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Regional Meeting-Viña del Mar, Chile
November 15 to 19, 1981

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Santiago, March 31, 1981

Mr. Christian Gandil
Østerbrogade 56 C
2100 Copenhagen Ø
Denmark

Dear Mr. Gandil,

We really appreciate your offer concerning the presentation of a paper on "Democracy. Limited or Unlimited", but unfortunately we do not have the resources to reimburse your expenses. If there is a change in this situation, we will gladly inform you.

We very much look forward to your visit to Chile.

Sincerely yours,

REGIONAL MEETING EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

PEDRO IBANEZ OJEDA
President

Santiago, 19 de junio de 1981

Señor Don
Ralph Gassman
Bandera 60 - 5º piso
Presente.-

Estimado señor:

Nos es grato dirigirnos a Ud. para informarle acerca de la Reunión Regional que la Sociedad Mont Pelerin celebrará en Viña del Mar en el mes de noviembre próximo.

Como es de su conocimiento, la Sociedad Mont Pelerin, fundada en 1947 por el profesor Friedrich von Hayek, reúne en su seno a profesores universitarios, académicos, investigadores, hombres de empresa y políticos en el propósito de debatir las ideas relacionadas con la permanencia de un sistema social libre. En el curso de su existencia, la Sociedad ha realizado diversas reuniones durante las cuales se han discutido los temas de mayor relevancia en el acontecer político, social y económico contemporáneo. Entre los académicos que han presidido esta sociedad pueden destacarse, entre otros, los nombrados de Friedrich von Hayek, Wilhelm Röpke, Milton Friedman y Arthur Shenfield.

En la Reunión Plenaria realizada el año recién pasado en la Hoover Institution, California, el Directorio de la Sociedad presidida ahora por el economista japonés Chiaki Nishiyama, acordó efectuar, por primera vez en nuestro país, la Reunión Regional correspondiente al año 1981. Será ésta la oportunidad para reunir a un importante grupo de miembros e invitados de la Sociedad de Latinoamérica, Estados Unidos, Europa y Oriente y quienes según el programa que le adjuntamos, analizarán temas de especial interés para el mundo occidental, interviniendo como expositores y panelistas, profesores e investigadores de alto reconocimiento internacional.

La realización de esta reunión en Chile, al mismo tiempo de significar un honor y una alta responsabilidad, contempla el financiamiento de la misma en todos sus aspectos. El Comité Regional integrado por los señores Pedro Ibáñez, Carlos Francisco Cáceres, Rolf Lüders, Jorge Cauas, Pablo Baraona y Hernán Cortés, ha estimado necesario, para esos efectos, solicitar una contribución a las empresas de mayor importancia en el país en consideración a que los objetivos de la Sociedad Mont Pelerin están íntimamente vinculados a la permanencia de la iniciativa privada. Ello nos mueve a pedir a su empresa una ayuda financiera por \$ 400.000.-

La favorable acogida a esta solicitud constituirá para el Comité Regional la oportunidad de organizar en el país una reunión que habrá de tener la mayor trascendencia.

Saludan a Ud. muy atentamente

CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
COMITE REGIONAL

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA
COMITE REGIONAL

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SR JOSE PEDRO GALVAO DE SOUSA
RUA AVARE 43
AVARE 01243
SAO PAULO
BRASIL

AGRADECEMOS SU OFRECIMIENTO PARTICIPAR EN TEMA ''DEMOCRACIA''
PARA EL QUE YA TENEMOS CONTRIBUCION PAULO AYRES, PERO NOS
COMPLACERA ADEMAS ESCUCHAR SU PARTICIPACION EN DEBATE GENERAL.

CORDIALES SALUDOS PEDRO IBAÑEZ++*
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Santiago, 16 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Ralph N. Gassman
Presidente ESSO Chile S.A. Petrolera
Alameda Bdo. O'Higgins 1170 - 5º piso
P r e s e n t e .-

Estimado señor:

El Comité Regional de la Sociedad Mont Pelerin agradece muy sinceramente el aporte de \$ 100.000.- con que ESSO Chile ha cooperado a la reunión que la Sociedad realizará en Viña del Mar en Noviembre próximo.

Junto con expresarle nuestro reconocimiento por su importante colaboración, es muy grato para este Comité formularle a Ud. una invitación para concurrir a las sesiones y actos que contempla el programa de dicha Conferencia, y que nos permitimos acompañar con la presente.

Esperando tener el agrado de contar con su participación en las deliberaciones de la Sociedad, lo saludan muy atentamente

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY


Carlos Francisco Cáceres


Pedro Ibáñez O.

R.S.V.P. fono: 497639
(desde 12 horas)

Santiago, 20 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Cristián Gubler
Forestal S.A.
Ahumada 11 - Of. 602
Presente.-

Estimado señor Gubler:

Tenemos el agrado de informarle que entre los días 15 al 19 de noviembre se reunirá en Viña del Mar The Mont Pelerin Society.

Esta Sociedad, fundada en 1947 por el actual Premio Nóbel Friedrich von Hayek, ha congregado a distinguidas personalidades y a académicos en disciplinas políticas, económicas, filosóficas, históricas, etc. Entre ellos al presidente de Italia Luigi Einaudi, a Wilhelm Röpke, Ludwig von Mises, Milton Friedman, etc.

La Sociedad ha sido centro de exposición y debate de las ideas elaboradas por sus miembros (menos de 200 en sus primeros años, y hoy día aproximadamente 400), pero ella no adopta acuerdos ni publica sus trabajos, a menos que lo hagan sus miembros como difusión de los pensamientos y doctrinas de cada cual.

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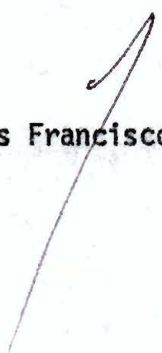
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Con motivo de la reunión de noviembre próximo, cuyo programa adjuntamos, hemos recibido autorización para cursar un número limitado de invitaciones a personas interesadas en los debates de la Sociedad. Y en esta virtud, nos dirigimos a Ud. para invitarlo a participar en la reunión de Viña del Mar conforme al programa y demás antecedentes que acompañamos a esta carta.

Atendida la limitación ya mencionada, mucho le apreciaremos quiera Ud. hacernos saber, a la brevedad posible, su decisión o su imposibilidad de asistir.

Saludan muy atentamente a Ud.

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY



Carlos Francisco Cáceres



Pedro Ibáñez O.

R.S.V.P.: fono 497639
(desde 12 horas)

Santiago, 20 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Eduardo Gomién D.
Huérfanos 979 - Of. 613
Presente.-

Estimado Sr. Gomién:

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THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Carlos Francisco Cáceres


Pedro Ibáñez O.

R.S.V.P. fono: 497639
(desde 12 hrs.)

Santiago, 20 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Fernán Gazmuri
Hendaya 46
Presente.-

Estimado Sr. Gazmuri:

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THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Carlos Francisco Cáceres



Pedro Ibáñez O.

R.S.V.P. fono: 497639
(desde 12 hrs.)

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VIÑA DEL MAR, 23 de Octubre de 1981.

Señor
Máximo Gainza
Director
Diario La Prensa
Avda. de Mayo 567
Buenos Aires
ARGENTINA

De mi consideración:

Me es muy grato adjuntar a Ud. por encargo de don Carlos Francisco Cáceres, Miembro del Comité Regional para la Reunión de la Sociedad Mont Pelerin, un programa y una hoja de registro, según lo anunciado en telegrama enviado hoy.

Sin otro particular le saluda

muy atentamente,

KRISTIN GORKE FUHRMANN
Secretaria del señor
CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES

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VIA TRANSRRADIO
CARTA NOCTURNA

SEÑOR
MAXIMO GAINZA
DIRECTOR
DIARIO LA PRENSA
AVDA. DE MAYO 567
BUENOS AIRES
ARGENTINA

LO INVITAMOS EN NOMBRE DE DON ALBERTO BENEGAS LYNCH A UD. O A LA
PERSONA QUE DESIGNE A LAS REUNIONES DE LA SOCIEDAD MONT PELERIN EN
VIÑA DEL MAR, CHILE, QUE TENDRAN LUGAR ENTRE DIAS 15-19 DE NOVIEMBRE.
VA CARTA CON FORMULARIO DE REGISTRO.

ATENTOS SALUDOS
CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES

CASILLA 846- VIÑA DEL MAR
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Santiago, 5 de Noviembre de 1981

Señores
ESSO CHILE S.A. PETROLERA
Casilla 50-D
Santiago

Atención: Sr. Guillermo García C.
Gerente Asuntos Públicos

De nuestra consideración:

En nombre de don Pedro Ibáñez Ojeda, Presidente del Comité Ejecutivo de la Reunión Regional de la Sociedad Mont Pelerin, ~~nos es muy grato agradecer~~ a Uds. el cheque por la cantidad de \$ 200.000.- como una contribución a los gastos que origina la mencionada reunión, a celebrarse este año en Viña del Mar, el que ciertamente es un aporte al éxito de la misma.

Sin otro particular, saluda atentamente a Ud.,



CARMEN MARIA MONTES
COORDINACION GENERAL

Santiago, 2 de noviembre de 1981

Señor
Oscar Garrido
Asesor Ministro Educación
Departamento Educación Superior
Presente.-

Estimado señor:

La Sociedad Mont Pelerin acordó en la Reunión Plenaria realizada el año recién pasado en la Hoover Institution, California, efectuar la Reunión Regional correspondiente al año 1981 en la ciudad de Viña del Mar.

El Comité Ejecutivo tiene el agrado de invitar a Ud. a participar en las sesiones y actos que se detallan en el programa adjunto que se llevarán a cabo entre los días 15 al 19 de noviembre próximo.

Será muy grato contar con su presencia en las deliberaciones de la Sociedad.

Le agradeceremos comunicarnos su respuesta a esta invitación, como también, enviarnos el formulario de registro que se adjunta.

Le saludan muy atentamente

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Carlos Francisco Cáceres


Pedro Ibáñez O.

LETRA "G"

CORRESPONDENCIA RECIBIDA

The Mont Pelerin Society
Edwin J. Feulner, Jr., Treasurer
P.O. Box 7031
Alexandria, Virginia 22307 U.S.A.

July 30, 1981

Mr. Pedro Ibañez
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
Vina del Mar, Chile

Dear Mr. Ibanez,

In regard to your letter of 6 May, 1981, I believe the membership of The Mont Pelerin Society now totals over 412. At any rate, I have enclosed a copy of the recently completed Directory which also, we hope, contains the most recent addresses of the members.

Sincerely,

Bridgett Gaines
Assistant to the Treasurer

José Pedro Galvão de Sousa
Rua Ovaré 43
AVARE
01243 São Paulo

São Paulo, 02 de setembro de 1981

29 de Set.

