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Dear Prof. Dr. Ruben C. Umaly,

EARTH ASIA MEETING AT MAEJO UNIVERSITY, CHANG MAI, THAILAND FROM 2 TO
4
APRIL 2001

Thank you for your e-mail of 13 March 2001.

I regret to inform you that our Vice-Chancellor is unable to attend the
above meeting as he will be in Japan. However, he has nominated Prof. Dr.
Wan Sulaiman Wan Harun, Senior Professor, Department of Land Management,
Faculty of Agriculture, Universiti Putra Malaysia to represent him at the
meeting in Chang Mai, Thailand from 2 to 4 April 2001.

We look forward to receiving the PTA ticket for Prof. Dr. Wan Sulaiman Wan
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Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

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Dear Dr.Jalaludin,

Greetings from SUT!!!

I was informed by Meg Harris of Salzburg Seminar that she has sent letters of invitation to participate in the organizational meeting of EARTH ASIA from 2 to 4 April at Maejo University, Chang Mai, Thailand.

Meg has however not received any confirmation of your participation and has requested me to follow up the invitation. There are only two weeks left and so we will be trying to invite alternates if you will not be available. We however, would like to have you as our participant if possible. Thus, kindly send us your decision ASAP.

Thank you and with best regards.

Sincerely,
Prof.Dr.Ruben C.Umaly
Director, CIA

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Dear Dr. Jalaludin,

Salzburg Seminar (based in Austria and USA) and EARTH (Escuela Agricultura del Region Tropical Humeda) University (based in Costa Rica) in cooperation with Noragric (Norway Agricultural Center) have initialed a project on "Sustainability, Education and the Management of Change in the Tropics"

Its overall mission is to analyze the challenges confronting the tropics and examine the ability of innovative educational models to provide means for sustainable development.

For the time being, it focuses on issues of sustainable agriculture and natural resources development/management in the humid tropics and the role of higher education institutions in these processes and activities.

There had been two seminars organized to discuss the issues and propose strategies and actions. The first one was in 1999 in Salzburg, Austria and the second one in August 2000 in Costa Rica. In between, there has been meeting of the Executive Committee composed of representatives of the three organizations – Salzburg Seminar, EARTH and Noragric and Two Regional Advisory Teams – one from Africa (headed by the University of Uganda) and one from Asia (with members from Bogor Agricultural University of Indonesia, Asian Institute of Technology and Suranaree University of Technology from Thailand and recently the University of Agriculture and Forestry of the National University of Vietnam, Ho Chi Minh City.

During the recently concluded Executive Committee Meeting in Washington DC (October 2000), it was agreed that the proposed next meeting will be at Suranaree University of Technology, Nakhon Ratchasima, Thailand sometime in March or April 2001. The definite day will be announced soon. In this connection, a one-day Forum of some representatives of agricultural universities in the region will be organized. Your name has been suggested by the members of the Regional Advisory Team EARTH ASIA (Bogor Agricultural University, Asian Institute of Technology, Suranaree University of Technology, University of Agriculture and Forestry, VNU Ho Chi Minh

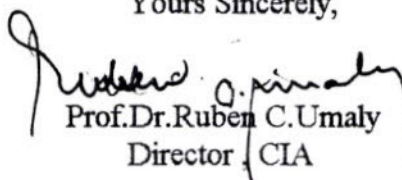
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The Network is aimed at providing a forum for : (1) Sharing of results/experiences on Developmental Projects and researchers,(2) Discussion on relevant issues on sustainable agriculture in Asia ; and facilitating (1) Faculty and Student exchanges between interested colleges and universities of Agriculture (2) Collaboration in producing and sharing of existing teaching - learning materials(3) Networking for other collaborative projects and activities

The subthemes of the discussion would include:

Looking forward to your participation. With best regards.

Yours Sincerely,



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