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### Official Letter Nº055-77-AL-DS.A1

December 30, 1977

TO:

The Secretariat

Consultive Group on International Agricultural

Research

1818 H St., N.W.

Washington, D.C. 20433

U.S.A.

REF:

Appointments to the Technical Advisory

Committee.

With reference to the above item, I would like to express my agreement to your suggestions. This -- procedure will undoubtedly facilitate the phasing in and out of appointments and reappointments in much a way, as to provide continuity to the work concerned. I likewise agree to the appointment of Dr. G.I. Trant to serve the remainder of Dr. Hopper's term which expires at the end of 1978, as well as of Dr. L.C. Evans and Dr. C.C. Thomsen appointments for terms expiring at the end of 1979 to fill the vacancies created by the departures of Dr. Ruttan and Dr. Ten Houten. The curriculum vitae of the proposed appointees indicate in my opinion that they are well qualified to fulfill these positions, and I would like to extend my best wishes to them on their future endeavours in this field.

Very truly yours,

Eng. Marciano Morales-Bermadez Cerrutti

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Dr. Vernon W. Buttan
Department of Agricultural and
Applied Economics
University of Hinnesota
St. Paul, Hinnesota 55101

Dear Vern:

Now that your time as a member of the Technical Advisory Committee is coming to an end, I would like to express, on behalf of the CGIAR, our very sincere appreciation of all you have done to support the Committee. Your outstanding experience and wise judgment have been particularly valued, and have contributed immeasurably to TAC's work. Your generous agreement to accept reappointment for the year of 1977 was greatly appreciated.

I am sure that you will retain your links with the CGIAR, and I hope we may continue to have the benefit of your wise counsel in the years shead.

With very best wishes for 1978,

Sincerely,

Werren C. Baum Chairman

cc: TAC Secretariat and Dr. Ralph W. Cummings

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Dr. V. David Hopper President International Development Research Centre 60 Queens Street P. O. Box 8500 Ottawa, KIG 389 Canada

Dear Dave:

The reasons that have led you to resign your membership of the Technical Advisory Committee can only be a source of satisfaction to snyone associated with the World Bank. Movertheless I would like to express, on behalf of the CGIAB, our great appreciation of your outstanding efforts while serving on TAC, and our recognition that your wisdom and experience will be sorely missed.

I know that we shall continue to seek your guidance and help, and that you will as always be most generous in providing it.

With very best wishes for 1978,

Sincerely,

Warren C. Baum Chairman

Andrew J. Hayman:apm File F-1

Sent los his office/18

Dr. G. I. Trant Senior Assistant Deputy Minister Department of Agriculture Sir John Carling Building Carling Avenue Ottawa, Canada KIA OC5

Dear Dr. Trant:

This is to offer you officially appointment to the Technical Advisory Committee of the Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research for the unexpired portion of Dr. Hopper's term ending December 31, 1978.

The system of research and training supported by the CGIAR has been significantly broadened and strengthened in recent years. We must now try to ensure that its efforts are effectively concentrated to achieve the Group's aims of increasing the production and improving the quality of food in the developing countries. Your advice in these endeavors will be greatly appreciated.

The Secretariat of the TAC is communicating with you about the terms and conditions of service and the plans for its upcoming meeting in Rome on February 14 to 21, 1978.

Could you please confirm by cable to Mr. Lejeune, the Executive Secretary of CGIAR, your acceptance of this appointment?

Best wishes,

Sincerely,

Warren C. Baum Chairman

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Dr. J. G. ten Houten
Adviser to the Agricultural University
of Wageningen
Belmonte Flat, Gen. Foulkesweg 311
Wageningen
The Netherlands

Dear Dr. ten Houten:

Now that your time as a member of the Technical Advisory Committee is coming to an end, I would like to express, on behalf of the CGIAR, our very sincere appreciation of your service to the Committee.

Your scientific knowledge, your understanding of the problems of agricultural development, and your wise counsel have been a great strength to the TAC, and have hence contributed most significantly to the aims of the Group as a whole. The Group is also grateful to you for all the effort you devoted to leading the Quinquennial Review of CIP.

I hope you will retain your links with the CGIAR, and that your wealth of experience may continue to be available for the benefit of those the Group seeks to help.

With very best wishes for 1978,

Sincerely,

Warren C. Baum Chairman

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Dr. Guy Camus Director General Office de la Recherche Scientifique et Technique Outre-Mer 24 rue Bayard 75008 Paris, France

Dear Guy:

This is to offer you officially reappointment to the Technical Advisory Committee of the Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research for a one-year term ending December 31, 1978.

The system of research and training supported by the CGIAR has been significantly broadened and strengthened in recent years. We must now try to ensure that its efforts are effectively concentrated to achieve the Group's aims of increasing the production and improving the quality of food in the developing countries. Your advice in these endeavors will continue to be greatly appreciated.

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Best wishes,

Sincerely,

Warren C. Baum Chairman

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Idential letters sent to: Dr Idris (N.Y.), Dr. Madamba (Philippines)

Dr. Almiro Blumenschein Director of Research, EMBRAPA Palacio do Desenvolvimento 9º andar, Cx. Postal 1316 Brasilia - DF 70,000, Brazil

Dear Dr. Blumenschein:

This is to offer you officially reappointment to the Technical Advisory Committee of the Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research for a two-year term ending December 31, 1979.