Ilmo. Sr.

D. Pedro Ibañez

Presidente do Comitê Executivo de

The Mont Pelerin Society

Viña del Mar

Prezado Senhor,

Sou muito grato pelo convite que me foi dirigido para participar do Encontro Regional da Mont Pelerin Society a realizar-se em Viña del Mar de 15 a 19 de novembro próximo. / Tenciono comparecer, na companhia de minha esposa. Solicito a fineza de informar: a) se a quantia indicada de US\$ 500.00 deve ser enviada desde já por cheque bancário; b) se me é dado / apresentar uma comunicação dentro do tema "Democracy, limited/ or unlimited", e qual o limite de páginas.

Aliás, falei hoje com o nosso comum amigo Paulo/ Ayres Filho a respeito. Gostaríamos de poder apresentar uma / contribuição do Brasil para tão relevante certame, tendo de mi nha parte numerosos estudos e pesquisas sobre mencionado tema, a respeito do qual troquei idéias, há poucos anos , com / Gottfried Dietze, de passagem por São Paulo.

Com os melhores votos, e mui cordialmente, sub-
creve-se

José Pedro Galvão de Sousa

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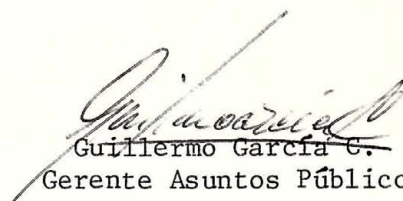
7 de Octubre de 1981

Señor
Pedro Ibañez
Providencia 545
Santiago

Muy señor mío:

De acuerdo con nuestra última conversación telefónica, adjunto un cheque por la cantidad de \$ 100.000, correspondiente a nuestra contribución a la Sociedad Mont Pelerin para el desarrollo de su próxima Reunión Regional a efectuarse en Viña del Mar, en Noviembre próximo.

Saluda a usted muy atentamente,


Guillermo García G.
Gerente Asuntos Públicos

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Adj.



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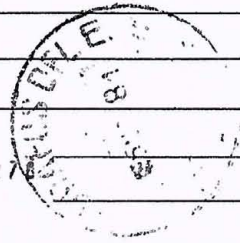
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Santiago, 23 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Pedro Ibañez O.
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
Viña del Mar

Estimado don Pedro:

Agradezco muy sinceramente la gentileza que la Sociedad Mont Pelerin ha tenido al invitarme a participar en las sesiones y actos comprendidos en la próxima reunión que el Comité Regional de esa Sociedad llevará a efecto en Noviembre próximo.

Lamentablemente durante esas fechas deberé atender compromisos contraídos con mucha anterioridad, lo cual impedirá mi asistencia a sus reuniones.

Deseo a ustedes el mayor éxito en esta Conferencia, que sin duda será de gran relevancia para el acontecer nacional.

Saluda a usted muy atentamente,

Ralph N. Gassman
Gerente General

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Sociedad Nacional de Agricultura

S. 354

Santiago, 3 de Noviembre de 1981

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Señor
Pedro Ibáñez
Presente

Muy señor nuestro :

Por especial encargo del Presidente don Germán Riesco, doy respuesta a su atenta, de 28 de Septiembre, - en la que se le invita a participar en la reunión que The Mont Pelerin Society celebrará en Viña del Mar en el próximo mes de noviembre.

Para el Presidente habría sido del más alto interés concurrir a la referida reunión dada la importancia de los temas que se analizarán y la calidad de los exponentes. Sin embargo, durante varios de los días que abarcará la reunión deberá cumplir obligaciones de carácter gremial contraídas con anterioridad, lo cual, muy a su pesar, le impide comprometer su asistencia al evento en referencia.

Con todo, me ha solicitado le trasmita que de estimarse útil su presencia en alguna de las jornadas programadas, está desde ya a sus gratas órdenes.

Agradeciéndole su amable invitación y deseándole el mayor éxito en su reunión, lo saluda muy atentamente,

[Handwritten signature]
RAUL GARCIA ASTABURUAGA
SECRETARIO GENERAL

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LETRA "H"

CORRESPONDENCIA ENVIADA

Santiago, July 7, 1978

Mr. Ralph Harris
c/o I.E.A.
2 Lord North Street
Westminster, London

Dear Mr. Harris:

As I am presently working on my plans to attend the Hong Kong meeting, I feel I should let you know in advance of a request I would like to put before the Board of Mont Pelerin.

I sincerely feel that there are good valid reasons to consider Chile as the place for the 1980 meeting of the Society. Economic as well as political developments in my country may be worth reviewing and analyzing on the spot.

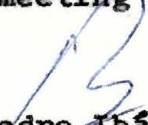
Needless to say, a group of top economists, business leaders and government officials would be only too glad to co-operate and welcome the members of the Society.

I can assure you that the Chilean group could arrange an interesting and appropriate programme, including of course entertainment of such a distinguished group.

Although Chile might be considered by some people to be at the end of the world, I doubt whether Hong Kong is really any closer!

If you share my view regarding the above, do you think I could count on your support and backing, when the time comes to set forth this suggestion to the Board of the Society?

Looking forward to meeting you at Hong Kong, I remain yours sincerely


Pedro Ibáñez O.
President
Fundación Adolfo Ibáñez

Providencia 545
Phone 494933
Santiago, Chile

Santiago, January 26th, 1981

Dear Ralph

As a Mont Pelerin meeting would be inconceivable if you were not present, we are counting on your attendance at the Regional Meeting in Viña del Mar next November.

and ~~As~~ We would also request your participation as a speaker, we have taken the liberty of including your name in the preliminary agenda, the items of which being still subject to amendment.

As regards speakers and participants in the discussions, some or those on the list have already expressed their willingness to participate and we are writing to invite the rest.

Should you wish to suggest any changes in the agenda or in the names proposed, or if you prefer a subject different to the one in the programme, please do not hesitate to tell us. Any suggestions, comments or criticism on your part will be always welcome.

You would, of course, be our guest - for all practical purposes!

I am greatly looking forward to your forthcoming visit.

My best wishes as ever

Lord Harris
House of Lords
London.-

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Santiago, January 26th, 1981

Professor
Friedrich A. Hayek
Urachstrasse 27
D-78 Freiburg I. BR
Wirthmannplatz 1
Germany

Dear Professor Hayek,

We are very happy with the announcement of your visit to Chile in April and to know that your stay will be longer than originally planned.

On that occasion, we hope to have the pleasure of discussing with you the Regional Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society which will be held in Viña del Mar from 15th to 19th November 1981 and to hear from you personally, whether it will be possible for you to attend.

I enclose herewith a tentative agenda of the Meeting. The subjects could, if necessary, be changed. Some speakers and participants in the discussions have already confirmed their attendance, and we are sending invitations to the rest.

In your case, we took the liberty of including your name in connection with the theme "Democracy, Limited or Unlimited?" and trust to receive your usual outstanding contribution, which would no doubt greatly enhance the significance of the Conference. After reading your recent and most fascinating statements to "L'Express", I feel that perhaps "Constructivism and Decartes" influence on this subject, could be an extremely interesting new insight.

Needless to say, any comments, suggestions or criticism you may have concerning this meeting would be greatly appreciated.

We very much look forward to welcoming you in our country.

Cordially yours,

Pedro Ibáñez

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Santiago, February 13, 1981

Professor
W.H. Hutt
The University of Dallas
Irving, Texas 75061
U.S.A.

Dear Professor Hutt,

Many thanks for your letter of January 15. As Mr. Pedro Ibañez is on vacation, I am answering this letter on his behalf. I am very happy that you will attend the November Meeting and thank you for offering to contribute a paper to the sessions.

We shall meet with President Nishiyama in April to decide on the definitive agenda. We shall consider your offer and answer immediately afterwards.

Sincerely yours,

REGIONAL MEETING EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE


HERNAN CORTES DOUGLAS
Secretary

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Santiago, 27 de marzo de 1981

Me tomo la libertad de dirigirle estas líneas para informarle que entre los días 15 y 19 de noviembre próximo tendrá lugar un Regional Meeting de The Mont Pelerin Society en Viña del Mar.

El Comité Regional de la Sociedad, que presido, cursó una invitación a Mr. Alan Walters invitándolo a venir, y a presentar un paper para esta conferencia. Posteriormente he sabido que sus obligaciones oficiales harían improbable la visita a Chile de este destacado personero del Gobierno Británico.

Ello me ha hecho pensar en que si Ud. tuviese alguna vinculación personal o de otro orden con Mr. Walters, tal vez querría tener la amabilidad de ayudarnos en nuestro intento de que se realice su visita a Chile. Nos interesaría particularmente encomendarle a él el tema de la agenda "Should State Enterprises exist?".

Le ruego excusar las molestias que puedan imponer estas líneas a las cuales no son ajenos, por cierto, mis deseos de ayudar a restablecer las buenas influencias que recibimos de Gran Bretaña durante tan largo tiempo.



H.E. John M. Heath
Embajador de Gran Bretaña
Presente.-

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Santiago, April 2, 1981

Professor
William H. Hutt
The University of Dallas
Department of Economics
Irving, Texas 75061
U. S.A.-

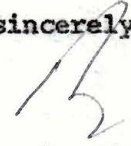
Dear Professor Hutt,

Back from holidays, I am very glad to learn that you will attend the Regional Meeting in Viña del Mar, next November.

As to your offer of a paper, I am afraid our program is already complete. But we will revise this program in April with Dr. Nishiyama and the Regional Committee. Should any possibility arise to include a paper of yours, I'll write you immediately. Anyway, you could participate as a discussant.

Looking forward to ^λ meeting you in Chile, I remain

sincerely yours


Pedro Ibáñez

Santiago, April 9, 1981

Dear Ralph,

I presume your welcome letter of March 13th. crossed with the message Sir David Orr was kind enough to convey on my behalf.

We must regret your impossibility to attend the conference at Viña del Mar, but I quite comprehend the pressing circumstances that might emerge from your political forecast. However if by any chance you could spare the time to come, you may rest assured that a very warm welcome awaits you here in Chile.

As to the headed paper, we must admit that we photographed the letter-head of a letter in my files, without realizing that changes had been made in the Society's Board. Following your advise, I'll check with Max Thurn.

Arthur Shenfield is coming, as well as Mrs. Shenfield. Milton and Rose Friedman will also attend, as well as Christian Watrin, L.A. Sjaastad, Gottfried Dietze, Erick Kuehnelt-Leddihn, all of them, amongst others, having accepted to address the Conference.

In two weeks time the Regional Committee will meet in Santiago with Nishiyama and Hayek to discuss both the

Agenda and the speakers. I'll certainly bear in mind Anthony Lejeune, a good friend of mine, whom I highly appreciate.

May I wish the best success for Britain and your government, both so close to our hearts.

