirm my cable to you as follows:

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In reviewing the provisional agenda attached to your letter we note that your item number 1 includes portions of items 1 and 2 suggested with my letter of 8 December 1969. This is, of course, agreeable to us.

In your agenda item number 2 it is noted that definitions are not included of some of the sub-items. We are particularly interested in arriving at working definitions of some of the sub-items such as sector studies, bankable projects, long-range studies and "feed-back". It is felt that some preliminary exchange of opinion on these by correspondence at the technical level in advance of the meeting would be helpful. We would be prepared to offer tentative definitions of these items for discussion purposes if you feel it would be appropriate.

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January 8, 1970

Dear Dr. Romney: ✓

I have been asked to acknowledge your kind letter to Mr. McNamara of the 19 of December 1969. He was interested to learn of your sympathetic reception of his remarks on population, in relation to economic development, in recent speeches. The Bank will be continuing its efforts to make countries aware of the adverse effects of rapid growths of population on the development prospects.

I note that you will be visiting the United States in February 1970, and I would like to suggest that you may wish to get in touch with the Director of our Population Projects Department, Dr. K. Kanagaratnam, if you wish to pursue the points in your letter in greater detail. I will also be happy to see you if you are able to visit the Bank. In planning your visit you may wish to take into account the fact that Dr. Kanagaratnam will not be back in the Bank before March, 1970.

Yours sincerely,

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POSITION PAPER

Collaboration between The World Health Organization (WHO) and the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (the World Bank)

Basis for Collaboration

The basis of collaboration between WHO and the Bank is set forth in a memorandum (see Annex A) prepared after discussions held between the two organizations in December 1964. The Bank expressed the wish that at least initially, an informal working relationship be established rather than the formal arrangements worked out with FAO and UNESCO. It also desired that collaboration be confined to the field of water supply and sewage disposal. Subsequent to the meeting in 1964, several meetings have been held between staff to work out difficulties and clarify procedures. The most recent meeting was in June 1968. For the most part, relationships have been friendly. WHO has made substantial efforts to accommodate requests and suggestions made by Bank staff and the Bank on its part has arranged to forward information on its activities and for staff to stop at WHO headquarters or at regional offices to help expedite work on UNDP projects. From almost the first, however, problems began to develop because of slowness with which projects were completed and because of the frequent lack of attention given to economic considerations. More recently, these difficulties have seemed to be increasing. Perhaps this is because the number of projects is growing. It appears important at this time to re-examine the situation and to explore ways by which the present arrangements for project identification and development might be improved.

WHO's Role in Projects now under Development

At the present time, of the 29 projects under development which are included in the Five Year Plan and which will probably be appraised in the next two to three years, two are being developed by engineering services provided by bilateral funds, 13 by local funds, 8 by UNDP funds with WHO acting as executing agency and 6 by other funds. On the UNDP projects, WHO has been involved from the beginning in assisting the respective countries with preparation of the initial request to UNDP and with development of the substance and form of the report which supports the request to the UNDP Governing Council.

WHO Responsibility for Water

Within the UN family, WHO has been recognized as the agency responsible for community water supply and UNDP has assigned to WHO, as executing agency, all projects clearly identified as related to municipal systems. The authorization for WHO to undertake this activity and to extend its responsibilities beyond the function of only water quality is set forth in a series of resolutions passed by the World Health Assembly at a number of its meetings. The more pertinent of these resolutions are abstracted and set forth in Annex C.

WHO Organization for Water and Sewerage

WHO has 127 members and two associate members. Its work is carried out by the World Health Assembly, an Executive Board and a Secretariat. Each member State has a representative in the Health Assembly, which meets every year to formulate policies, to review and approve the budget, and to take other actions related to its objectives. The Executive Board has 24 members who serve for three years and meet at least twice a year. The Secretariat consists of the Director-General, four Assistant Directors-General and other technical and administrative staff. The Division of Environmental Health carries responsibility for water and sewerage and is attached directly to one of the Assistant Directors-General.

WHO has six Regional Organizations covering the Americas^{1/}, Africa, South East Asia, Europe, the Eastern Mediterranean and the Western Pacific. Most of its operational activities are carried out through these regional offices, each of which is headed by a Regional Director, elected by the countries of the region.

The engineering staff at headquarters and in the regional offices is described in Annex D. In addition to these engineers, WHO has a substantial number of engineers stationed in countries. A few of the country engineers devote full time to water supply and/or sewerage, but most have a multiple function covering all environmental health activities (primarily sanitation) of which water and sewerage are part. It will be noted in Annex D that the American Region of WHO is represented by the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO) and that in that region there is an additional administrative layer composed of six zone offices in each of which is located a zone engineer. Also, each country of that region is, with few exceptions, served by one and sometimes two or more engineers.