The system of research and training supported by the CGIAR has been significantly broadened and strengthened in recent years. We must now try to ensure that its efforts are effectively concentrated to achieve the Group's aims of increasing the production and improving the quality of food in the developing countries. Your advice in these endeavors will continue to be greatly appreciated.

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Warren C. Baum Chairman

cc: TAC Secretariat

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Identical letters sent to: Dr. Oslage (Germany), Dr. Ajibola-Taylor(Nigeria)

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Dr. Lloyd T. Evans Chief CSIRO Division of Plant Industry P. O. Box 1600 Canberra City, ACT 2601 Australia

Dear Dr. Evans:

This is to offer you officially appointment to the Technical Advisory Committee of the Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research for a two-year term ending December 31, 1979.

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cc: TAC Secretariat

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Identical letter sent to: Dr. C.C. Thomsen (Sweden)

Mr. Michael L. Lejeune

John K. Coulter

Symposium on Farming Systems

I would consider it legitimate for TAC to seek outside funding for specific workshops. The German Government supported one on legumes in India. The Netherlands Government is very interested in farming systems and might be interested in funding part of this one. TAC should fund the consultants, the centers their own staff, but members from LDCs would generally need outside funding, and the Netherlands Government might be interested in helping.

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#### DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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December 22, 1977

Mr. Warren C. Baum Chairman Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research 1818 H St., N.W. Washington, D.C. 20433 U. S. A.

Dear Mr. Baum:

I am submitting the name of Dr. Edgardo C. Quisumbing, Deputy Executive Director, National Food and Agriculture Council (NFAC), as a possible candidate for membership in the Technical Advisory Committee of the CGIAR. Dr. Quisumbing was an Associate Professor and Chairman of the Department of Horticulture at the University of the Philippines at Los Baños College of Agriculture and was in charge of the National Research and Extension Program in Vegetable Crops for many years prior to his joining the NFAC. served as the Vegetable Crops Commodity Team Leader and as Acting Crops Research Director of the Philippine Council for Agriculture and Resources Research (PCARR) when PCARR was established in 1972. He was also part of the PCARR study team that took a look at the operations of the Indian Council for Agricultural Research (ICAR) and the Malaysian Agriculture Development and Research Institute (MARDI), in order to help formulate the strategies that PCARR would follow in developing our own national agricultural research system. At present, he represents me in the PCARR Governing Council. Dr. Quisumbing's qualifications are unique in that he is not only

Mr. W.C. Baum Dec. 22, 1977 Page 2

a qualified researcher, but is also involved in managing and implementing national agricultural development programs. His experience would be very useful to TAC specially at this stage when there is a great need for our research results to be utilized to a much greater extent for agricultural development.

Enclosed is his biodata, for your added reference.

Very truly yours,

ARTURO R. TANCO, JR.

Secretary

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### TAC Candidates Suggested to CGIAR Members (Excluding past TAC members)

Name	Age	Nationality	Discipline	Suggested by
Aberg, Dr. Ewert	68	Swedish	Geneticist	Sweden
Alvarez-Luna, Dr. Eduardo	50	Mexican	Agricultural Scientist	IBRD, FAO
Aslyng, Dr. M. C.	61	Danish	Soil Scientist/Plant Production	Denmark
Belshaw, Dr. D. G.	45	British	Agricultural Economist	UK
Berry, Dr. R.	40	Canadian	Economist	IBRD .
Bishop, Dr. A. A.	64	American	Land & Water Specialist	UNDP
Boulter, Prof. Donald	51	British	Botanist	UK
Bourke, Dr. P. M. E.	-	Irish	Plant Pathologist	TAC
Bunting, Prof. Arthur Hugh	60	British	Plant Scientist	UK
Buringh, Dr. P.	59	Dutch	Soil Scientist	Netherlands
Campbell, Dr. D. R.	59	Canadian	Agricultural Economist	IDRC
Carruthers, Dr. I. D.	39	British	Agricultural Economist	UK .
Cartwright, Dr. T. C.	-	-	Animal Geneticist	ILCA
Chakrabandhu, Prince	68	Thai	Agronomist	Thailand
Chandler, Dr. Robert	70	American	Agronomist	US
Cong, Dr. Lung T.	44	Vietnamese	Soil Scientist	US
Cunha, Dr. Tony	61	American	Animal Scientist	US
Dagg, Dr. Matthew	46	British	Soil Physicist	US, Ford Foundation

TAC Candidates Continued		- 2	- Dec	ember 21, 1977
Name	Age	Nationality	Discipline	Suggested by,
de Benedictis, Dr. M.	49	Italian	Agricultural Economist	IBRD, Ford Foundation
de Wit, Dr. C. T.	53	Dutch	Plant Ecologist	Netherlands
Dexter, Dr. K.	49	British	Agricultural Economist	UK
Dillon, Dr. John Louis	46	Australian	Agricultural Economist	FAO
Elgabaly, Dr. M. M.	63	Egyptian	Soil Scientist	Rockefeller Foundation
Evans, Dr. L. T.	50	Australian	Plant Physiologist	Australia
Gavan, Dr. James Dominic	43	British	Economist	UNDP
Greenland, Dr. Dennis G.	-	British	Soil Scientist	UK, Ford Foundation
Hardan, Dr. Adnan	41	Iraqi	Soils/Water Management	IBRD
Harsovi, Dr. Joseph	51	Lebanese	Plant Scientist	US
Henderson, Dr. W. M.	-	British	Veterinary Scientist	UK
Hirst, Dr. J. M.	56	British	Plant Pathologist	TAC
Horsfall, Dr. James G.	72	American	Plant Pathologist	UNDP
Huhn, Dr. J. E.	52	German	Veterinary Scientist	Germany
Hwan, Dr. Kim In	57	Korean	Plant Breeder	us .
Ishizuka, Dr. Yoshiaki	70	Japanese	Soil Scientist	Japan
Jensen, Dr. James H.	71	American	Plant Pathologist	UNDP
Josling, Dr. Timothy	37	British	Agricultural Economist	?