Warm regards

*P.S. Could you help us trying
to convince Brian Crozier to
come as a speaker?*

Lord Harris
House of Lords
London.-

Santiago, May 6, 1981

William R. Havender, Ph.D.
One Eagle Hill
Berkeley, Ca. 94707
U.S.A.-

Dear Dr. Havender,

I have read with great interest your kind letter of 13th. April in which you suggest a paper for the Mont Pelerin Regional Meeting to be held in Viña del Mar in November.

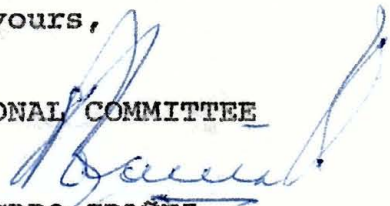
The Regional Committee shares your interest in broadening the range of subjects at these conferences in order that the Mont Pelerin meetings should not be confined as a matter of preference to economic matters.

In theory we would have considered with interest the inclusion of Biochemical topics, particularly in view of the possibility of your attendance and that of other distinguished scientist in this field. Unfortunately the subjects for all the sessions were agreed upon some time ago and all the corresponding papers have been requested.

In the light of these circumstances we can but regret that it is not possible to comply with your suggestion for which we are nevertheless very grateful. We shall bear in mind possibility of presenting the subject of socio-biology on a future occasion in order to demonstrate the success of spontaneous order.

Sincerely yours,

REGIONAL COMMITTEE


PEDRO IBANEZ
President

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Santiago, May 8, 1981

Professor R.M. Hartwell
Nuffield College
Oxford - England

Dear Professor Hartwell:

I have pleasure in informing you that the Regional Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society is to take place in Viña del Mar from 15th to 19th November 1981.

It is my pleasant task to invite you to attend this Conference and to ask you to act as a discussant on the subject "Democracy, Limited or Unlimited". Papers on this subject are to be prepared by James Buchanan and possibly Gottfried Dietze and Christian Watrin. We should be very glad to have you with us and to hear your enlightened views on the proposed topic.

In conformity with established custom your travelling expenses and the cost of your stay in Viña will be defrayed by the Regional Organizing Committee of the Conference.

Looking forward to your reply,

Yours sincerely

REGIONAL COMMITTEE

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ
President

Arthur Seldon

VIÑA del Mar, June 22, 1981.

Mr. R.M. Hartwell
Nuffield College
Oxford OX1 1NG
ENGLAND

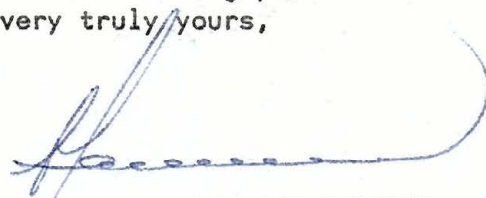
Dear Mr. Hartwell,

On behalf of Mr. Pedro Ibáñez O., who is in Europe, I am very pleased for your acceptance to our invitation to attend the Regional meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society in Viña del Mar this coming November.

Concerning the plane tickets you will hear from us in the next few weeks.

We will send you the papers on the topic "Democracy, Limited or Unlimited" as soon as we received them.

Looking forward to seeing you in Viña del Mar this coming November, I remain very truly yours,



CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
REGIONAL COMMITTEE

Arthur Seldon

VIÑA DEL MAR, 3 de Julio de 1981.

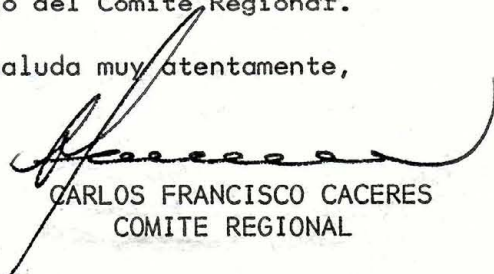
Señor
Arnold Harberger
Profesor
University of Chicago
Department of Economics
1126 East 59 th street
Chicago, Illinois 60637
U . S . A .

Estimado profesor Harberger:

Recordará Ud. nuestra muy corta conversación con ocasión de la presentación de su paper en la Conferencia Internacional sobre Experiencias de Política Económica celebrada en el mes de Abril en Viña del Mar. En esa oportunidad le manifesté, en nombre del Comité Ejecutivo para la Reunión de la Sociedad Mont Pelerin, el agrado de contar con su participación como relator en el tema "Tributación Directa o Indirecta? Un Nuevo Enfoque de Política Tributaria". En ese tópico se han pedido también las contribuciones de los profesores Gordon Tullock y Arthur Seldon.

La presente tiene por objeto confirmar a Ud. esta invitación y solicitarle a Ud. el envío del trabajo en una fecha anterior al 30 de Septiembre próximo. En su debida oportunidad recibirá Ud. la información en relación a los papajes y estadía en Viña del Mar, gastos ambos, que serán de cargo del Comité Regional.

Le saluda muy atentamente,


CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
COMITE REGIONAL

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Arthur Seldon

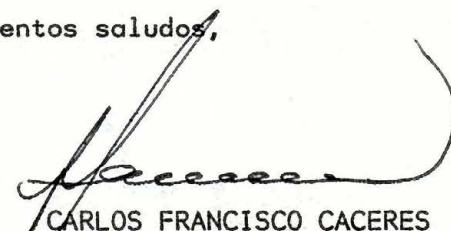
VIÑA DEL MAR, J3 de Julio de 1981.

Profesor
Arnold Harberger
PRESENTE

Estimado señor Harberger:

Le adjunto copia de la carta que le enviara a Estados Unidos. Le agradeceré tomar nota de la fecha en la cual deben remitirse las respectivas presentaciones.

Atentos saludos,


CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
COMITE REGIONAL

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VIÑA DEL MAR, September 29, 1981.

Professor
Arnold Harberger
University of Chicago
Department of Economics
1126 East 59 St. , Chicago, Illinois 60637
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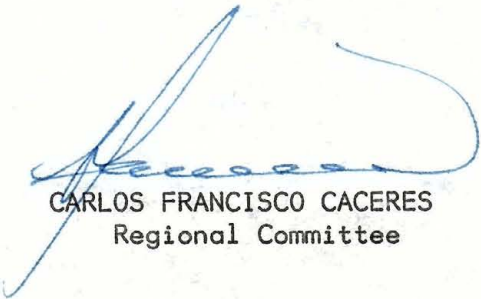
Dear professor Harberger,

I just want to remind you about the paper that you will present on the Mont Pelerin Society Regional Meeting to be held in Viña del Mar this coming November.

Up to this date we have not received the original of the paper and I will thank you to mail it as soon as possible in order to prepare its reproduction as well as to send it to the discussants.

Looking forward to seeing you in Viña del Mar this coming November, I remain

Very truly yours,



CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
Regional Committee

Santiago, 22 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Juan Hurtado Vicuña
Huérfanos 886 - Of. 814
Presente.-

Estimado señor Hurtado:

Tenemos el agrado de informarle que entre los días 15 al 19 de noviembre de reunirá en Viña del Mar The Mont Pelerin Society.

Esta Sociedad, fundada en 1947 por el actual Premio Nóbel Friedrich von Hayek, ha congregado a distinguidas personalidades y a académicos en disciplinas políticas, económicas, filosóficas, históricas, etc. Entre ellos al Ministro de Economía y Canciller de Alemania Ludwig Erhard, al presidente de Italia Luigi Einaudi, a Wilhelm Röpke, Ludwig von Mises, Milton Friedman, etc.

La Sociedad ha sido centro de exposición y debate de las ideas elaboradas por sus miembros (menos de 200 en sus primeros años, y hoy día aproximadamente 400), pero ella no adopta acuerdos ni publica sus trabajos, a menos que lo hagan sus miembros como difusión de los pensamientos y doctrinas de cada cual.

Las reuniones de la Sociedad no tienen pues la finalidad de promover cursos de acción ni hacer propaganda a determinadas doctrinas. Pero, atendida la vasta

influencia de sus miembros y las líneas de pensamiento que comparten, se ha decantado con los años una concepción económica que encuentra creciente acogida en vastos sectores del mundo.

Con motivo de la reunión de noviembre próximo, cuyo programa adjuntamos, hemos recibido autorización para cursar un número limitado de invitaciones a personas interesadas en los debates de la Sociedad. Y en esta virtud, nos dirigimos a Ud. para invitarlo a participar en la reunión de Viña del Mar conforme al programa y demás antecedentes que acompañamos a esta carta.

Atendida la limitación ya mencionada, mucho le apreciaremos quiera Ud. hacernos saber, a la brevedad posible, su decisión o su imposibilidad de asistir.

Saludan muy atentamente a Ud.

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Carlos Francisco Cáceres

Pedro Ibáñez O.

R.S.V.P. fono: 497639
(12 hrs. adelante)

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA

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Santiago, November 28, 1983

Many thanks for the invitation to the Cambridge General Meeting.

Nothing would give me greater pleasure than to return to Britain, visit Cambridge and attend the Mont Pelerin meeting. Regrettably, however, I see little chance of leaving Chile at the present time. I have been persuaded to accept a sort of boy scout assignment as administrator of an important business consortium which has fallen into a state of financial disarray and am finding myself virtually deprived of all personal freedom on this account.

In the improbable event that an opportunity were to arise to visit London, I would not hesitate to put in an appearance at 2 Lord North Street.

With sincere regards and best wishes,

Lord Harris of High Cross
England.-

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CORRESPONDENCIA RECIBIDA



January 15, 1981

Dr. Pedro Ibañez
 The Mont Pelerin Society
 Casilla 846
 Viña del Mar
CHILE

Dr. Ibañez,

I am delighted at an opportunity of seeing your country. If your committee would like a paper from me I should be able to do one on the subject of "Taxes -- New approaches on tax-policy" or "Monetary system for a free society".

With kind regards.

Yours sincerely,

W. H. Hutt

W. H. Hutt

vacation
 Very happy that you'll attend
 Thank you for the offer of the paper
 We'll meet with President Hsieh-jung in April
 We'll consider your offer and answer immediately afterwards

memo to the Mont Pelerin

Dear Professor Hutt

As
 Many thanks for your letter of Jan 15. Mr Pedro Ibañez is on vacation, I am answering this letter in his behalf. We are very happy that you'll attend the November meeting and thank you for offering to contribute a paper to the session. In April we shall meet with President Hsieh-jung to decide on the definitive agenda. We shall consider your offer and answer immediately afterwards.

Sincerely yours

HCO secretary

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Mr. Carlos Caceres
Universidad Tecnica Federico Santa Maria
Escuela de Negocios de Valparaiso
Cinco de Abril 110
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17th February 1981

Dear Mr. Caceres,

Having returned from my recent journeys and got done with various conferences I am now beginning to make definite plans for my visit to South America in April and May. Since I have had earlier letters from Mr. Ibanez and Mr. Kast I am putting in this letter carbons of this one for the other two gentlemen.