Assessment of Present Situation in Water and Sewerage

Attention has been called on numerous occasions to the magnitude of the water and sewerage problems among the member countries of the Bank. The most recent is the paper prepared by Dr. Abel Wolman^{2/} a consultant employed by the Bank to assess and advise on the status of its operations in the field of water and sewerage. Dr. Wolman concludes that there is need in the developing countries for the rate of investment by the Bank in water and sewerage to double or triple.

It is nothing new in Bank experience that one of the major obstacles to increased lending has been the absence of well prepared projects. This has certainly been the experience in water and sewerage. Coupled with the lack of good individual projects has also been the absence in most of the developing countries

^{1/} The Pan American Health Organization (PAHO), WHO's Regional organization for the Americas, is also a specialized agency of the Organization of American States.

^{2/} A Memorandum on Policies and Practices of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development. April 14, 1969.

of a well conceived program which permits an understanding of where particular projects fit and what the objectives and investment needs of the sector will be for the coming years.

Since the time of the arrangements made in 1964, the Bank has relied almost exclusively on WHO as the mechanism for identifying and developing projects outside the normal flow coming directly from countries from projects engineered locally or with bilateral assistance. In his report to the Bank, Dr. Wolman notes the need for a substantially greater number of projects from which the Bank can select. He reasons that this is necessary, both because of the need for more projects on which to invest and because the Bank should have greater choice between projects, selecting those where less preparatory time is required prior to appraisal.

In discussing Bank-WHO arrangements for project development and sector studies, Dr. Wolman states that identification of important projects is not an orderly process and that sector reviews are rare. He states that difficulties in WHO are undoubtedly due to lack of staff and to the autonomous nature of the regions. He concludes that negotiations with WHO by the Bank would appear to be a first order of business, and that some financial aid to WHO would undoubtedly be entailed.

Although not necessarily accepting all of Dr. Wolman's conclusions, we can agree that there is need for developing a greater number of well prepared projects in countries and areas where the priority for water and sewerage projects is high.

Considering the substantial resource of engineering personnel which WHO has and which can be applied to the world water and sewerage problems, it must be agreed that WHO has an important role to play in identifying and developing more and better quality projects. At the same time, it appears that a useful purpose might be served if the Bank itself were to become more actively involved in the development and execution of projects. As an arrangement to be considered for the immediate future, a double headed approach is proposed, consisting first of an effort to improve WHO's effectiveness, and second, of directing more Bank effort toward project development and UNDP project execution.

I. Efforts to Improve WHO Effectiveness

Before discussing ways and means to assist WHO, problems thus far observed and encountered in working with WHO should be explained. Although admittedly based on a somewhat limited number of projects over the last two or three years, several general observations appear valid:

1. The amount of time required to bring projects to a point where the Bank can appraise is excessive.
2. The quality of project development and supervision is frequently not good and there is little opportunity for consistency in improvement so long as present procedures are employed.

3. WHO's contacts and channels within countries are/have been unsuited for working in the municipal water and sewerage field.
4. WHO's approach in dealing with countries differs from that of the Bank in that it has less leverage and must rely almost entirely on the ability of its field personnel to gain cooperation from national officials.
5. WHO is an organization made up, for the most part, of people who have never thought in economic terms.

In the following paragraphs each of these particular difficulties is discussed and followed by proposals on what the Bank might do to be of help.

A. Time Required by WHO to prepare projects

Annex E lists UNDP projects in process of completion by WHO. To date only one project has been developed through the UNDP route by WHO which lead to appraisal by the Bank - (GHANA). Getting a project underway is a lengthy process. Delays have occurred at all steps in preparing projects but one which is particularly frustrating is the inordinate length of time between the Governing Council approval and when the consultant is actually at work. In some cases nearly one year has elapsed, due in part by the failure to anticipate problems with the host government on the Plan of Operations.

The reason for the slow rate of progress appears to stem in considerable degree from WHO's combination of decentralized structure, where regional offices insist on controlling all activities which take place in the countries of the region, and headquarters' insistence on control of UNDP liaison and UNDP funds for execution. The result is that requests for action at either end of the chain between country project and headquarters have to pass through the regional office. This coupled with slow mails, strange siting for regional offices^{1/} and overworked staff at regional and headquarters levels, leads to frustration and delay for consultants, national officials and WHO staff alike.

Although some progress has been realized in the past six months by way of headquarters staff receiving authority to visit field projects without first getting approval of the regional office, no progress, so far as is known, has been made in by-passing the regional office in postal communications. Although WHO headquarters staff are the first to criticize the shortcomings of the present system, most believe that there is little or no chance of changing it. They are, at the same time, opposed to decentralizing responsibility entirely to the regional level, although probably this would politically be much easier to arrange. From the Bank's and UNDP's standpoint, the problem of dealing with six regional offices does not appear particularly attractive, even if each were staffed with a sufficient number of competent engineering personnel to assure the effectiveness of their supervision.