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Name	Age	Nationality	Discipline		Suggested by
Koffsky, Dr. Nathan	66	American	Agricultural Economist		US
Lamprecht, Dr. H.	58	Swiss	Forestry Specialist		Germany
Last, Dr. F.	-	British	Plant Pathologist		TAC
Loosli, Dr. John	68	American	Animal Scientist		us
Majisu, Dr. B. N.	40	Kenyan	Plant Breeder		Sweden
McCalla, Dr. Alexander F.	40	Canadian	Agricultural Economist		Ford Foundation
McClymont, Dr. Gordon Lee	57	Australian	Animal Scientist		FAO .
McWilliam, Dr. J.	50	Australian	Agronomist		Ford Foundation
Melville, Dr. A. R.	-	British	Entomologist	,	UK
Mengesha, Dr. Melak	42	Ethiopian	Plant Breeder		Sweden .
Menon, Dr. M. N.	58	Indian	Veterinary Scientist		UK
Moseman, Dr. A. H.	63	American	Plant Breeding/Research Management		IBRD
Mughogho, Dr. Lewis	40	Malawi	Plant Pathologist		US
Norman, Prof. M. J. T.	54	British	Agronomist		Australia ,
Odiambo, Dr. Thomas	46	Kenyan	Entomologist _		US
Ohkawa, Dr. Kazushi	69	Japanese	Agricultural Economist		Rockefeller Foundation
Okigbo, Prof. B. N.	48	Nigerian '	Agronomist		Nigeria
Oyenuga, Dr. Victor	60	Nigerian	Animal Scientist		US
Petit, Dr. Michel	41	French	Agricultural Economist		Ford Foundation

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	Pinstrup-Andersen, Dr. Per	38	Danish	Agricultural Economist	UNDP
	Posnette, Dr. A. F.	63	British	Plant Pathologist	UK
	Raditapole, Dr. N. N.	-	-	Veterinary Scientist	UK
	Rao, Dr. N. G. P.	50	Indian	Plant Breeder	Sir John Crawford
	Riley, Prof. R.	-	British	Plant Breeder	UK
	Rotem, Dr. J.	-	Israeli	Plant Pathologist	TAC
	Samper, Dr. Armando	57	Colombian	Agricultural Economist	Ford Foundation
	Scaramuzzi, Prof. Franco	51	Italian	Agronomist	FAO
	Scarascia-Mugnozza, Prof. G. T.	50	Italian	Cytogenetics/Plant Breeding	FAO
	Skerjvold, Prof. H.	60 .	Norwegian	Animal Breeding Specialist	Norway
	Smith, Prof. Ray	58	American	Entomologist	FAO
	Steppler, Dr. H. A.	59	Canadian	Agronomist	Ford Foundation
46	Strand, Dr. Lars	53	Norwegian	Forestry Specialist	Norway
	Thomas, Dr. W. J.	58	British	Agricultural Economist	IBRD
	Thornton, Dr. D. S.	- ,	British	Agricultural Economist	UK
	Tongyai, Dr. M. R.	62	Thai	Entomologist	Thailand
	Tribe, Dr. Derek	-	Australian	Animal Scientist	Ford Foundation
200	Umali, Dr. D.	-	Filipino	Genetics/Administration	IBRD
*	Vaadia, Dr. Yoash	46	Israeli	Plant Biologist	US

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Name	Age	Nationality	Discipline	Suggested by
Valdes, Dr. Alberto	42	Chilean	Agricultural Economist	Ford Foundation
Webster, Dr. Cyril C.	68	British	Agronomist	UK
Wittwer, Dr. Sylvan H.	60	American	Horticulturist	UNDP, Ford Foundation
Wortman, Dr. Sterling	54	American	Plant Breeding/Research Management	IBRD ,
Zadoks, Dr. J. C.	48	Dutch	Plant Pathologist	TAC