I believe we have agreed that I should travel from here directly to Santiago de Chile on April 14th and continue from there to Buenos Aires on the 29th. I understand that during the Easter week there will be very little for me to do, and if you approve I might as well be a day or two later. I intend to travel with Mrs. Hayek and I am afraid that this will considerably increase expenses, particularly as at my age I can undertake such long journeys only if we travel first class. But since the invitation comes not only from Chile but also from Argentina (Mr. Alberto Benegas Lynch, Escuela Superior de Economica y Administracion de Empresas, Uriarte 2472, 1425 Buenos Aires) and Brazil (Mr. Henry Maksoud, Hydroservice, Rua Alfonso Celso 235, Sao Paulo CEP 04.119) I hope you can come to some arrangement about sharing the expenses. I can, of course, lay out the amount for the bookings when I buy them here so long as I am assured to be reimbursed for the outlay.

I am afraid that after visiting South America this Spring there is very little prospect that I can repeat such a visit in the autumn to attend the Mont Pelerin meeting at Vina del Mar, but I shall of course be glad to take part in the discussions for the plans for that meeting while I am at Santiago.

I have not yet made enquiries about the plane connections but I assume that if we leave here on the 14th April, presumably via Frankfurt, we shall arrive at Santiago sometime on the 15th. I shall be grateful if you could let me have a provisional programme for our stay before we set out from here.

With best regards,

I am Yours sincerely,

(F. A. Hayek).

Copies to: Mr. Miguel R. Kast
Mr. Pedro Ibanez

From: Lord Harris of High Cross
4 Walmar Close
Beech Hill
Hadley Wood, Herts
Tel: 01-449 6212

The Institute of Economic Affairs
2 Lord North Street
London SW1P 3LB
Tel: 01-799 3745



Pedro Ibanez,
Escuela de Negocios,
Casilla 846,
Vina del Mar, Chile.

17th March 1981

Dear Pedro

Following your letter of the 20th January, I assume you have already had the form I returned indicating that I would not be able to come to Chile for the regional meeting in November. Although it is flattering to be asked to speak at such an important meeting, I am afraid I simply have to resist the temptation owing to the pressure of so many other demands on my time. I am committed to taking part in the European regional meeting at Stockholm in September which anyway falls outside the Parliamentary year. But November could be a fairly critical time and I have to stand by to do what I can in the House of Lords and elsewhere.

I have no hesitation in recommending Arthur Shenfield as the best speaker from the United Kingdom and you might bear in mind Antony Lejeune who I believe edits a newsletter for some organisation for Anglo-Chile friendship. And there are any number of outstanding economists in the United States who I suspect would find the attractions of Vina del Mar quite irresistible.

Impressive as I find your headed paper I was surprised not to see the name of Arthur Seldon who was elected as a director at Stanford. Had you better check with Max Thurn that you have not omitted any other names? May I take this opportunity of sending all our best wishes for the Conference and also for the future economic prosperity of the free market economy in Chile.

Regards

Ralph

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William R. Havender, Ph.D.

One Eagle Hill
Berkeley, Ca. 94707
Tel: (415) 524-2791

April 13, 1981

Mr. Pedro Ibanez
Providencia 545
Santiago, CHILE

Dear Mr. Ibanez:

I saw Arthur Shenfield in Chicago over the weekend, and he invited me to be a speaker at the Mont Pelerin Society conference in Chile this fall. He asked me to submit proposals for a possible talk, subject to the approval of you and the organizing committee.

I am currently working in the area of environmental carcinogens with the world-renowned biochemist, Dr. Bruce Ames of the University of California at Berkeley. This is a topic that is highly relevant to many areas of the "new regulation" as this now transpires in the United States, cancer-causing chemicals being one of the prime areas of attention of the FDA (e.g., saccharin), OSHA (workplace carcinogens), and the EPA (emissions in the air and water). In particular we are documenting the vast differences in the intrinsic carcinogenic strengths of different chemicals, which strengths can range over some ten million-fold. The failure to take these important differences into account leads to such ridiculous situations as the FDA devoting an enormous fraction of its resources to secure a ban against saccharin, a chemical so weak in its cancer-causing potency that its maximum effect could not be detected by any feasible epidemiology study, i.e., banning it would have zero detectable effect on observed cancer rates. I could readily put together a talk covering this topic, stressing the need for taking these vast differences into account for any sensible, cost-effective decision-making in this area (whether by a regulatory agency or a private firm), and for setting priorities. Given the enormous cost impact upon the operation of private businesses that "environmental" regulations currently have, this is a matter of some importance to students of the efficient market.

A second possible topic would be to document instances where regulatory decisions have been made on the basis of faulty science, along the lines of an editorial I wrote last fall for the newsletter of the American Council on Science and Health (enclosed). The importance of this lies in the fact that the regulatory burden we are currently saddled with has historically come about largely by means of "forcing incidents", where an accident concerning the public's health was so frightening as to "force", in a political sense, the establishment of a regulatory mechanism to prevent similar instances from occurring in the future. The thalidomide tragedy, leading to the tightening

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*This is
a session
on such topics*
of the FDA's rules governing the introduction of new drugs, is one such example. Well, by golly, it is time to start documenting examples of gross regulatory failure and incompetence on the part of the regulatory agencies, as a tool to roll back the regulatory burden. Lou Lasagna has done this brilliantly in the area of therapeutic drugs (and I suggest that he be invited as a speaker if a session on this topic is approved), and the instances I have collected represent the start of an effort to do this in the area of cancer-causing chemicals.

A third possible topic might be sociobiology. I mention this because this was the subject of Hayek's contribution to the Hong Kong conference, and because of the natural interest of MPS members in documented instances of the successful working of the "spontaneous order", which of course is what sociobiology is about. I have several publications in this area, so does Gordon Tullock (who should also be considered as a speaker on this topic). Too, if a session were arranged on this general matter, it would provide me with the means to invite several prominent scientists to the Mont Pelerin Society, a broadening of interest which I understand is a goal of the Society. I have in mind Ed Wilson of Harvard, who is the "father" of sociobiology, whom I know and whom I could probably get to come if he is invited as a speaker. Other speakers might include my good friend Dr. Bernard Davis of the Harvard Medical School, who is a brilliant man and elegant speaker and who distinguished himself on the side of the angels in a titanic battle over "affirmative action" at the Harvard Medical School a few years back. He is also an admirer and acquaintance of Milton Friedman. Another possible speaker would be Dr. Arthur Jensen of my university here at Berkeley, who is probably the most distinguished person in the world in the field of educational psychology and who, too, is an admirer of Friedrich Hayek and Milton Friedman. A session including Hayek, Tullock, Wilson, Davis and Jensen as key speakers would be an intellectual blockbuster.

I hope some of these ideas may be of interest to you.

Cordially,

William R. Havender

cc: Arthur Shenfield



BRITISH EMBASSY,
SANTIAGO.

23 de abril 1981

Señor
don Pedro Ibañez Ojeda
Avda. Providencia 545
Depto 65
Presente.-

Estimado Don Pedro,

Mucho lamento el no haber podido contestar antes su carta del 27 de Marzo, ya que recientemente he regresado a Santiago.

Comprendo su deseo de asegurarse la asistencia del Profesor Walters a la Reunión de la Sociedad Regional del Mont Pelerin que se llevará a cabo el 15-19 de Noviembre, y puesto que yo lo conozco un tanto, le he escrito personalmente manifestándole la importancia que usted y sus colegas le confieren a su presencia aquí. Naturalmente yo me pondré en contacto con usted tan pronto tenga una respuesta de él.

Sinceramente,

Jim Heath

J M Heath



*Economy 1,500 -
First class 2,500 -
Business (Club class
to Miami + 1st class*

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TO C. L. S.
Sheffield
BRITISH EMBASSY,
SANTIAGO.

25 de mayo de 1981

Señor
don Pedro Ibañez Ojeda
Avda. Providencia 545
Depto 65
Presente.-

Estimado Don Pedro,

Continuando mi carta de fecha 23 de
Abril pasado, me permito manifestarle
que he sabido a través del Profesor Walters
que ha estado estudiando la posibilidad
de asistir a la Conferencia de Mount
Pellegrin Society, entre el 15 y el 19 de
Noviembre, con el señor Rolf Iuders, quien
ha visitado Londres recientemente; aunque
es casi seguro que sus compromisos
profesionales le impidan hacerlo.

Sinceramente

Mr. Hart-Walters

Arthur Sheffield Child - Money
Sir David Orr

J M Heath

Institute of Economic Affairs

Alan Walters

Richard Harrison

Brian Crozier

Robert Moss

John Jennifer Lyng

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9th June 1981

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Dear Pedro Ibanez,

I am delighted to accept your invitation to attend the Regional Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society in Vina del Mar in November 1981, and to act as a discussant on the subject 'Democracy, Limited or Unlimited'. It will be my first visit to South America, the last of the continents I will have visited, and will be a most interesting intellectual and social experience for me.

My kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

Max Hartwell

R.M. Hartwell

Sr. Pedro Ibanez,
Escuela de Negocios,
Casilla 846,
VINA DEL MAR,
CHILE.



Otto HABSBURG
*Mitglied des
Europäischen Parlaments*

July 12, 1981

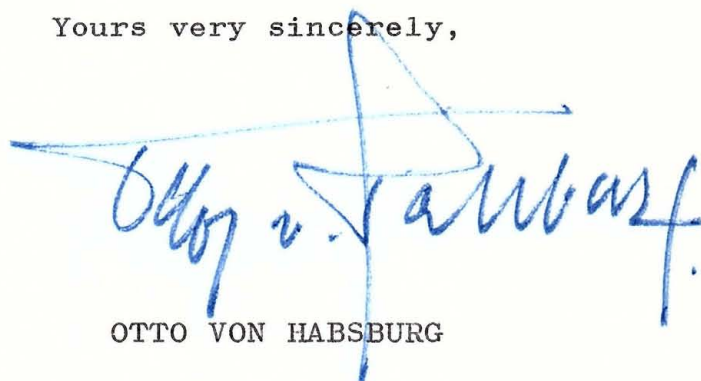
Dear Professor Ibañez,

Warmest thanks for the invitation and the data concerning the meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society in Chile in the month of November. I would have been most happy to come and to attend, but unfortunately the meeting takes place while we have a plenary session of the European Parliament of which I am a Member. Under these conditions, regretfully, I have to inform you that I cannot come.

I wish the meeting in Chile the greatest possible success.

I am, dear Professor Ibañez,

Yours very sincerely,



OTTO VON HABSBURG

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA

Santiago, 18 August, 1981

Prof. R.M. Hartwell
Nuffield College
35 St. Margaret's Road
Oxford OX2 6LD
England.-

Dear Prof. Hartwell,

I am pleased to inform you that preparation for the Viña del Mar meeting have been going ahead satisfactorily. A list is enclosed of the speakers who have so far agreed to take part in this event.