1/ Examples of Regional Office locations-Eastern Mediterranean Office at Alexandria, Egypt, which serves among others East and West Pakistan; African Regional Office at Brazzaville, Congo, which serves all of the East African countries as well as West Africa.

In spite of the foregoing discouraging picture, there appear to be some things which could be done to improve matters. However, since these relate in part to approaches to be considered in dealing with the other major problems, the latter will be discussed before taking up possible avenues for assistance.

B. Need for improved quality of project development and project supervision

Among Bank staff, there seems to be rather unanimous feeling that the methods employed by WHO to develop and supervise projects are ineffectual, inefficient and frequently impede rather than aid, the work of the consultants. In the execution of projects, WHO makes use of consultants, a project manager and an expert panel. The features and descriptions of WHO's approach to UNDP project execution is explained in Annex F. In discussions between the Bank and WHO staff at some of the initial meetings, we questioned the use of the project manager and the panel purely on grounds of cost. Recently, however, a number of observations have led to the conclusion that the project manager and panel approach have much more serious shortcomings than just their cost and that both should be abandoned. These are summarized and contrasted with the Bank approaches as follows"

Project Manager

- 1) As presently used, the consultants report to him rather than to the national water agency officials. This discourages arrangements for interchange of information and participation in decision making by national personnel.
- 2) Reports go to the Project Manager from the consultants who forwards them to the regional office. After clearance there and in headquarters, they come back to him for transmittal to the national officials. Any action required on recommendations in the report are usually too old to be relevant. The national personnel lose interest.
- 3) With such procedures, the consultants cannot be held accountable for meeting schedules and taking the initiative in overcoming problems.
- 4) It is conceivable that a change in role for the project manager would eliminate most of the objectionable aspects now resulting from his position. This would probably reduce him to nothing more than a figurehead, however.

The Bank places full responsibility on the consultant to do the job and to work with the national officials. The project manager not only creates an added administrative level but positions himself between the consultant and the water agency.

It is significant that in his report on Sector and Feasibility studies^{1/} Mr. John King stated to the Bank that there seems to be complete agreement that the Bank should not have a representative permanently in the field with the study team.

The Expert Panel

- 1) This group (described in Annex F) is frequently not experienced in overseas work and even when it is, it has to reach conclusions after two or three weeks which the consultant has studied for several months. Where the panel takes a position contrary to that of the consultant, WHO is not in a position to hold the consultant responsible if it insists on following the panel's recommendations.
- 2) Although WHO headquarters staff have indicated in the past that they would prefer permanent staff who could do the technical review rather than the panel, they have had no success to date in selling this to the WHO administration.

The Bank relies on its own staff to ensure that the consultant's approach and progress are acceptable.

C. WHO's contacts and channels with Governments

As a health organization, WHO's official contact with Government is the Minister of Health. In many countries however water supply planning and construction is carried out by another ministry. With regional directors dependent for election on the votes of these ministers, and with Health Ministers frequently having little rapport with Public Works and other engineering ministries and authorities, it has not been possible until recently for the WHO engineers to deal directly with national water supply officials. This situation seems to be improving in some countries but remains a problem in many others.

WHO is a "health" and medically oriented institution. The community water supply program staff is minute compared to the total staff concerned with general health problems. These problems are approached from the medical standpoint rather than from the economic and financial standpoints. This philosophy to a great extent carries over to water supply, especially in the regional offices.

For those projects designated as being of "special interest", the Bank has had to devote a considerable amount of time to guiding and shaping the studies in order that a bankable project will result. Even so, in some cases, much of the work has had limited value and the projects have had or will have to be reshaped before a Bank loan or credit can be made.

^{1/} Review of Completed Sector and Feasibility Studies. January 9, 1968.

Possible Solutions and an Assessment of the ways and means by which the Bank might assist WHO to be more effective

Taking into account the problems and difficulties discussed above and which have contributed to the unimpressive performance (Annex B, Ghana, Ceylon, Senegal are prime examples) of WHO in project execution, there appear to be certain steps which the Bank might consider to help improve WHO's effectiveness.

