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... **World Habeas Corpus** ... "the difference between civilization and tyranny."

SIR WINSTON SPENCER CHURCHILL

"**World Habeas Corpus** is a concrete program whereby the now only morally binding **Universal Declaration of Human Rights** would be made, by the voluntary consent of the nations of the World, a legally binding commitment enforceable in an **International Court of Habeas Corpus** which would function through appropriately accessible regional courts."

JUSTICE WILLIAM J. BRENNAN, JR., *United States Supreme Court*

"If it (**World Habeas Corpus**) can be made to grow in strength, it can become a mighty power for order and decency and peace in the world."

ERWIN N. GRISWOLD, *Dean, Harvard Law School*
United States Solicitor-General

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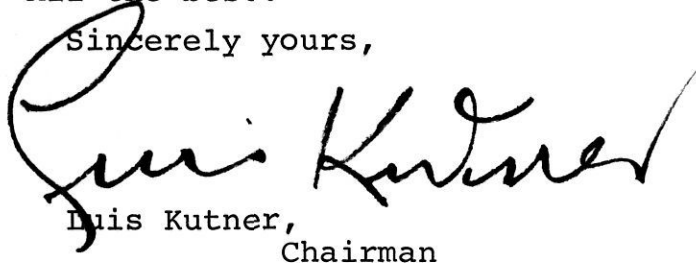
My dear MR. DE GRAZIA: Your projection on HAROLD is superb.

I believe the tributaries to funding might be in MICHAEL REISMAN'S network.

I believe I am privy to information on HAROLD that is exclusive and unknown. I would be happy to cooperate, but try and get me before it is too late. I am going on 81.

All the best.

Sincerely yours,



Luis Kutner,
Chairman

LK/m

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WORLD HABEAS CORPUS

"I express my support of the honorable aims and endeavors of WORLD HABEAS CORPUS."

Norodom Sihanouk,
Chief of State of Cambodia
"You have my personal support in behalf of WORLD HABEAS CORPUS. I wish you and the organization good luck."

Sir Roy Welensky,
Prime Minister,
Federation of Rhodesia
and Nyasaland

"Der Herr Bundespräsident directs me to advise you of his support of the principle of WORLD HABEAS CORPUS and the INTERNATIONAL COURTS OF HABEAS CORPUS."

Der Kabinettsdirektor,
DR. TRESCHER
Österreichische
Präsidentenkanzlei
Vienna, Austria

"We wish you success in your endeavors. The writ of HABEAS CORPUS exists in Israel and is embodied in the law of the State."

Prime Minister's Office by
Syd Applebaum,
Secretary for Public Affairs,
Jerusalem, Israel

"I thank you for your invitation to me to be a sponsor of the concept of WORLD HABEAS CORPUS and the regional INTERNATIONAL COURTS OF HABEAS CORPUS, which invitation I accept most willingly."

"I believe that having regard to the trends in modern government a world court system charged with the responsibility for the protection of individual liberty and security under the rule of law is indispensable, if civilization is to survive."

"In my view, it should be the duty of all interested in the rule of law and ordered society to support any movement organizing towards achieving that objective. It is in that spirit that I readily accept your invitation."

Sir Udo Uduma,
Chief Justice High Court,
Kampala, Uganda

"WORLD HABEAS CORPUS commands my enthusiastic support and I shall regard it as a great honour to become a sponsor."

Thomas A. Doyle,
Chairman General Council of
the Bar of Ireland

"You have my firm support to the objectives of WORLD HABEAS CORPUS and the regional INTERNATIONAL COURTS OF HABEAS CORPUS."

Dr. Policarpo A. Yurrebaso
Viale, President,
Federacion Argentina de
Colegios de Abogados

"I have the honor to inform you that I approve and support your action in favor of the application of the principle of WORLD HABEAS CORPUS."

Prince Souvanna Phouma
Royaume du Laos

"In reply to your letter inviting our sponsorship in support of WORLD HABEAS CORPUS, I refer to the work for shaping a convention against arbitrary imprisonment in the United Nations. In this work Sweden partici-

"We in this country, in this generation, are—by destiny rather than choice—the watchmen on the walls of world freedom."

JOHN F. KENNEDY

"The basis for an ordered world is law."

EARL WARREN

"The universal expression in the field of human rights of the aims of our world today, a world where the memory is still fresh of some of the worst infringements of human rights ever experienced in history and a world which is also facing the problems of human rights in new and increasingly complicated form, is the significance of the Declaration of Human Rights."

DAG HAMMARSKJÖLD

"Any human society, if it is to be well ordered and productive, must lay down as a foundation this principle, namely, that every human being is a person, that is, his nature is endowed with intelligence and free will. By virtue of this, he has rights and duties of his own, flowing directly and simultaneously from his very nature which are, therefore, universal, inviolable and inalienable. If we look upon the dignity of the human person in the light of divinely revealed truth, we cannot help but esteem it far more highly."