As regards discussants we are hoping to count, among others, on your own participation in the subject "Democracy, Limited or Unlimited?" and that of the Board members, Dr. Arvid Fredbofg.

In accordance with a suggestion put forwards by our President Dr. Nishiyama we shall complete the list of discussants giving preference to regional members of the Society.

We now take pleasure in submitting this formal invitation to attend the Viña del Mar Conference in the certainty that your participation will represent a valuable contribution to its success.

The cost of your travelling and hotel expenses and registration fees will be defrayed by the Regional Committee in the usual way.

I look forward to the pleasure of meeting you in Chile.

With kindest regards

REGIONAL COMMITTEE

Pedro Ibáñez

c. to Stockholm

DEAN WITTER REYNOLDS INC. 45 Montgomery St., San Francisco, CA 94104



SAMUEL H. HUSBANDS, JR.
Vice President, Investments

Handwritten initials and signature in blue ink.

October 28, 1981

Mr. Pedro Ibáñez
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
Vina del Mar
Chile

Dear Mr. Ibanez,

For telegram
[Handwritten mark]

I should like to suggest that an invitation to the Mt. Pelerin Society meeting in Santiago be sent to Mr. J. Rolando Espinoza Ramirez, C. P., Privado Contry 429, Monterrey, N.L., Mexico (57-07-71). Mr. Ramirez is presently Director D.A.C.S. Instituto Tecnologico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey. His advocacy of pure market principles harmonizes with that of the Mt. Pelerin Society and his inclusion at the Mt. Pelerin Society meeting should be beneficial to both. Though I have not had the honor of meeting Mr. Ramirez personally, it is with the highest recommendation that I present his name for consideration as a guest.

Yours very truly,

[Handwritten signature of Samuel H. Husbands, Jr.]
Samuel H. Husbands, Jr.

cc:Mr. David Theroux
Mr. J. Rolando Espinoza Ramirez



UNIVERSIDAD TECNICA FEDERICO SANTA MARIA
RECTOR

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Nº 936

Valparaíso, 28 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Pedro IBANEZ Ojeda
Presidente del Comité Ejecutivo de la
Reunión Plenaria de la Sociedad Mont Pélérin.
a.c. Escuela de Negocios de la Fundación Adolfo Ibáñez
Balmaceda 1625 - Recreo
VIÑA DEL MAR

Estimado Sr. Presidente:

Cúpleme agradecer su amable invitación a participar en las sesiones y actos de la Reunión Plenaria de la Sociedad Mont Pélérin que se llevará a cabo en Viña del Mar entre los días 15 al 19 de noviembre próximo.

Tendré gran placer en asistir en la medida que me lo permitan las actividades de mi cargo. Adjunto devuelvo el formulario de registro debidamente firmado.

Aun cuando el éxito de la reunión está garantido por el alto nivel de los relatores y por el prestigio de la Sociedad, me permito formular votos porque se cumplan plenamente los objetivos perseguidos.

Lo saluda con toda atención,

ISMAEL HUERTA DIAZ
Rector



UNIVERSIDAD TECNICA FEDERICO SANTA MARIA
RECTOR

Nº 946

Valparaíso, 20 de Noviembre de 1981

Señor

Pedro IBÁÑEZ Ojeda

Presidente del Comité Ejecutivo de la Reunión
Regional de la Sociedad Mont Pélérin.

VINA DEL MAR

Estimado Sr. Presidente:

Concluida la Reunión General 1981 de la Sociedad Mont Pélérin, cámpleme reiterarle mis agradecimientos por la invitación que me fuera formulada para participar en las sesiones y actos programados y que se llevaron a cabo entre el 15 y el 19 del presente.

Debo expresarle además mis felicitaciones tanto por el alto nivel de las exposiciones y comentarios como por la magnífica organización del encuentro.

Lo saluda con atención y afecto,

ISMAEL HUERTA DIAZ
Rector

The Mont Pelerin Society

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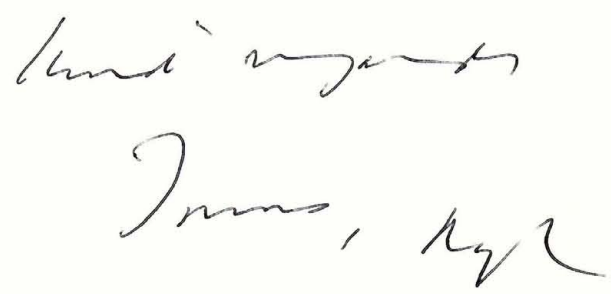
October 1983



I am glad to confirm that the 1984 General Meeting will be held at Cambridge during the first week of September. Accommodation will be severely limited by the size of a hall suitable for meetings as well as by the 300-350 beds available at the Garden House Hotel and nearby Queens' College. If you wish to be sure of a reservation, you should let Joan Culverwell have the completed application form as soon as possible.

The broad theme of our discussions will be How Fares the West? Papers will include reconsideration of The Road to Serfdom after forty years, Orwell's Nineteen Eighty-Four, the Keynesian heritage, the moral prerequisites of a free society and overcoming obstacles to restoring the market economy. Afternoon sessions will be divided into two or three concurrent discussions on such issues as trades unions, public choice, the abuse of science, sociological perspectives, the Soviet bloc, foreign aid, etc.

Cambridge does not offer all the modern facilities to which recent meetings have accustomed us. But it provides, at more modest cost, a unique setting, and we will do our best to make the most of its compensating advantages. I hope most of you will welcome the opportunity to arrive on Saturday so as to settle in and find your way around before the formal opening on Sunday.



Ralph Harris

The Mont Pelerin Society

1984 GENERAL MEETING: CAMBRIDGE

1st/2nd – 8th September, 1984

Organising Secretary:

Miss Joan Culverwell,
2 Lord North Street,
Westminster, London SW1P 3LB
Tel: 01-799 3745

October 1983

Dear Member,

In view of the decision by the Board of Directors that the limited accommodation at Cambridge will be allocated on a first-come first-served basis, I am sending all Members an application form with the basic information that will enable you to make your reservation.

You have an opportunity to indicate a preference between the Garden House Hotel and student rooms which offer a further choice between modern bed-sitters and more traditional pre-war or eighteenth century rooms (with plumbing to match) at lower prices. We are also inviting you to say whether you would prefer to arrive on Saturday to recover from your journey and look around Cambridge at leisure before being caught up in the programme which opens with the customary banquet on Sunday evening.

Those who make provisional reservations will be invited to confirm and return the registration fee early in the new year. We will then send the programme and set out the transport facilities that can be arranged from Heathrow to Cambridge. It is hoped that the main papers will be sent to all participants before the end of July.

Although speakers will include non-Members, the general rule is that Members will be given priority for booking over guests, at least until Easter, when we will know whether there is any spare accommodation.

Yours sincerely,



Joan Culverwell

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<i>Executive Committee:</i> President: Lord Harris of High Cross, UK	<i>Treasurer:</i> Edwin Feulner, USA				

MPS CAMBRIDGE MEETING: 1984

1. I would like to come to Cambridge
accompanied by

Please reserve me a room:

	single
	double

2. My order of preference for accommodation is indicated by marking 1, 2, 3, 4. (prices below)

Garden House Hotel

Queens' College	modern single bed-sitter
	modern double bedroom plus sitting room
	older bedroom plus sitting room

3. I should like to book from Sunday 2nd to Saturday a.m. 8th
from Saturday to Saturday a.m.

4. Any further comments or questions?

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Name

Address (if different from envelope)

PROBABLE REGISTRATION FEES:

Members	£150	)	includes lunches,
		)	
Spouses	£200	)	banquets, excursion,
		)	
Guests	£300	)	papers, etc.

Approximate cost PER PERSON per night, including breakfasts and dinners *

Garden House Hotel - single occupancy	£45
- double occupancy	£35

Queens' College rooms	£25
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* EXCLUDING LUNCHEES AND BANQUETS COVERED BY REGISTRATION FEE.

The Mont Pelerin Society
Edwin J. Feulner, Jr., Treasurer
P.O. Box 7031
Alexandria, Virginia 22307 U.S.A.

February 1984

Dear Fellow Member:

I have been asked by the Board to write a history of the Society and for this purpose I am asking you to fill in the enclosed questionnaire. The Society is not politically active and its work has centered in meetings and discussions, with some publications. In consequence, there are few archives, so that the history of the Society is largely in the minds of its members. It is necessary for me, therefore, to have a direct and detailed knowledge of the members, and of their association with and opinions of the Society. Hence, the questionnaire. Information from, and opinions of, long-standing members will be particularly appreciated. The loan of archival material concerning the activities of the Society would also be appreciated.

All answers will be treated as confidential, and names, incidents and opinions will not be quoted without the permission of the member concerned. The main uses of the questionnaire will be to give an accurate profile of the Society and a detailed account of its activities. The general aim of the history will be to judge the Society in the light of its "Statements of Aims," a copy of which is enclosed, and to assess its role in the survival and revival of liberal ideas.

I would be grateful if you would answer the questionnaire carefully, and return it, if possible, within three months.

Sincerely,

Max Hartwell

Max Hartwell

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Encls: Questionnaire
Statement of Aims
List of Meetings

MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

The Aims of the Society.

(These Aims were those agreed by the Founder Members, 10 April 1947.)

The central values of civilisation are in danger. Over large stretches of the earth's surface the essential conditions of human dignity and freedom have already disappeared. In others they are under constant menace from the development of current tendencies of policy. The position of the individual and the voluntary group are progressively undermined by extensions of arbitrary power. Even that most precious possession of Western Man, freedom of thought and expression, is threatened by the spread of creeds which, claiming the privilege of tolerance when in the position of a minority, seek only to establish a position of power in which they can suppress and obliterate all views but their own.

The group holds that these developments have been fostered by the growth of a view of history which denies all absolute moral standards and by the growth of theories which question the desirability of the rule of law. It holds further that they have been fostered by a decline of belief in private property and the competitive market; for without the diffused power and initiative associated with these institutions it is difficult to imagine a society in which freedom may be effectively preserved.

Believing that what is essentially an ideological movement must be met by intellectual argument and the reassertion of valid ideals, the group, having made a preliminary exploration of the ground, is of the opinion that further study is desirable inter alia in regard to the following matters:

- (1) The analysis and exploration of the nature of the present crisis so as to bring home to others its essential moral and economic origins.
- (2) The redefinition of the functions of the state so as to distinguish more clearly between the totalitarian and the liberal order.
- (3) Methods of re-establishing the rule of law and of assuring its development in such manner that individuals and groups are not in a position to encroach upon the freedom of others and private rights are not allowed to become a basis of predatory power.