- a) Further attempts should be made to persuade WHO to abandon the expert panel and the project manager (or at least to abandon present functions assigned to the project manager). Employment of full time competent staff at headquarters who could visit the project as frequently as necessary, should do much to improve the quality and uniformity of projects. It should also increase the speed of execution by dealing with more problems directly during visits to the field. This could probably mean the addition of three to four to the permanent staff at Geneva.
- b) If a) fails because of reluctance by the WHO administration to take on the costs of permanent staff at headquarters, the Bank might wish to explore the question further and consider whether financial assistance of some kind would be warranted and whether this would expedite a change in approach.
- c) WHO will likely have to continue to channel correspondence through regional offices. The Bank could explore with WHO and UNDP the possibilities for WHO headquarters to deal directly with the field on UNDP projects.
- d) Where WHO's channels with Government are inappropriate in dealing with numerous agencies concerned with water, WHO should take steps to work with the correct agency. In some cases, the Bank may be able to do something to assist cooperation through its contacts with top government officials.
- e) WHO among all of the UN family of organizations is possibly the one least oriented to economic considerations. Although the Engineering Division is less affected than the others with the social philosophy there appears need for the Bank to strengthen WHO's awareness of the problem and improve this aspect of WHO's water and sewerage work. This could be done by continuing from time to time, seminars for WHO staff put on by the Bank as initiated this year for a trial run in the first week of July. The Bank could also offer to accept WHO staff engineers for assignment to the Bank for several months to work with Bank engineers and analysts in project appraisal and supervision.

II. Bank Action in UNDP Project Development and Execution

Early in this paper, it was proposed to consider a two-headed approach for project development and execution. The first of these, making WHO's role more effective, has been discussed. The steps outlined above are, with the exception of (b) essentially those the Bank has been trying for some time. In view of the lack of success, the second suggests that the Bank should help countries identify and develop projects for submission to UNDP and that, if approved by UNDP, the Bank ought to become executing agency. It is believed that, in addition to adding to the total number of projects which are under development at any one time and which consequently offer the Bank a wider choice in the projects it finances, this approach has other advantages:

- a) It would permit the Bank to demonstrate to WHO that projects can be gotten underway and completed in much less time than now required;
- b) It will demonstrate to WHO the means by which projects can be better adjusted to meet local investment needs;
- c) Finally, it may be the means to shock WHO into reforms of its present approaches which it otherwise may not undertake.

A decision for the Bank to take up the work of UNDP project execution should be made with a full appreciation that WHO will not likely take this action without a major show of displeasure and opposition. The extent to which feelings can be controlled will without doubt determine the degree of voluntary cooperation which will go forward in the near future between the two organizations. It appears extremely important for these relations that the Bank avoid becoming executing agency on any project initiated and developed by WHO.

It is proposed that the Bank not try to take over as executing agency all UNDP projects in the water supply and sewerage field. Rather, the Bank should supplement WHO's work and serve as an example by carrying out a relatively limited number of projects. Specifically, the Bank probably should not have more than four to six projects underway at any one time. Further these projects should be of direct relevance to our lending program.

This number of projects would have staffing implications in that some increased staff would be necessary. A start could be made with one or two projects without additional staff for the present.

Conclusions

Present arrangements with WHO in developing UNDP projects are not leading to a sufficient number of well prepared and promptly completed projects. In considering possible approaches to be used for the future, a two-headed arrangement is proposed; while continuing efforts to persuade WHO to improve its effectiveness, the Bank should move into the role of project developer and executing agent on a limited basis.

REPORT OF MEETING BETWEEN OFFICERS OF INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR
RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT AND THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION

During the period 10-11 December 1964, meetings were held between representatives of the World Health Organization (WHO) and the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (World Bank) to explore various areas of continued and closer cooperation.

Those in attendance at various times during the meeting were as follows:

From WHO: Dr. P. M. Kaul
 Mr. Paul Bierstein

From the Bank: Mr. S. Aldewereld
 Mr. Richard Demuth
 Mr. Hugh Ripman
 Mr. F. Consolo
 Mr. Walter Armstrong
 Mr. Harold R. Shipman

A general discussion reinforced the feeling that the World Bank and the World Health Organization have many common objectives and that a continuation of the very satisfactory cooperation which had been obtained in the past would be very desirable for future joint or supplementary activities. It was agreed that various areas for collaboration would be explored with a view to more complete understanding of how the activities of the Bank and of WHO could mutually strengthen these agencies' programs. In response to an inquiry as to whether the interests of the World Bank were limited to those activities in which it was presently engaged, such as community water supply and sewerage projects, or whether the Bank was willing to undertake some financial support such as technical education in the field of health, programs for disease control, etc., the Bank made it clear that at this stage only the water supply and sewerage projects would be considered, and under these circumstances further discussion was limited to various aspects of these activities.

WHO indicated that its interest was not primarily in obtaining additional funds for its normal activities but in assisting developing countries in obtaining the necessary capital funds for water supply and sewerage construction with the Bank.

It was agreed that the Bank position, both in terms of projects on which technical assistance funds would be made available and on the mechanisms which would be employed thereafter for the implementation of the technical assistance, would be on an ad hoc basis and that the Bank would consider each project on its own merits and after consultation with WHO would decide on the best approach for rendering the technical assistance.