Mr. Daniel G. Ritchie and Mr. John K. Coulter

December 20, 1977

Michael L. Lejeune (signed) Michael L. Lejeune

### TAC - Symposium on Farming Systems

- 1. Apparently, TAC has in mind to arrange a symposium on farming systems, possibly in Nairobi. Attendance would comprise the consultants who have been working on the Stripe Review, representatives of the Centers, some further invited consultants and representatives of the developing countries.
- Zane Arlidge called me this morning following a talk he had with Mahler, asking whether we would feel it appropriate to approach USAID for funding of such a symposium.
- 3. I told Zane that this involved a number of questions. Was this activity not included in the budget put forward by the TAC Secretariat and agreed by the Co-Sponsors? What would be the total cost of the symposium? Was it not agreed, in principle, that the Co-Sponsors would cover the cost of TAC activities, and that we would not pass the hat for contributions from others? If, however, the TAC budget was inadequate to cover all or part of this activity, what was the gap between the amount budgeted for it and the likely total cost? Was USAID necessarily the right or the only donor to approach?
- Arlidge did not know the answers to these questions. He did, however, refer to the statements made at the CGIAR meeting at the time when the appointment of a chairman of TAC was under discussion to the effect that if the Co-Sponsors were unable to cover the full cost of TAC, members—or at least some members would be willing to provide some funding. I said that I thought that referred to a situation which no longer existed, since all three Co-Sponsors had since that time made it clear that they were willing to put up the funds necessary to cover the TAC operation.
- 5. It was left that he would produce a tentative budget for the symposium and we could then consider how to proceed.
- I am reluctant to go to CG members for funding for TAC operations as I think this is the proper responsibility of the Co-Sponsors. On the other hand, one might took on a symposium of this kind as serving a more general purpose and hence to be dealt with outside TAC's budget. The implication would be that if extra-budgetary funds were not forthcoming, the symposium would not be held, though we could always maintain a fall-back position that it be financed under the TAC budget (possibly on a reduced scale) if necessary.
- 7. Mahler did not raise this subject when I was in Rome, but we were a bit pressed for time and perhaps he overlooked it.
- 8. Could I please have your views?

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D.O.No.25-7/77-IC.I Tele. No. 382629

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कृषि अनुसंधान और शिक्षा विभाग कृषि एवं सिचाई मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार, नई दिल्ली-१ DEPUTY SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND EDUCATION Ministry of Agriculture & Irrigation, Government of India, New Delhi-1

Kindly refer to your Secretariat letter dated 30.11.1977 regarding appointments to the T.A.C.

We support the proposal to renew the appointment of the following for the duration indicated against each:

Dr

Dr.	A. Blumenschein	for 2	years
Dr.	Guy Ch. Camus	for 1	year
Dr.	H. Idris	for 1	year
Dr.	J. Madamba	for 1	year
Dr.	H. Oslage	for 2	years
Dr.	T.A. Taylor	for 2	years

We also support the appointment of Dr. L.C. Evans and Dr. C.C. Thomsen in the vacancies created by the completion of tenure of Dr. Rattan and Dr. ten Houten as also the appointment of Dr. Trant vice Dr. Hopper.

This has the approval of Dr. M.S. Swaminathan. Secretary, Department of Agricultural Research & Education & Director General, Indian Council of Agricultural Research.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely

(S.C. Dutta)

Dr. Warren C. Baum, Chairman. Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research, 1818 H St. N.W. Washington DC 20433 (USA)

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S.O. Dutta

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND EDUCATION Ministry of Agriculture & Irrigation, Government of India, New Delhi-t

December 19, 1977.

Dear Dr. Baum,

Kindly refer to your Secretariat letter dated 50.11.1977 regarding appointments to the T.A.C.

We support the proposal to renew the appointment of the following for the duration indicated against each:-

Dr. A. Blumenschein for 2 years
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Dr. J. Madamba for 1 year
Dr. J. Madamba for 2 years
Dr. H. Oslage for 2 years
Dr. T.A. Taylor for 2 years

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With kind regards,

Fours sincerely

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### AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20523

December 15, 1977

Mr. Warren C. Baum Consultative Group for International Agricultural Research 1818 H Street N. W. Room E-1023 Washington, D. C. 20433

Dear Mr. Baum:

Thank you for your memo of November 30 concerning appointments to the Technical Advisory Committee.

We concur with the appointments of Drs. Blumenschein, Camus, Idris, Madamba, Oslage and Taylor for the stated terms. While we have no objection to the appointments of Dr. Trant, Dr. Evans and Professor Thomsen we do note their limited experience in developing countries. We urge that long-term working experience in developing countries be a major factor when considering persons for appointment to the Technical Advisory Committee.

Sincerely yours,

Leon F. Hesser

Director

Development Support Bureau

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Date December 11, 1977

The Secretariat
Consultative Group on International
Agricultural Research
1818 H St., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20433
U.S.A.

Dear Sirs,

Ref: Appointments to the Technical Advisory
Committee - Your letter of 30th November
1977

I was asked by Dr. Yoash Vaadia to inform you of his agreement to the recommendations for the candidates' nomination as members of the TAC.

Sincerely yours

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THE SECRETARIAT

REF. YOUR LETTER OF NOVEMBER 30. 1977 CONCERNING NOMINATION OF NEW MEMBERS TO TAC.

THE DANISH MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS HEREBY STATE ITS AGREE-MENT TO THE RECOMMANDATIONS OF THE SECRETARIAT.

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### OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: Files

DATE: December 7, 1977

FROM: Michael L. Lejeune

SUBJECT: TAC - Lloyd Evans

Whittem of the Australian Embassy called December 6 to say he had had a message from Evans saying the emoluments arrangements for TAC membership were all right and he was sure CSIRO would approve his accepting appointment to TAC. Whittem will send us a copy of the cable.