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- (4) The possibility of establishing minimum standards by means not inimical to initiative and functioning of the market.
- (5) Methods of combatting the misuse of history for the furtherance of creeds hostile to liberty.
- (6) The problem of the creation of an international order conducive to the safeguarding of peace and liberty and permitting the establishment of harmonious international economic relations.

The group described itself as the Mont Pelerin Society. It emphasised that it did not intend to create an orthodoxy, to form or to align itself with any political party or parties, or to conduct propaganda. Its sole object was to facilitate an exchange of ideas between like-minded scholars in the hope of strengthening the principles and practice of a free society and to study the workings, virtues, and defects of market-oriented economic systems.

Meetings of the Mont Pelerin Society

I. General Meetings

Mont Pelerin, Switzerland	1947	Knokke, Belgium	1962
Seelisberg, Switzerland	1949	Sommering, Austria	1964
Bloomendaal, Holland	1950	Stresa, Italy	1965
Beauvallon, France	1951	Vichy, France	1967
Seelisberg, Switzerland	1953	Aviemore, Scotland	1968
Venice, Italy	1954	Munich, Germany	1970
Berlin, Germany	1956	Montreux, Switzerland	1972
St. Moritz, Switzerland	1957	Brussels, Belgium	1974
Princeton, U.S.A.	1958	St. Andrews, Scotland	1976
Oxford, England	1959	Hong Kong	1978
Kassel, Germany	1960	Stanford, U.S.A.	1980
Turin, Italy	1961	Berlin, Germany	1982

II. Other Meetings (May not be a complete list)

Tokyo, Japan	1966	Paris, France	1977
Caracas, Venezuela	1969	Amsterdam, Holland	1977
Rockford, U.S.A.	1971	Madrid, Spain	1979
Salzburg, Austria	1973	Stockholm, Sweden	1981
Guatamala	1973	Vina del Mar, Chile	1981
Hillsdale, U.S.A.	1975	Vancouver, Canada	1983

Mont Pelerin Society Questionnaire

Do not be constrained by the space allowed for questions. Answer on a separate sheet to give more detail.

I. 1. Name

2. Date and Place of Birth

3. Nationality

4. Address

5. Occupation

II. 1. When did you become a member?

2. Who proposed you?

3. Have you been a member of the Board or of organizing committees for meetings? (Give details)

4. What meetings have you attended? A list of meetings is appended.

5. What papers have you given at meetings? (Give Titles, Places, Dates.)

III. 1. Why did you become a member?

2. Why do you remain a member?

3. To what other societies with similar aims do you belong?

4. In what ways has the Society been important to you?

5. Has the Society changed significantly since you have been a member?

6. What criticisms would you make of the Society?

IV. 1. In what ways, in your opinion, has the Society been important in your own country?

2. What do you think is the international importance of the Society?

3. In what ways do you think the Society has contributed to a revival of Liberalism? (Liberalism in the classical European sense?)

- V. 1. Have you any records that would be useful for the writing of the history? Would you be willing to make them (or copies of them) available?
2. Relate any anecdote, personal reminiscence, or incident about the Society (its members, meetings or activities) in which you were involved, or which you observed, which might be of interest to an historian of the Society.

Questionnaire to: R.M. Hartwell
c/o The Mont Pelerin Society
P.O. Box 7031
Alexandria, Virginia 22307
U.S.A.

LETRA "I"

CORRESPONDENCIA ENVIADA

Santiago, May 6, 1981

Dr. Reed Irving
777, 14th. Street N.W.
Suite 427
Washington D.C. 20005
U.S.A.-

Dear Dr. Irving,

I am glad to inform you that the Mont Pelerin Society will hold a Regional Meeting in Viña del Mar, Chile, from 15 to 19 November 1981. And it is my pleasant task to invite you to attend this Meeting, and to say that it will be of particular interest to the members of the Society if you could prepare a paper on the subject "Freedom of Expression and Misinformation in the Western World".

We consider this to be one of the most important and serious topics at the present time. The evolution of the press - and for that matter of the media as a whole - towards the formation of large corporations requiring immense resources and complex technology seems to be limiting and even eliminating the smaller or weaker organs of communication. Thus in some cities there is a noticeable trend towards a growing monopoly of information, and fair advantage is not always taken of this situation of power. Furthermore, the big advertisers demand a large circulation for their advertisements, although they may later complain about the misleading information or the poor quality of the media they finance.

These comments only approximately suggest our concern underlying the inclusion of this item in the agenda, but they involve no suggestion of any kind. What are of particular interest to the Committee are your views, and therefore we would like to request you to elucidate this issue in the light of your special knowledge of the subject permanently expressed in your concern about "Accuracy in media".

We await with great interest your favourable response to this request. Needless to say, the cost of your fare and stay in Viña del Mar will be covered by the organizing Committee.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

REGIONAL COMMITTEE

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ
President

VIÑA DEL MAR, 6 de Julio de 1981.

Señor
Pedro Ibáñez Ojeda
Embajada de Chile
Ciudad del Vaticano
PRESENTE

Estimado don Pedro:

Espero que haya recibido mi carta anterior en que le comento una serie de novedades respecto a la Escuela de Negocios y a la próxima Reunión de la Sociedad Mont Pelerin.

En relación a esta última en los días recién pasados he recibido cartas de Thomas Sowell de la Hoover Institution y Gary Becker de la Universidad de Chicago, informando que lamentan no poder aceptar la invitación para presentar un paper en el tópico de Seguridad Social y Educación respectivamente. Para este último tema le he escrito inmediatamente una carta-invitación al profesor Fritz Machlup de la Universidad de Chicago, quien estaba como posible remplazante en nuestra lista original. Para el tema de Seguridad Social tengo dos alternativas una, solicitar a Roland Vaubel, quien ya ha aceptado su participación como discussant en el tema Monetario, y que en una primera carta había manifestado que podría presentar algún trabajo en el tema de Seguridad. He tratado de comunicarme con Vaubel en la Universidad de Chicago, donde se encuentra como profesor visitante, pero me han indicado que estará fuera por dos o tres semanas. La segunda alternativa se ha abierto luego de una conversación sostenida hoy con Jorge Cauas quien acaba de regresar de Europa luego de concurrir a unos seminarios de economía. En uno de ellos conoció al profesor Martin Janssen de Suiza, quien ha realizado una interesante investigación en el tópico de Seguridad Social y que contaría con el más alto deseo por asistir a la Reunión de la Sociedad. Con el antecedente de calidad señalado por Jorge me he tomado la libertad de escribirle de inmediato proponiéndole que presente un paper en ese tema. En todo caso si Ud. desea tomar contacto con él, ésta es su dirección y teléfono: Institut für Empirische Wirtschaftsordnung der Universität Zürich, Zollikerstr. 137, 08 Zürich, SUIZA, fono: 01. 554370/71/72.

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Respecto a la consulta que me hace en su carta del 19 de Junio que me escribi6 desde Londres, le puedo informar que la firma que se har6 cargo de la admnistraci6n de la reuni6n ha conseguido una importante rebaja en los pasajes a6reos que en nuestro presupuesto original ascendia a la cifra de U.F.R. 2.651,14 y que ha quedado en una cifra de U.F.R. 2.069,71.

El tema que m6s me preocupa por no tener a nadie todav6a confirmado es el de la "Libertad de Expresi6n". En relaci6n a este t6pico, en una carta que le he escrito a Erik von Kuehnelt-Leddihn acerca del problema de pasajes, le manifest6 que considerara la posibilidad de cambiar el t6pico de su presentaci6n de "Etica y Capitalismo" al de "Libertad de Expresi6n". Si Ud. lo pudiera ubicar por tel6fono para comentar esta alternativa ser6a muy conveniente. Para que Ud. recuerde, en el tema de "Etica y Capitalismo" ya tenemos la confirmaci6n de Henri Lepage y Arthur Shenfield. De Robert Moss todav6a no he recibido ninguna informaci6n como tampoco de Maksoud.

Tambi6n le he escrito una carta al profesor Sennholz, luego de una llamada telef6nica que me hiciera el padre de Alberto Benegas muy extra6ado porque el profesor Sennholz a6n no hab6a recibido una invitaci6n para intervenir como discussant en el tema Monetario. Me sorprendi6 bastante ya que no sab6a que Ud. hab6a llegado a ese acuerdo con Benegas. En todo caso la invitaci6n a Sennholz hace m6s factible la posibilidad de solicitarle a Roland Vaubel que presente un paper en el tema de "Seguridad Social".

El pr6ximo mi6rcoles 22 tendremos un Consejo de la Fundaci6n. Al t6rmino de ella proyectaremos la conferencia de Michael Porter para lo cual he extendido invitaciones a varios empresarios amigos de la Escuela. Ser6a una forma de agradecer el aporte que han hecho algunas empresas, a las cuales solicitamos la renovaci6n de la ayuda.

Deseo finalmente pedirle un gran favor. Aprovechando que estar6a con H6ctor Riesle, le agradecer6 transmitirle una petici6n que le formulara hace un par de a6os respecto a una Bendici6n Papal para nuestra familia. Espero que el recuerdo que Ud. le haga de esta petici6n, encuentre esta vez una mayor acogida.

Un saludo muy cordial,


CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
Decano

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VIÑA DEL MAR, September 29, 1981.

Mr. Reed Irvine
Chairman
Accuracy in Media
13416G Street
N. W., Suite 312
Washington D.C. 20005
U . S . A .

Dear Mr. Irvine,

I just want to remind you about the paper that you will present on the Mont Pelerin Society Regional Meeting to be held in Viña del Mar this coming November.

Up to this date we have not received the original of the paper and I will thank you to mail it as soon as possible in order to prepare its reproduction as well as to send it to the discussants.

Looking forward to seeing you in Viña del Mar this coming November, I remain

Very truly yours,


CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
REGIONAL COMMITTEE

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PORTO CERVO, 20.7.1981

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PENSANDOLO MEJOR ESTIMO QUE SU CARTA DEBE SER PERSONAL Y ENVIADA POR EXPRESO ENGARGO MIO.

CONVENDRIA INICIARLA EXPLICANDO QUE HE ESTADO 'ABROAD FOR TWO MONTH' Y QUE HABIENDO SIDO INFORMADO DE SU CARTA , LE HE PEDIDO A USTED POR FONO ANTICIPARLE LO QUE SEGUE :

EN LAS BREVES SAMANAS TRANSCURRIDAS ENTR SU VISITA A CHILE Y EL COMIDENWO DE MI VIASE, ACORMAMOS CON EL REGIONAL COMMITTEE LAS MEDIDAS TO IMPLEMENT LOS ACUERDOS ADOPTADOS POR EL (INCLUYENDO INVITACIONES ARGENTINA, BRAZIL ETC,)

ASIMISMO ACORDAMOS CON LOCAL COMMITTEE 'A SCHEME TO RAISE FUNDES TO MEET' THE CONFERENCE BUDGET''

SOBRE ESTAS MATEIAS USTED SE PERMITIRA RECORDARLE, ENUMERANDOLAS SUMARIAMENTE, EL MAYOR NUMERO DE DECISIONES QUE EL ADOPTO Y QUE NOSOTROS HEMOS CUMPLIDO.