POPE JOHN XXIII

"Human rights will develop only as nations agree on common standards and procedures like HABEAS CORPUS. What this world needs is a 'Universal Law without a Universal Society', if by universal society is meant a society of which all the human race have a direct connection with a central authority. We will have to be content with a universal society of nations for a long time, carrying out President Kennedy's idea of 'a world safe for diversity'. The effort to realize the Universal Declaration of Human Rights should continue."

QUINCY WRIGHT, former President, The American Society of International Law,
Professor, University of Virginia

"The proponents of WORLD HABEAS CORPUS are therefore moving in the right path in insisting upon a discriminating and efficient general principle of law and method rather than a sovereign political authority as the basis of a world legal order."

Roscoe Pound, Dean Emeritus, Harvard Law School

"I believe the Rule of Law should cover all the world and in particular, there must be no vacuum in the protection of fundamental human rights. I think WORLD HABEAS CORPUS is a primary requirement in the national and international societies."

Justice Kotaro Tanaka, The International Court of Justice

"WORLD HABEAS CORPUS fulfills the demands of the United Nations Charter for respect of Human Rights and answers the problem of arrest and detention without Due Process of Law which is an abuse of ancient standing and modern exemplification."

Professor Quincy Wright, Former President, American Society of International Law

"A movement such as WORLD HABEAS CORPUS, promoting the general principles of the rule of law and leading towards the acceptance of an international jurisdiction, is indeed worthy of the wide support which I see it is, in fact, receiving. I wish it every success."

Lord Shawcross

"I am ready to cooperate with this most desirable organization of WORLD HABEAS CORPUS. The principle 'Peace Through Law' was always one of my ideas concerning the improvement of international relations."

Dr. Hans Kelsen

1. WORLD HABEAS CORPUS can prove to be the major instrument to realize the creative potential of an international society.
2. WORLD HABEAS CORPUS emerges at the right time in the history of man's struggle for liberty and equality. It provides the international legislative process in the prime arena of growth of specific public policy.
3. WORLD HABEAS CORPUS is a force tempered by the Charter and the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and recognizes the absolute value of the individual. It manifests itself as a courageous self-assertion for individuals and groups in a world society.
4. WORLD HABEAS CORPUS repudiates arbitrary power and is devoted to the force of the rule of law.
5. WORLD HABEAS CORPUS can be the phenomenon of leverage in international social control and a concrete tool for world peace.

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pates actively and we hope it will lead in result so that our common aim will be reached."

Tage Erlander,
Statsminister,
Stockholm, Sweden

"The Government of Ceylon adheres to the objectives and principles of WORLD HABEAS CORPUS insofar as it can be achieved without impairment to national sovereignty or security."

C. Mahendran,
Ministry of External Affairs,
Colombo, Ceylon

"In behalf of Bundespräsident Spühler, I have the honor to assure you of our support of WORLD HABEAS CORPUS and wish you success in the project in behalf of the world."

Eidgenössisches Justiz- und Polizeidepartement
Der Departementssekretär
NICSMBern, Switzerland

"We in Mexico, by our Constitution, guarantee individual rights through the Juicio de Amparo. We express our continued support of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights of Article 80. In view of our history and our law, we take this opportunity to express our approval of WORLD HABEAS CORPUS."

Jose Gorostiza,
Secretario de Relaciones Exteriores, Mexico

"In behalf of the President of the République Fédérale du Cameroun, I have been charged with the duty of expressing to you our consideration and support of the distinguished proposal of WORLD HABEAS CORPUS."

Njoya Arouna,
Le Ministre de la Justice,
Yaoundé, Cameroun

"I am delighted to acknowledge my sponsorship of the concept of WORLD HABEAS CORPUS and the regional INTERNATIONAL COURTS OF HABEAS CORPUS. It is a great pleasure for me to declare that I fully sponsor the above mentioned concept."

"I do but express my firm and deep belief in stating that the Rule of Law is the ideal means for safeguarding Human Rights and, consequently, the dignity of the International Collectivity. Likewise, it is a vital security to mankind in the shadow of liberty and peace."

"No national or international justice could possibly be administered in a sound manner without the consecration of the great principle of the Rule of Law in any National or International system."

Dr. Hassan Kamel,
Director General and
Legal Adviser of the
Government of Qatar

"I trust that the actualization of the WORLD HABEAS CORPUS, through the institution of a WORLD COURT system, will be the most important task of our civilization and the main achievement of human progress."

Silvio Tavolara,
President of the
Supreme Court of
Cassation of Italy

"I have much pleasure in supporting WORLD HABEAS CORPUS."

Sir Isaac Wolfson

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