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cc: Mr. Coulter o/r Mr. Gavino

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#### CONSULTATIVE GROUP ON INTERNATIONAL AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH

1818 H St., N.W. Washington, D.C. 20433 U.S.A. Telephone (Area Code 202) 477-3592 Cable Address – INTBAFRAD

FROM: The Secretariat

December 2, 1977

#### Quinquennial Review - Terms of Reference

- 1. The TAC Secretariat wishes to ensure that members of the Group get ample opportunity to comment on the Terms of Reference for a Quinquennial Review of a center before they are finalized and to put forward any specific questions they would wish to be raised in the course of the Review. To this end the Secretariat will in each case send copies of the draft Terms of Reference to the members of the Group.
- 2. The name(s) and address(es) to which draft Terms of Reference would be sent in accordance with our current mailing list is(are) given below. A member may, however, have other people who should receive drafts. If so, please let the CGIAR Secretariat have the names, titles and addresses by December 30, 1977. If our mailing list suffices as it stands, no action is needed.

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#### CONSULTATIVE GROUP ON INTERNATIONAL AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH

#### TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS

Via delle Terme di Caracalla, 00100 Rome, Italy Cables: FOODAGRI ROME - Telex: 61181 FOODAGRI Telephone: 5797

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November 22, 1977

Dear Mike:

You will recall that it was agreed at the CGIAR meeting in September that an approach should be made to CGIAR donor members interested in commenting on the Terms of Reference of Quinquennial Review teams and raising specific questions on the Centre concerned. These have been so far contacted through our present (common) mailing list. It would be important that these addresses indicate which. if any, additional personnel in their organizations should receive appropriate documentation.

In view of the existing convention that direct approaches to donors should, wherever possible, be made by your Secretariat. I should be grateful if you could approach the CGIAR members on the foregoing, attaching our present mailing for easy reference.

With best regards,

Yours sincerely,

P. J. Mahler Executive Secretary

Mr. Michael L. Lejeune Executive Secretary Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research 1818 H Street, N.W. Washington, D. C. 20433

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Mr. Warren C. Baum

November 30, 1977

Michael L. Lejeune

(signed) Michael L. Lejeune

TAC Appointments

The Co-Sponsors recommendations on TAC appointments and reappointments went out to members of the Group today. They have until December 23 to respond. We plan to send out letters of appointment and reappointment December 27 over your signature. Will you be here? If not, we can prepare them ahead of time and hold for dispatch.

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Consultative group on international agricultural research F-1 1818 H St., N.W. Washington, D.C. 20433 U.S.A. Telephone (Area Code 202) 477-3592 Cable Address - INTBAFRAD November 30, 1977 FROM: The Secretariat Appointments to the Technical Advisory Committee The terms of office of the following members of the TAC are due to expire at the end of 1977: Dr. A. Blumenschein Dr. Guy Ch. Camus Dr. H. Idris Dr. J. Madamba Dr. H. Oslage Dr. V. Ruttan Dr. T. A. Taylor. In addition, Dr. D. Hopper and Dr. J. G. ten Houten have resigned from the Committee as from the end of 1977. All of those whose term of office expires, except Dr. Camus and Dr. Ruttan, were appointed to the Committee at the beginning of 1976. Dr. Camus was appointed in 1974 and Dr. Ruttan in 1973. The future composition of the Committee was discussed at meetings of the co-sponsors on September 8 and 13 and on November 4. The cosponsors were particularly concerned that the situation which arose at the end of 1976, when appointment of five new members had to be made, should be avoided in future and decided that it would be desirable to arrange appointments and reappointments in such a way that only 3 or 4 members would be replaced each year. Consequently, they recommend the following reappointments: Distribution: CG Members TAC Chairman TAC Secretariat .../

Dr. A. Blumenschein for 2 years
Dr. Guy Ch. Camus for 1 year
Dr. H. Idris for 1 year
Dr. J. Madamba for 1 year
Dr. H. Oslage for 2 years
Dr. T. A. Taylor for 2 years.

- 3. From time to time members of the Group are asked to suggest candidates for service on the TAC. After reviewing all the suggestions and information on hand in response to these requests, the co-sponsors recommend that Dr. G. I. Trant be appointed to serve the remainder of Dr. Hopper's term which expires at the end of 1978 and that Dr. L. C. Evans and Dr. C. C. Thomsen be appointed for terms expiring at the end of 1979 to fill the vacancies created by the departures of Dr. Ruttan and Dr. ten Houten. Curricula vitae of these three proposed new appointees are attached.
- 4. Members are asked for their early agreement to these recommendations so the nominees may be appointed in good time to attend the next TAC meeting in February. Any comments on these nominations should reach the Secretariat by December 23, 1977. In the absence of objection, we plan to notify the candidates of their appointment by December 31, 1977.

Attachments



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November 23, 1977

Dr. G. I. Trant
Senior Assistant Deputy Minister
Department of Agriculture
Sir John Carling Building
Carling Avenue
Ottawa, Canada KIA OC5

Dear Dr. Trant:

This is to confirm our telephone conversation yesterday.

As a result of the resignation of Dr. Hopper after only one year of his two-year term, a varancy exists on the Technical Advisory Committee of the Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research. The Co-Sponsors of the Group—the FAO, the UNDP and the World Bank—intend to propose to the Group for its approval that you be appointed to fill the unexpired part of Dr. Hopper's term which runs to December 31, 1978. The Co-Sponsors will also be proposing candidates to fill other vacancies arising on the TAC at the end of 1977. They will put forward all the candidates as a single slate in a few days time. Action by the Group should be complete by mid-December. Assuming the action is favorable, you will be officially offered the appointment soon thereafter.