SU CARTA TENDRA, PUES, CARACTER DE INFORMACION (QUE EVIDENTEMENTE HA FALTADO DE PARTE MIA) Y SUS DETALLES DEBERAN RESPONDER A LA CARTA DE EL DEBANDO DEMOSTRADO NUESTRO CUMPLIMIENTO DE SUS DIRECTIVAS Y POR TANTO, TACITAMENTE, LA ARBITRARIEDAD DE SU ACTITUD.

LA ENUMERACION DE TODO LO RESUELTO DEBE INCLUIR SU EXPONTANEO OFRECIMIENTO DE 20.000 QUE DE NUEVO AGRADECEMOS, Y SU LARGO ANALISIS CON HAYEK SOBRE EL TEMA DEL PRESIDENTIAL ADRESS ASUNTO DEJADO PENDIENTE POR EL MISMO. POR AHORA NO CONVIENE ALUDIR A LO DICHO A CORTES AL TOMAR EL AVION.

MANIFESTARLE FINALMENTE QUE TODA LA LABOR REALIZADA SE HA INCPIRADO EN SENTIMIENTOS DE COOPERACION Y RESPONSABILIDAD HACIA EL Y LA SOCIEDAD Y QUE POR TANTO A MI ME HA RESULTADO IMPOSSIBLE COMPRENDER LOS MOTIVOS QUE PODRIAN HABERLO INDUCIDO A LA DECISION QUE COMUNICA.

QUE A MI REGRESO DENTRO DE BREVES DIAS LE ESCRIBIRE DIRECTAMENTE. -70-

EN RESUMEN, LA CORTESIA DE LAS INFORMACIONES QUE USTED LE TRANSMITIRA DEBERAN DEJARLO LO PEOR PARADO POSIBLE ANTES QUIENES RECIBIERON COPIA DE SU CARTA , Y QUE AHORA RECIBIRAN LA DE USTED. NATURALMENTE HAY QUE HACERLE SABER ESTE ENVIO DE COPIAS SUYAS.

ESTIMO CONVENIENTE INFORMAR POR FONO Y PEDIR EVENTUAL INTERVENCION A BUCHANAN AYAU Y DIAZ Y TALVEZ A BENEGAS. TODO ELLO TAMBIEN A NOMBRE MIO Y CON EL OBJETO DE ADELANTAR ANTECEDENTES MIENTRAS VOLVEMOS A COMUNICARNOS CON ELLOS A MI REGRESO, CUANDO LO HARE ADEMAS CON THURN Y FUELNER.

CORDIALE SALUDOS

PIO

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POR FAVOR PARA QUIEN ES ESTE MENSAJE?+++NNN

MOM

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VALPARAISO

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VI RICHIAMEREMO PER INFORMARVI OK?

PARLEZ VOUS FRANCAIS?

NO SPANIN AND ENGLISH

OK WE THINK THIS MEZZWWW MESSAGE IS FOR MR CARLOS CACERES+

OK THANKS AND BYBY++

CAN YOU PLS PASS THE MESSAGE?+

YES I CALL NOW+ MANY THNKS ABD BYBY

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Santiago, 20 de Octubre de 1981

Señor
Gonzalo Ibáñez L.
Director Banco de Santiago
Ahumada 11 - 6° piso
Presente.-

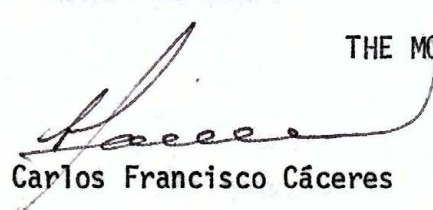
Estimado señor:

El Comité Regional de la Sociedad Mont Pelerin agradece muy sinceramente el aporte de \$ 292.500.- con que el Banco de Santiago ha cooperado a la reunión que la Sociedad realizará en Viña del Mar en Noviembre próximo.

Junto con expresarle nuestro reconocimiento por su importante colaboración, es muy grato para este Comité formularle a Ud. una invitación para concurrir a las sesiones y actos que contempla el programa de dicha Conferencia, y que nos permitimos acompañar con la presente.

Esperando tener el agrado de contar con su participación en las deliberaciones de la Sociedad, lo saludan muy atentamente

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY



Carlos Francisco Cáceres



Pedro Ibáñez O.

R.S.V.P. fono: 497639
(desde 12 horas)

Santiago, 20 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Nicolás Irarrázaval V.
Teatinos 120 Piso 11 - Of. 11
Presente.-

Estimado señor Irarrázaval:

Tenemos el agrado de informarle que entre los días 15 al 19 de noviembre se reunirá en Viña del Mar The Mont Pelerin Society.

Esta Sociedad, fundada en 1947 por el actual Premio Nóbel Friedrich von Hayek, ha congregado a distintas personalidades y a académicos en disciplinas políticas, económicas, filosóficas, históricas, etc. Entre ellos al Ministro de Economía y Canciller de Alemania Ludwig Erhard, al presidente de Italia Luigi Einaudi, a Wilhelm Röpke, Ludwig von Mises, Milton Friedman, etc.

La Sociedad ha sido centro de exposición y debate de las ideas elaboradas por sus miembros (menos de 200 en sus primeros años, y hoy día aproximadamente 400), pero ella no adopta acuerdos ni publica sus trabajos, a menos que lo hagan sus miembros como difusión de los pensamientos y doctrinas de cada cual.

Las reuniones de la Sociedad no tienen pues la finalidad de promover cursos de acción ni hacer propaganda a determinadas doctrinas. Pero, atendida la vasta

influencia de sus miembros y las líneas de pensamiento que comparten, se ha decantado con los años una concepción económica que encuentra creciente acogida en vastos sectores del mundo.

Con motivo de la reunión de noviembre próximo, cuyo programa adjuntamos, hemos recibido autorización para cursar un número limitado de invitaciones a personas interesadas en los debates de la Sociedad. Y en esta virtud, nos dirigimos a Ud. para invitarlo a participar en la reunión de Viña del Mar conforme al programa y demás antecedentes que acompañamos a esta carta.

Atendida la limitación ya mencionada, mucho le apreciaremos quiera Ud. hacernos saber, a la brevedad posible, su decisión o su imposibilidad de asistir.

Saludan muy atentamente a Ud.

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Carlos Francisco Cáceres

Pedro Ibáñez O.

R.S.V.P. fono: 497639
(desde 12 horas)

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Santiago, 28 de octubre de 1981

Señor
José Luis Ibáñez S.M.
Presente.-

Estimado señor:

La Sociedad Mont Pelerin acordó en la Reunión Plenaria realizada el año recién pasado en la Hoover Institution, California, efectuar la Reunión Regional correspondiente al año 1981 en la ciudad de Viña del Mar.

El Comité Ejecutivo tiene el agrado de invitar a Ud. a participar en las sesiones y actos que se detallan en el programa adjunto que se llevarán a cabo entre los días 15 al 19 de noviembre próximo.

Será muy grato contar con su presencia en las deliberaciones de la Sociedad.

Le agradecemos comunicarnos su respuesta a esta invitación, como también, enviarnos el formulario de registro que se adjunta.

Le saludan muy atentamente

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Carlos Francisco Cáceres

Pedro Ibáñez O.

Santiago, 29 de octubre de 1981

Mr. Reed Irvine
Chairman Accuracy In Media Inc.
1341 G Street,
N.W. Suite 312
Washington D.C. 20005
U. S. A.-

Dear Mr. Irvine,

Thank you very much for your letter
of October 9, and for your most interesting paper.

I am looking forward to greeting you
in Chile

Sincerely yours



Pedro Ibáñez

Santiago, 5 de Noviembre de 1981

Señores
CORPORA S.A.
Pedro de Valdivia 1115
Depto. 103
Presente

Atención: Señor Alfredo Illanes F.

Estimados señores:

En nombre de don Pedro Ibáñez Ojeda, Presidente del Comité Ejecutivo de la Reunión Regional de la Sociedad Mont Pelerin, nos es muy grato agradecer a Uds. el Cheque por la cantidad de \$ 200.000.- como una contribución a los gastos que origina la mencionada reunión, a celebrarse este año en Viña del Mar, el que ciertamente es un aporte al éxito de la misma.

Sin otro particular, saluda atentamente a Ud.,

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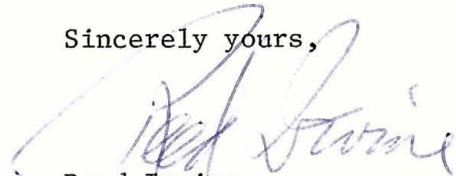
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Mr. Pedro Ibanez
President
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
Vina del Mar, Chile

Dear Mr. Ibanez:

Thank you for your invitation to attend the Mont Pelerin Conference in Chile in November. As I indicated to you during your visit to Washington, I will be happy to attend and to deliver a paper on the subject, "Freedom of Expression and Misinformation in the Western World."

Sincerely yours,



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October 9, 1981

Mr. Pedro Ibanez
The Mont Pelerin Society
Casilla 1630
Valparaiso, Chile

Dear Mr. Ibanez:

Enclosed is the text for my paper. I regret that the first copy we sent never reached you, and trust that this will not meet the same fate.

I look forward to seeing you in November.

Sincerely yours,

Handwritten signature of Reed Irvine
Reed Irvine
Chairman

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Santiago, 28 de Octubre de 1981

Señores
The Mont Pelerin Society
Av. Los Leones # 1480
PRESENTE

Ref.: Reunión Regional, Sociedad Mont Pelerin.-

Muy señores nuestros:

Nos es grato adjuntarles cheque por la suma de \$ 200.000.-
cifra acordada por el Presidente de nuestra Sociedad y que
confirma lo conversado con Uds. respecto a su carta del 14
del presente.-

Saludan a Uds. muy atentamente,

Alfredo Illanes F.

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Santiago, 3 de Noviembre de 1981

Señores
The Mont Pelerin Society
General Coordination
Av. Los Leones # 1480
PRESENTE

At. Sres. Pedro Ibáñez O. y
Francisco Cáceres C.

De mi consideración:

En relación con su amable invitación para asistir a la reunión de la Sociedad The Mont Pelerin a efectuarse en Viña del Mar entre los días 15 y 19 de Noviembre próximo, les respondo que asistiré con mucho agrado a dicho evento.

Agradeciéndoles su atención saluda muy atentamente a ustedes,

SUPERMERCADOS ALMAC S. A.