In conclusion of the meeting for detailed discussions, the WHO representatives and members of the Bank staff met with Mr. Burke Knapp, Vice-President of the Bank when discussions were summarized and the conclusions reached by the working group discussed with Mr. Knapp.

A summary of the discussions on the manner in which support of water supply and sewerage activities might be developed follows:

1. Project Identification

It was recognized that WHO has been carrying out the general work involved in project identification as part of its regular functions over the past several years. The philosophy surrounding the selection of projects and the objectives to be reached appeared to be identical with those of the Bank, except that matters relating to overall priority for investments in projects within countries have normally not been a facet which WHO has gone into in any depth. Because WHO assists Governments in preparing projects for financing by institutions other than the Bank, it cannot normally be entirely bound by the same factors in project development that the Bank would be. On those projects in which WHO believes that the financing of a particular project might eventually be requested of the Bank, it was agreed that WHO would at a very early stage get in touch with the Bank to explore the Bank's interest in the project. In those instances where WHO for one reason or another did not find that funds for preparation of the feasibility studies could be obtained from other sources it would assist the government in preparing a request to the Bank for technical assistance funds for the engineering studies. WHO would be prepared to undertake these studies with financial support from the Bank. Funding assistance from the Bank for these studies would normally be provided only in those instances where other possible funding had been explored or where the time element in initiating the desired studies was such as to justify a direct approach to the Bank. As an example, it was mentioned that in the case of the UN Special Fund pre-investment surveys for water supply and sewerage projects there may be a very considerable time lag between the initial negotiations with the Government and initiation of the project.

2. Engineering, Management and Financial Assistance to Projects after Loans have been made

On occasion, in order to meet the criteria of the Bank for loans, it may be necessary that technical, administrative or financial organizations and procedures of the water supply or sewerage facility to be assisted may require either investigation study or direct assistance for strengthening these activities.

It was agreed that on projects which had received WHO assistance in development, the Bank, after consultation with WHO, would consider on a project-to-project basis the mechanisms best suited for the project in the provision of management and technical assistance after loans had been made. In instances where funds had been provided in a loan for such services this might take the form of contractual services between the Government concerned and individual consultants; it might arrange for WHO to provide the services; or the country might consult either or both WHO and the Bank with regard to nominations of personnel for carrying out the assignment. In any case, the Bank would wish to review the Terms of Reference and the qualifications of the consultants to establish a suitability for the assignment.

3. Training

In those instances where long-term fellowships (more than one year) are required for the training of personnel associated with projects to be financed by the Bank, it was agreed that the Bank would explore with various of the multilateral and bilateral agencies possibilities for financing such fellowships. In the event that all means failed to obtain funds from these sources, the possibility exists that the Bank would include funds within the loan for such training. It was recognized that WHO has a particular competence in the field of training and that arrangements for selection and assignment of such personnel to appropriate institutions and the general follow-up might be carried out by that Organization.

4. Special Projects and Studies

It was agreed that certain studies and projects might be of interest to the Bank and that these, as with other activities, would be considered on an ad hoc basis. Specific mention was made of a study to determine the socio-economic implications of water. WHO agreed to prepare some preliminary proposals along this line and the Bank expressed an interest in such a study if it could be properly designed and carried out; under these conditions it would be possible that the Bank could provide technical assistance funds for part of the costs. Mention was also made by WHO of certain development projects which would explore the utilization of simple design, local materials and procedures which would reduce costs and simplify operations. The Bank expressed interest in such an approach and indicated again that it would consider on a project-by-project basis any proposals which WHO might make with regard to the construction of plants which would utilize such an approach. It was emphasized that such projects, although perhaps being somewhat smaller than others normally financed by the Bank, would still have to meet all of the other criteria by which the projects are evaluated in the Bank.

5. Future exchange of views and information

The Bank pointed out the need for additional information and data on various elements surrounding the water supply facilities in various countries. WHO recognized its responsibility in this field and indicated continuing efforts to upgrade and increase the amount of available information in this connection.

It was the general consensus that the working relationships between WHO and the Bank in the past have been very good and that few problems had existed.

It was agreed that periodic meetings of the type recently held will prove mutually advantageous, such meetings to be scheduled as need becomes apparent. It was also agreed that attendance of certain Bank staff at WHO meetings concerned with water supply would be advantageous and that the Bank would make an effort, subject to the availability of personnel, to have representation at such meetings. It was further agreed by the Bank that whenever its personnel travelled through Europe on matters relating to water and sewerage projects, calls would be made at WHO headquarters for further exchange of information.

It was also agreed that joint visits to projects both during the pre-appraisal phase and during actual operation of projects would be helpful.