The first meeting of the TAC in 1978 will be Kebruary 14-21 in Rome. A second meeting is scheduled for June 6-13 in Nairobi.

I was very glad to hear from you that you would be willing to accept appointment if it is offered and to serve until December 31, 1978.

Members of the TAC serve in their individual capacity. They receive an honorarium for each day spent on TAC business and their travel expenses (transportation plus subsistence per diem) are met from the TAC budget. As soon as your appointment is approved, the TAC Secretariat will send you information on terms of service and the program of work for the upcoming year.

In response to your request for background information I enclose some general information on the CGIAR and a copy of the 1977 "Integrative Report" —a sort of annual report by the Secretariat.

You will, I am sure, find service on TAC interesting and an opportunity to help in solving very difficult problems facing the developing countries.

November 23, 1977

The members of the Group rely heavily on the advice of TAC. Your knowledge and understanding of the economic aspects of the problems to be settled will be very welcome.

If you have any questions, I will be glad to answer them.

Sincerely,

(signed) Michael L. Lejeune

Michael L. Lejeune Executive Secretary

Enclosures

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November 7, 1977

Mr. Brian Webster
Eechnical Advisory Committee, CGIAR
Food and Agriculture Organization
of the United Nations
Via delle Terme di Caracalla
Rome 00100, Italy

Dear Brian:

Attached is a copy of an invoice for verbatim reporting service during Centers Week. The share of the TAC amounts to \$1,715 for the service used during the TAC meetings on September 9 and 10.

I would appreciate your sending a check payable to the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development. You can send the check to me and I will forward it to our Controller's Department.

Regards,

Sincerely yours,

Carlos B. Gavino

Attachment

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November 3, 1977

#### Your Ref: 16.1

Sir Charles Pereira Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food 10 Whitehall Place London SWIA 2HH, England

Dear Sir Charles:

-see file 20. Sept. 1577

Thank you very much for your letter about the functions of TAC's Quinquennial Review missions. You raised a number of interesting and important points.

Your letter was timely, for the subject of the function of these reviews will be discussed at the upcoming meeting of the Consultative Group preliminary to its being taken up definitively by TAC at its next meeting. You will be in Paris to present the report on CIAT. I hope you will remain to listen to the discussion on the general question.

Your letter is a valuable contribution to the thinking on this question, and I appreciate your taking the trouble to write it. I hope the discussion in Chicago helped to illuminate the issues.

Sincerely,

Warren C. Baum Chairman

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Mr. Warren C. Baum

November 2, 1977

Michael L. Lejeune (signed) Michael L. Lejeune

#### Revised TAC Budget, 1978/79

- 1. Attached is a summary of the revised TAC budget (October 21) compared with that (June 21) reviewed at the last Co-Sponsors' meeting in September.
- 2. For cosmetic reasons, the revised budget as submitted by Mahler excludes \$100,000 from UNDP for a P4/5 post in the TACSSecretariat. This has been added back to the attached table; the total two-year budget is \$1,037,000, compared to the previous estimate of \$1,301,950. Detailed comparisons of the two budgets are not possible since prime increases are treated differently in each budget.
- 3. The assumptions on which the revised budget are based are in line with the discussion at the September Co-Sponsors' meeting. However, we do not recall an explicit agreement to a 20% increase in emoluments as from January 1, 1978.
- 4. You will recall that the Co-Sponsors agreed to review the TAC budget near the middle of the biennium, and in particular, see whether three meetings might be needed in 1979. Present planning assumes two seven-day meetings each year. Personally, I would think interest would flag after three or four days and there would be a marked decline in effectiveness, so it may be appropriate to review this question after the first marathon in February.
- 5. The Co-Sponsors may wish to note that the budget revisions continue a shift of available resources from TAC members to TAC services (Chairman and Secretariat).

	Revis budge	Maria Carrier	Origi 78 bu	nal1/	Curre 78 bu	
	\$1000	%	\$'000	%	\$1000	%
Personal services (Chairman and Secretariat)	201	37	308	47	267	51
Travel, meetings	287	53	282	43	215	42
Contractual services, reserve, general	_53	10	61	10	_36	
Total	541	100	651	100	518	100

<sup>1/ 50%</sup> of biennial budget.

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<sup>2/</sup> With 20% cost increase distributed across the board.

#### TAC 1978-79 Budget

		Current budget Oct. 21	Previous budget as presented June 21	Previous budget with cost increase distributed
10.	Personal Services	US\$	US\$	US\$
	01. Salaries:			
	(1 D-1, 1 P-5, 1 P-4, 1 P4/5, 1 G-5, 1 G-4 and 1 G-3)	458,900	441,960 1/	530,350
	03. Temporary Staff, Meetings	13,200	16,000	19,200
	04. Consultants (Cummings): 120 Working days per year at \$240 per day	57 (00		
	*	57,600	48,000	57,600
	05. Overtime	4,000	7,000	8,400
	0.4	533,700	512,960	615,550
20.	Travel on Official Business 2/			
	Four $\frac{3}{}$ TAC Meetings	240,000	300,000	360,000
	TAC Working Groups and Evaluation Missions	120,000	100,000	120,000
	Other Miscellaneous Travel	70,000	70,000	84,000
		430,000	470,000	564,000
30.	Contractual Services			
	Authors contracts, and printing four TAC Reports, Mission Reports and Working Papers	20,000	32,000	38,400
40.	General Operating Expenses			
	Postage, cables, office supplies, hospitality, office overhead costs (Cummings), library and books	52,940	_70,000	84,000
	Cost Increase	_	216,990	_
	TOTAL	\$1,036,640	\$1,301,950	\$1,301,950
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June budget based on 1 D-1, 2 P-5, 1 P-4, 1 G-5, 2 G-4.

