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His Excellency,

This year, Switzerland is celebrating its 700th year as a confederation. In the context of this septcentennial, many events have been planned to encourage retrospection on the history of Switzerland. But even more, the issue is to place the emphasis on the present and future of Switzerland within the contemporary global environment.

The Festival of Solidarity, which will be taking place in the canton of Graubünden, is one of these events. It is to be an internationale festival with participants from all parts of the world. **A symposium on the North-South dialogue entitled "Whose world is it?" will be annexed to the event in Disentis/Mustér from August 20 to 22, 1991.** It is intended to give proponents of the arts and sciences, business leaders and politicians from all over the globe an opportunity to consider the future relationships among the peoples and nations of the planet. The enclosed papers will inform you on the keynote topics and main speakers at the symposium.

On August 21 an evening event is planned featuring a political personality of world stature to address the audience on the North-South dialogue question.

Switzerland and the organizers of the symposium would be very honored if you would accept to be our guest of honor for this symposium and address the participants on the mentioned occasion. We are convinced that your presence and your words would be of



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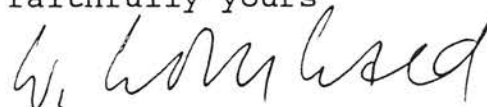
the greatest importance for the members of nations and peoples meeting in Switzerland. It would be an essential element for our discussions on the challenges which face the world community.

The Project group urges you to accept this invitation and to join us in Disentis/Mustér.

May we ask you to let us know, at your earliest convenience, if you will honor us with your presence?

Looking forward to hearing from you soon

faithfully yours



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