UNDP Projects Developed by, and Under Execution of, WHO

Calcutta - September 1962

This project has been beset by numerous problems, most of which have been the result of the local situations and the refusal of the Government to take those steps which would permit the project to proceed. There have been no particular problems between WHO and the Bank in collaboration on this project.

Ghana - Plan of Operations - Appraisal September 1963 - Phase II in July 1967

The Bank did not express "Special Interest" on this project. It was only after the project was half completed that the Bank became interested. The principal problems that have occurred relate to the fact that the project which resulted was more extensive and expensive than the circumstances required. Detailed engineering is being carried out far in advance of need so that much will never be used as the plans will be obsolete by the time additional expansion is needed. WHO has been reluctant to change the shape of the project. There are problems remaining concerning the preparation of plans for the IDA project and the relationship between the Government and the consultant.

Ceylon

Problems in the Ceylon project have been of three types: first, those caused by the fact that preliminary operations were undertaken on the project prior to the approval of the full project by the UNDP Board. No modus operandi had been set up between WHO and the Bank for projects where preliminary operations were to be undertaken. Consequently, under the preliminary operations on this project, no attention was given to the administration and organization problems to be encountered until the technical studies were more than three-fourths completed. The amount of effort then expended was too limited and the projects cannot be considered for appraisal until these problems are overcome.

The second problem on this project was the result of the consultants proceeding along lines which could not ensure that the project were economically suited to the local environment. Although it could be argued that this was beyond the control of WHO, it is the Bank's view that had WHO exerted more and better supervision, many of the problems could have been avoided. The net effect of this is that the project still requires substantial technical revision before the Bank can appraise it. The third problem has been the general failure by WHO to understand the economic policies of the

Bank and the need to adjust projects in the most effective manner for the overall national development. It is WHO's complaint that the Bank has never spelled out as specifically as it should its criteria for feasibility studies. Although this has not been done in a specific document, through a number of meetings and conversations Bank staff has continually stressed that national economic policies and project relationships are aspects which the Bank considers of great importance.

China - Approved by UNDP - January 1968

The Taipei sewerage project has moved along quite rapidly and apparently with a minimum of difficulty so far as the Bank is able to assess. This project is on schedule and will require a minimum of change when completed.

Ivory Coast - In process

This project is just being initiated and is still in the process of being altered to accommodate not only Abidjan water supply and sewerage but the possibility of a national sector study. Both UNDP and WHO have taken note of the Bank's comments to effect these revisions.

Nigeria - June 1967 - Planops signed 1968

This project is for Ibadan sewerage and it appears to be moving ahead on schedule. It is too early to know how this project will turn out.

Philippines - Planops signed July 1967

The Manila sewerage project has been on schedule and will probably be completed within the next few months. The major problems encountered on this project have been local and involve the commitments of the Government. The consultants have, from time to time, expressed unhappiness with the role of the Project Manager. The full implications of the proposals which are coming out of the study will not be assessable until work is completed.

Uganda - June 1967 - Planops signed

This project is for water and sewerage in the Kampala-Jinja area and has taken a very great amount of time to get into the execution stage. It is understood that the considerable amount of the delay has been caused by the Government's hesitation to sign the Plan of Operations.

Senegal

This project is for Dakar water and has involved an unusually large amount of time to clarify arrangements between WHO and the UN. The latter has contended that it should maintain responsibility for groundwater investigations while WHO has contended that as the overall contractor, it must ensure that the consultants look into and have responsibility for all sources of water in order to properly analyse all alternatives. Most of the problems now appear to have been worked out although difficulties can probably be expected as they relate to delays which the UN may encounter in completing its work. An expert panel is to visit Senegal in July or August of this year and the Bank has been requested to provide a member to go along with that group.

Other countries

WHO is currently working on the development of UNDP projects in Malagasy Republic, Kenya (on the outlying cities water and Nairobi sewerage), Nepal and Congo (Kinshasa). WHO is also completing a UNDP project for Istanbul, Turkey on which the Bank did not express "Special Interest".

WHO Responsibilities in the Field of Water Supply & Sewerage

Abstracts from Pertinent Resolutions of the World Health Assembly

The objective of the World Health Organization as set forth in its constitution is the attainment by all peoples of the highest possible level of health in the top priority programs established by resolution of the first World Health Assembly. Environmental sanitation was one of six programs considered to be of the greatest importance. The other five included malaria, maternal and child health, tuberculosis, venereal diseases and nutrition. In subsequent meetings of the World Health Assembly, notably the 11th, 13th, 19th and 21st, resolutions were adopted which further stressed the importance of water and sewerage in the environmental sanitation programs of the Organization and gave guidance to the Director-General on the policies to be followed. All of these are probably best summed up in the resolutions of the 11th and 21st World Health Assemblies. The recommendations abstracted from the two respective resolutions are as follows:

11th Assembly Resolution

"Requests the Director-General to cooperate with Member States in projects to provide adequate and safe supplies of water to inhabitants of their communities, and, furthermore, to continue his study of ways and means of rendering assistance, including an investigation of existing international loan or other funds which might be available for investment in such facilities;

"Recommends to Member States:

"(a) that priority be given in national programs to the provision of safe and adequate water supplies for communities;

"(b) that, wherever necessary, national or provincial water boards be established and given authority to deal with the various legal, administrative and fiscal responsibilities involved in such a program;

"(c) that all available national and local resources of money, materials and services contributory to such a program be mobilized;

"(d) that within each country requiring such a facility a revolving fund be established to provide loans for water supply development to local agencies of Governments; and

"(e) that full advantage be taken of existing international loan funds;"

21st Assembly Resolution

"Requests the Director-General to make adequate provision in future programs and budgets to allow the Organization to maintain leadership in a coordinated global program of community water supply and to provide the necessary technical and advisory services to Governments;

"Invites all multilateral and bilateral agencies having an interest in this field to cooperate with the World Health Organization in carrying out a global water supply program".

The need to strengthen and intensify WHO's action in the global community water supply program was reiterated in the resolution adopted by the 17th World Health Assembly which reads:

"Urges all multilateral and bilateral financing agencies to make available the maximum financial support to national community water supply programs;

"Requests the Director-General to continue to assist Member States in the provision of safe and adequate water supplies to communities, in particular by providing the necessary technical and advisory services for the development of such supplies;

"Requests the Director-General to continue to cooperate with the United Nations and specialized agencies with a view to ensuring coordination of their efforts in this field".

The 21st World Health Assembly, in its resolution stated as follows:

"Noting that the rate of progress in the global effort to improve community water supplies, while substantial, is still not commensurate with the increasing demand for more and better quality water for healthful living, consequent on the natural growth of population and the continuing urbanization processes in developing countries;

"Draws the attention of the regional banks for Asia and for Africa to the needs of Member States for long-term low interest loans for improved community water supplies; and

"Requests the Director-General:

"(1) to provide for continuing leadership in community water supply by intensifying program activities as presented in his report, in cooperation with international and other agencies;

"(2) to give all possible support and assistance to Member States in connection with their rural water supply programs, maintaining close cooperation with UNICEF and other relevant agencies for that purpose".

WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION

Division of Environmental Health

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RESOURCES AND RELATED PROBLEMS

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WHO - UNDP Projects

1. ARG 22 - Argentina - Strengthening of the Pan American Zoonoses Centres, Plan Op. signed 9/5/66
2. BRA 14 - Brazil - Institute of Sanitary Engineering - Guanahara - Plan Op. signed 6/2/65
3. BUL 2 - Bulgaria - Central Institute of Public Health Approved 1/68 - Plan Op. not signed
4. CHI 12 - Chile - Institute of Occupational Health, etc. Plan Op. Signed 6/7/63
5. CHA 27 - China - Sewerage Planning in the Greater Taipei Area Approved 1/68 - Plan Op. signed in early 1969
6. GHA 11 - Ghana - Preparation of Master Plan for Water & Sewerage - Accra-Tema - Plan Op. 8/9/63
7. GHA 19 - Ghana - Preparation of Master Plan for water & Sewerage - Accra-Tema (Phase II) Plan Op. signed 12.6.67
8. IND 8 - India - Central Public Health Engineering Research Institute, Nagpur - Plan Op. signed 5/16/61
9. IND 19 - India - Survey of Water Supply Resources of Greater Calcutta - Plan Op. signed 9/17/62
10. IND 52 - India - Survey of Water Supply Resources of Greater Calcutta - Extension of above - Plan Op. signed 10/29/65
11. IND 65 - India - Assistance to CMWASA - Approved 1/66 Plan Op. not signed
12. KEN 14 - Kenya - Operational Research on Human and Animal Trypanosomiasis Eradication - Plan Op. signed 5/11/67
13. MAT 5 - Malta - Waste Disposal and Water Supply Plan Op. signed 9/26/67
14. NER 4 - Niger - School of Nursing - Plan Op. signed 8/16/66
15. NIR 33 - Nigeria - Central Sewerage System, Ibadan Approved 6/67 - Plan Op. not signed.
16. PHI 22 - Philippines - Master Plan Manila Sewerage Plan Op. signed 7/11/67

17. POL 5 - Poland - Protection against River Pollution
Plan Op. signed 1/20/66
18. SEN 9 - Senegal - Master Plan Water and Sewerage - Dakar
Plan Op. signed 2/1/68
19. TUR 20 - Turkey - Master Plan Water and Sewerage -- Istanbul
Plan Op. signed 8/18/66
20. UGA 10 - Uganda - Master Plan Water and Sewerage --
Kampala & Jinja - Plan Op. signed in early 1969
Approved 6/67 by UNDP.
21. VEN 19 - Venezuela - Sanitary Engineering Education
Plan Op. signed 12/7/64
22. MOROCCO - National study initiated under a preliminary operation
arrangement about July 1967. The Plan of Operations
for the main project is awaiting signature after
approval by UNDP.