Previous budget based on six meetings.

Including honorarium and per diem of TAC and mission members.

#### Expected Resources 1978-79

		Current budget	Previous budget
		US\$	US\$
I.	Contributions		
	IBRD	200,000	204,000
	UNDP	300,000*	204,000
	FAO	200,000	204,000
	Government of Australia	254,000	250,000
	TOTAL CONTRIBUTION:	954,000	862,000
II.	Carry Forward from 1977		
	Unliquidated obligations (estimated)	-47,000	-47,000
	Reimbursement of advances:		
	1977 Review CIAT 1977 Review IITA	+50,000 +80,000	+50,000 +80,000
		83,000	_83,000
	TOTAL EXPECTED AVAILABLE FUNDS:	\$1,037,000	\$945,000

<sup>\*</sup>Includes contribution, amounting to US\$100,000, made by UNDP in the form of a project with FAO (TAC Secretariat) for the establishment of an additional Professional P4/P5 post in the TAC Secretariat.

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#### FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS

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TO: CGIAR Co-Sponsors

M. rimer DATE: 21 October, 1977

FM: Executive Secretary, TAC

SUBJ: Revi

Revised TAC Budget for 1978/79

Please refer to my memorandum to you on the same subject dated 21 June, 1977, and the report of the last meeting of the co-sponsors held in Washington on 8 and 13 September, 1977.

- 1. It is my understanding that the co-sponsors agreed to the following changes in the TAC budget for 1978/79:-
  - (i) The days spent on TAC business by the Chairman are increased from 80 to 120 per year, and his emoluments have been raised from US\$ 200 to US\$ 240 per day.
  - (ii) The emoluments of TAC members, when attending TAC meetings and participating in TAC missions, are raised from US\$ 150 to US\$ 180 per day.
  - (iii) The standard rate of per diem is increased from US\$ 50 to US\$ 60 per day.
  - (iv) The Chairman and members of TAC agreed to travel economy class, with a provision of 10 kg. excess baggage, and one day's stop-over on lengthy travel (e.g. more than 8 hours of flight).
    - (v) There would be only two meetings of TAC per year of seven days' duration instead of three annual meetings of five days' duration. However, the need for an additional meeting in 1978 will be reviewed by the co-sponsors in mid-1978.
  - (vi) The provisions for temporary staff, overtime, contractual services and general operating expenses have been reduced, in line with the reduction in the number of TAC meetings.

cc: Mr Lejeune, Executive Secretary, CGIAR, for information. .../

- 2. The provision for salaries under "Personal Services" shows the same pattern for staffing in the TAC Secretariat as last year. In fact, as requested by the Chairman of TAC, and agreed by the co-sponsors, an additional P-5 professional will be attached to the TAC Secretariat. This post does not appear in the TAC budget as it is provided through a special arrangement with UNDP.
- 3. With the above changes and provisions, the TAC budget for the biennium 1978/79 amounts to US\$ 936,640.
- 4. The expected resources include contributions of US\$ 200,000 each from the co-sponsors and US\$ 254,000 from the Government of Australia. In spite of some unliquidated obligations (estimated at US\$ 47,000) there will be a carryforward of some US\$ 83,000 from the 1977 budget as a result of reimbursement of the advances made to the Centres for the quinquennial reviews (US\$ 140,000). Total expected resources for 1978/79 would therefore amount to US\$ 937,000, thus covering expected expenditures.
- 5. This revised budget is now submitted for your approval.

#### 1978-79 BUDGET

10.	PERSONAL SERVICES		
	01. Salaries:	US\$	US\$
	(1 D-1, 1 P-5, 1 P-4,		
	1 G-5, 1 G-4 and 1 G-3)	358,900	
	03. Temporary Staff, Meetings	13,200	,
	04. Consultants (Cummings): 120 Working days per year at		
	\$ 240 per day	57,600	
	05. Overtime	4,000	433,700
20.	TRAVEL ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS 1		
	- Four TAC Meetings	240,000	
	- TAC Working Groups and Evaluation Missions	120,000	
	- Other Miscellaneous Travel	70,000	430,000
30.	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES		
	Authors' contracts, and printing four TAC Reports, Mission Reports and Working Papers		20,000
40.	GENERAL OPERATING EXPENSES		
	Postage, cables, office supplies, hospitality, office overhead costs		
	(Cummings), library and books		52,940
		TOTAL REQUIREMENT:	\$ 936,640

<sup>1/</sup> Including honorarium and per diem of TAC and mission members.

#### EXPECTED RESOURCES 1978-79

1.	CONTRI	BUTTONS	1		U	S\$			US	5\$
		IBRD			200	,000				
	8	UNDP			200	,000*		2		
		FAO			200	,000				
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						TOTAL	CONTRI	BUTION:	854,0	000
II.	CARRY	FORWARD	FROM	1977						
	- Unli	quidated	obliga	tions (est	imated	) - 47,	000			

- Reimbursement of advances:

1977 Review CIAT

1977 Review IITA

TOTAL EXPECTED AVAILABLE FUNDS:

+ 50,000

+ 80,000

US\$ 937,000

83,000

<sup>\*</sup> Another contribution, amounting to US\$ 100,00, made by UNDP in the form of a project with FAO (TAC Secretariat) for the establishment of an additional Professional P4/P5 post in the TAC Secretariat.

Mr. John K. Coulter

October 31, 1977

Michael L. Lejeune

(signed) Michael L. Lejeune

Candidates for Plant Pathologist for TAC

1. Ralph Cummings telephoned ,me this morning to say that he had been consulting with a member of the faculty at Raleigh (Dr. Coling?) about possible specialists in plant pathology and epidemiology. The following names were suggested to him:

P.M.E. Bourke
Director of the Meteorological Service
44 Upper O'Connor Street
Dublin, Ireland

Joseph Rotem Volcani Center P. O. Box 6 Bel-Dagan, Israel

Fred T. Last Institute of Forestry Research Edinburgh, Scotland EH9 3JU

- 2. Last week, possibly from the same source, Cummings got the name of a Dutchman -- Jon C. Zadoks -- who apparently has a very high reputation in Europe.
- 3. This morning I also spoke to Bob Cunningham to find out if he knew any of the above candidates and how he would compare them with Posnette.
- 4. Cunningham said that Posnette was a very wise man, a member of the Royal Society, who enjoyed a high reputation. It is true that while in West Africa he specialised in cocoa. This by no means represents the breadth of his knowledge and understanding of tropical agricultural diseases. He has done a lot of work for ODM over a wide spectrum. It is true, however, that his experience has been essentially with tree crops and perennial crops rather than with annual crops.
- 5. He knows Last well and would not put him as high as Posnette, particularly since for the last several years he has been exclusively concerned with forestry.
- 6. Cunningham said that in his opinion Hirst, also a member of the Royal Society, and like Posnetter a man of impeccable reputation, would in his view be the best candidate among those he knows, though he recognizes that Hirst's forthrightness during the course of the CIP review mak have caused difficulties.

- 7. He does not know Bourke, Zadoks or Rotem.
- 8. In sum, Cunningham would rank the British candidates in the following order:
  - 1. Hirst
  - 2. Posnette
  - 3. Last.
- 9. I understood Cummings to say that he did not have curricula vitae for Bourke, Rotem or Last, but was sending us one on Zadoks.

cc: Messrs. Ritchie Hayman Gavino

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CONSULTATIVE GROUP ON INTERNATIONAL AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS Via delle Terme di Caracalla, 00100 Rome, Italy Cables: FOODAGRI ROME - Telex: 61181 FOODAGRI Telephone: 5797 11 May, 1977 PR 3/11.1 Gen Dear Mike, As we proceed with the quinquennial reviews of the Centres, our experience indicates that larger budgetary provisions may have to be made to cover the costs of these reviews. As you know, the review costs include those incurred by the TAC Secretariat for the travel, per diem and emoluments of the Review Panel, printing of the report, and the travel of the Panel's Chairman to present the report to TAC and the CGIAR. In addition, the Centre concerned incurs some expenses while under review. These vary with the Centre but usually cover transport for visits to field stations within the host country of the Centre and the typing and photocopying of the first draft of the report. Review costs have increased for the following reasons:air travel has become more expensive; at the Consultative Group's request, the Centre's (ii) outreach activities are covered more extensively by the review: (iii) the review teams now set up for Centres dealing with many commodities, such as CIAT and IITA, are necessarily larger than those for the Centres reviewed so far, such as IRRI, CIMMYT and CIP. I attach hereto a list giving the costs directly incurred by TAC for the IRRI and CIMMYT reviews and the estimated costs for the CIAT and IITA reviews. On this basis, you may wish to adjust the budgetary provisions for the CIAT and IITA reviews. As to future reviews, much will depend on the Centre to be reviewed. I shall take advantage of the meeting of Centre Directors in Cali, at the end of the month, to ascertain the future review schedule, and will keep you informed. With my best personal regards, Yours sincerely, P.J. Mahler Executive Secretary Mr Michael T. Lejeune Executive Secretary, CGIAR 1818 H. Street, N.W. Washington D.C. 20433, U.S.A.

#### COSTS INCURRED BY TAC SECRETARIAT

Α.	COSTS (ACCOUNTS FINALIZED)	
	Reviews completed:-	US\$
	International Rice Research Institute (IRRI) 23 November to 14 December, 1975	53,471
	Centro Internacional de Mejoramiento de Maiz y Trigo (CIMMYT) 23 March to 4 April, 1976	42,574
В.	ESTIMATED COSTS (ACCOUNTS NOT YET FINALIZED)	
	Review completed:-	
	Centro Internacional de Agricultura Tropical (CIAT) 13 to 29 April, 1977	55,000
	Review not yet completed:	
	International Institute for Tropical Agriculture (IITA) 16 October to 8 November, 1977)	90,000

<sup>1/</sup> Costs incurred directly by the host centre are not included.

<sup>2/.</sup> As per programme proposed in the progress report submitted to the 16th TAC Meeting (doc. no. DDD/TAC: IAR/77/15)