Features in WHO Approach to UNDP Project Execution

In executing a UNDP project in water and sewerage, on which the Bank has expressed "special interest", WHO assigns an engineer who takes up residence in the country and who represents WHO locally in expediting the project. WHO employs consultants selected from a list agreed with the Bank. WHO does not retain on its staff at any level a sufficient number of highly specialized personnel who can visit the project and advise the consultants whether the approach being taken and the assumptions to be used for design of the project are sound and suited to the local situation. Rather, WHO designates an expert panel made up usually of three experts recruited on an ad hoc basis from its member countries. This panel usually visits the project twice, once shortly after the consultants begin work and again prior to the time when the final report is begun. Regional and headquarters staff may visit the project from time to time but the technical advice rendered by the panel is the principal means for ensuring soundness of the project concept.

Project Manager

As presently employed, the project manager heads the work on the project in the field. The arguments to justify his employment used by WHO are that: a) he acts as expeditor to help the consultants receive the facilities, personnel and support promised by Government; b) he ensures that the various objectives set forth in the Plan of Operations are met; c) he helps in the selection and processing of candidates for fellowships and training provided under the project; and d) he takes care of local administrative tasks which might otherwise require attention by the regional office.

It is difficult to find fault with the foregoing functions in theory. However, in practice, what is happening is that the project manager acts as an intermediary between the consultants and the officials of the water agency. In three projects, Ghana, Morocco and Manila, Bank staff were told by the consultants that they did not have access to the national officials except through the project manager. The consultants felt that a major relationship in the professional conduct of work was being denied them. This situation is further reflected by WHO in its desire that no recommendations and no policy position be taken without their first going through all channels (project manager - regional office - headquarters - back to region - back to project) before presentation to the Government. The result of this is that the consultants are seriously hampered in their work. Usually, the Government officials don't know what is going on. In all instances, the consultants report to the project manager and not to the Government with the result that the Government feels left out.

Bank staff have reasoned with WHO that in our execution of projects, we pay the consultants to do a job; that there is no need to provide an expeditor for him; and that the client-engineer relationship is direct and unconfused by an intermediary.

Expert Panel

The Panel is usually composed of three experts in engineering and utility operations who are recruited on an ad hoc basis to review the project objectives, its progress and development and to advise WHO on whether the approach being taken by the consultants is sound. The same experts are kept on a project for its life. In theory, this approach seems good. All documents are sent to the home of the expert. He is a man of broad experience and understanding of water and sewer problems in his own city, his nation and the world. He reviews the documents; he joins the other panel members in Geneva and goes to visit the project a few months after the consultants have begun work; he spends two or three weeks in the field and returns to Geneva to tell WHO what is right and wrong with the consultants' approach. He then returns home, receives periodic reports and goes once more to the field with the others just prior to the time when the consultants are completing the field work to see how well they have done in implementing the suggestions previously made. WHO is again advised of their findings, a report is presented, and the panel dismissed.

In practice, departures from the foregoing ideology develop in selecting the experts. Observation of most panels has led to the view that frequently the visit to the project will be the first time the expert has been out of his own country. Even where he is highly competent, which unfortunately is not always the case, a visit of two or three weeks to the project is not sufficient to make him an authority on it. Although again theoretically, his views should be of value at least in challenging the consultants to provide answers, the problem which faces WHO is what to do where the panel concludes that the consultants are wrong and the consultants do not agree with the panel. This unfortunate situation occurred in Ghana and to a lesser extent in Manila. In the former case, the consultants changed their design to accommodate the panel's recommendations only to find later that the Bank insisted on a change which forced them to return to their original proposal. In the Manila project, the problem was differences in population growth figures where the consultants after six months of work would not accept the panel's views, after two weeks study, that the figures were wrong.

Of fundamental concern is that if the consultants have to carry responsibility for their work, interjection of panel recommendations into the project may divert this responsibility.

WHO-Bank Arrangements on UNDP "Special Interest" Projects

- 1.. WHO first explores informally with the Bank whether it has interest in a project being developed for a particular country.
2. The Bank comments on Plan of Operations forwarded by WHO.
3. The Bank comments on list of consultants and on Terms of Reference.
4. WHO invites Bank to visit project at time of first Panel visit.
5. WHO invites Bank to visit project at time of second Panel visit.
6. WHO provides copies of reports. These vary in number and frequency between projects.
7. The Bank comments on the draft final report.