MANUEL IBÁÑEZ O.
Presidente Ejecutivo

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The Mont Pelerin Society

REGIONAL MEETING, VIÑA DEL MAR - CHILE, NOVEMBER 1981

FORMULARIO DE REGISTRO DE INVITADOS CHILENOS

Nombre MAVUEC IBÁÑEZ OVEDA
 Asistiré Si No asistiré _____

La invitación incluye recepción de inauguración y clausura, almuerzos que serán servidos en el Hotel "Miramar" en los días de la reunión, viaje de conocimiento a la zona de Aconcagua y copia de todos los trabajos.

Los miembros de la Sociedad y los invitados tendrán una selección de dos hoteles. Si este formulario no es recibido a su debido tiempo para dar lugar a su preferencia, se le ubicará en una acomodación similar. Todas las reservas serán confirmadas por correo. Cada persona será responsable del pago de sus acomodaciones al momento de dejar el hotel.

Por favor indique su preferencia:

~~HOTEL MIRAMAR~~

~~Caleta Abarca s/n~~

~~Teléfono: 64077~~

~~Viña del Mar~~

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~~Doble US \$ 100.- _____~~

~~Suite de Lujo 176.- _____~~

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~~Plaza Vergara s/n~~

~~Teléfono: 882016~~

~~Viña del Mar~~

~~Single US \$ 52.- _____~~

~~Doble US \$ 75.- _____~~

Por favor remitir este formulario antes del 5 de Noviembre.



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CORRESPONDENCIA ENVIADA

Arthur Seldon

VIÑA DEL MAR, July 6, 1981.

Mr. Martin Janssen
Institut für Empirische
Wirtschaftsforschung
der Universität Zürich
Zollikerstr. 137
08 Zürich
SWITZERLAND

Does context?

Dear Mr. Janssen,

Mr. Jorge Cauas, a close friend and a member of the Executive Committee for the Mont Pelerin Society Regional Meeting, has given me your name with the proposal that we could invite you to present a paper on that occasion.

I have read with high interest your paper about "Provision for Age and Survivals in Switzerland". In the program for the Mont Pelerin Meeting we have included as a topic for discussion "Social Security, a Road to Socialism?". You will realize how the money provided by the social security has been a transfer of resources from the private sector to the government with political, economic and social consequences. It is the idea of the Executive Committee that this subject should be deeply analyzed during the Meeting.

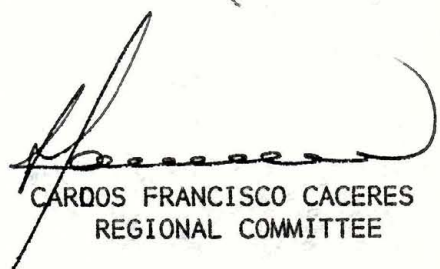
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It is my pleasure on behalf of the Committee to send you an invitation to present a paper on that subject. According to the Society procedures, the paper should not be longer than 20-25 pages and the presentation cannot take more than 10 - 15 minutes. A paper in the same subject will be presented by the professor Roger Freeman from the Hoover Institution.

In conformity with established rules, the travel expenses and the costs of your stay in Viña del Mar will be defrayed by the Regional Committee.

Looking forward to your reply, I remain

very truly yours,



CARDOS FRANCISCO CACERES
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Dr. Jorge Cauas
Banco de Santiago
Moneda 1096
Casilla No. 14437
Santiago / CHILE

Zürich, June 14, 1981

Paper on Social Security in Switzerland

Dear Jorge

Enclosed you find my paper on the Swiss Social Security System which I mentioned in Interlaken.

As I already told you, I would be very interested to get in contact with the man who reorganized the Chilean social security system.

I hope to see you sometimes in the near future. Please let me know when you come to Switzerland the next time.

Sincerely,

Martin

Martin Janssen

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The Mont Pelerin Society
attn: Mr. Carlos Francisco Cáceres
Casilla 846
Vina del Mar
Chile

Zurich, July 27, 1981

Dear Mr. Cáceres

Thank you very much for your kind invitation to present a paper to the Mont Pelerin Society Regional Meeting in Chile.

Unfortunately, I am not able to accept this invitation. The reason is as follows: Currently, I am finishing my habilitation and I will hand it over to my faculty in September. On November 18, unfortunately a date during your conference, I probably will have to give a speech to the faculty. This speech is part of a faculty procedure to obtain my Venia Legendi at the University of Zurich.

I hope very much that you can understand my decision not to come to Chile. Though, I must tell you, I would really have loved to meet good friends who either live in Chile or who will attend the conference. And last but not least, I would have liked to visit your country.

I hope there will be a chance in the near future to meet each other, be it here in Europe or in Chile.

Please give my best regards to Jorge Cauas.

Yours sincerely,

Martin C. Janssen

Martin C. Janssen

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY
Regional Meeting - Viña del Mar, Chile
November 15 to 19, 1981

Will you be attending the 1981 Viña del Mar Meeting?

☐ Yes

☒ Probably

☐ No

Will you come alone ☐

or accompanied? ☒

By how many? 1 (wife)

Would you like to suggest guests to be invited?

☒ Yes

☐ No

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Santiago, January 26th, 1981

Dr. Irwing Kristol
American Enterprise Institute
1150 - 17th Street, N.W. 1200
Washington, D.C. 20036

Dear Dr. Kristol:

On behalf of the organizing Committee, I am very pleased to invite you to participate in the Regional Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society, which will be held in Viña del Mar, Chile, from 15 to 19 November next.

I enclose a preliminary program of the Meeting. Though some speakers and discussants have already expressed their willingness to participate, many are being invited just now.

We are particularly interested in your attending the Meeting and hearing your expert views on the subject called, very briefly, "Ethics and Capitalism".

Although this subject has commonly been dealt with in such a manner as to show that capitalism is compatible with strictly ethical standards, it is seldom recognized what is most important, i.e. that there are values over and above economic mechanisms which capitalism acknowledges and respects.

These are some reflections underlying the inclusion of this item in the agenda, but they involve no suggestions of any kind. What are of particular interest to us are your views on such an important subject.

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA

We therefore await your favourable decision with great interest. I think it is unnecessary to add that you will be our guest and, therefore, the cost of your fare and your stay in Viña del Mar will be covered by our Committee.

With best regards,

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in dark ink, consisting of a large, stylized capital 'R' followed by a smaller, cursive 'e'.

Pedro Ibáñez

Santiago, 26th. January, 1981

Mr. Erick Kuehnelt-Leddihn
c/o Dr. Max Thurn
Elisabethstrasse 4
Vienna 1 - Austria

Dear Dr. Kuehnelt-Leddihn,

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Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society, which will be held in Vi-
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recognized what is most important, i.e. that there are values
that should rule society over and above economic mechanisms
and which capitalism acknowledges and respects.

Your writings often stress the neglect
into which western essential values have fallen, owing to the

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priority assigned to contingent and immediate problems, or when economy is supposed to be society's ultimate ratio.

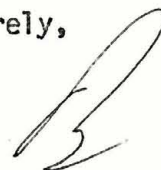
It is not our intention to make any suggestions for the development of this subject. What are of particular interest to the Committee are your views, and therefore we would like to request you to elucidate this issue in the light of your special knowledge of the subject and your acute and original view of these problems.

I wish to add that as a specially invited guest, the cost of your fare and your stay in Viña del Mar would be covered by the Committee.

I await your reply with keen interest and trust that it will be favourable to our proposition.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,



Pedro Ibáñez

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Santiago, February 11 th, 1981

Dr. Donald L. Kemmerer
1006 West Armory Avenue
Champaign, Illinois, 61820
U. S.A.-

Dear Dr. Kemmerer,

Thank you for your kind letter of January 15th. I am happy that we can count with your presence at the Meeting in Viña del Mar.

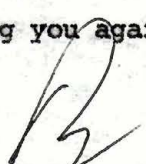
For Chileans it will undoubtedly be very interesting to learn that Dr. Edwin Walter Kemmerer's distinguished son will be among the members of the Mont Pelerin Society who visit our country.

Your work on the monetary history of Chile since 1920 is a particularly appealing theme for this Meeting. Though the definitive program will be determined next April when Dr. Chiaki Nishiyama visits Chile, I am going to propose that your contribution be considered within the shortest possible time period in order to write you an answer as soon as possible.

I am not related to President Ibáñez, who was of Irish descent and whose family original name was Evans. But my father was Minister of Economics the years 1927-28 and in spite that I was only 14 years old at that time, I distinctly remember several aspects of economic policy of that time.

I am looking forward to seeing you again

Cordially yours,


Pedro Ibáñez
President

Santiago, 2 abril de 1981

Erik Ritter von Kuehnelt-Leddihn
A- 6072, Lans, Tyrol
Austria.-

Estimado señor Kuehnelt-Leddihn:

Mil gracias por su amable y muy interesante carta del 13 de febrero.

Le apreciamos particularmente su decisión de asistir a la reunión de Mont Pèlerin en Viña del Mar. Los speakers hablarán por regla general en inglés.

Sentimos sinceramente si la fecha de nuestra conferencia pudiera perturbar sus programas en Estados Unidos. La idea del Thanksgiving Week fue considerada, pero debimos abandonarla por sugerencia, precisamente, de los norteamericanos, que preferían aprovechar esos holidays para estar con sus familias.

Vamos a estudiar con el mayor interés la posibilidad de arreglar "lectures" de usted, con motivo de su visita a Chile, tanto más que sus artículos en "El Mercurio" han dado motivo a debates agitados y hasta violentos. Me imagino que usted estará de sobra acostumbrado a ello.

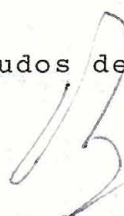
El 24 de abril próximo nos reuniremos en Santiago con el Dr. Nishiyama y los miembros del Regional Committee, a objeto de revisar el Programa de Viña del Mar e introducir las modificaciones necesarias.

En esa oportunidad resolveremos dónde y cuándo podría dictar usted sus conferencias, ya que otros profesores que asistirán al Regional Meeting, habían comprometido clases en algunas Universidades.

Confío, pues, en volver a escribirle sobre este punto a fines de abril/comienzos de mayo y, en todo caso, le agradecería hacerme saber su dirección en Japón para enviar a ese país una copia de mi próxima carta.

Reciba muy atentos saludos de su

Afmo.



Pedro Ibáñez

The Mont Pelerin Society

Regional Meeting-Viña del Mar, Chile
November 15 to 19, 1981

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Santiago, May 6, 1981

Professor
Israel M. Kirzner
1537 - 50th Street
Brooklyn, New York 11219
U. S. A.-

Dear Prof. Kirzner,

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habia como discursante Clap*

I have pleasure in informing you that the
Regional Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society is to take place
in Viña del Mar from 15th to 19th November 1981.

It is my pleasant task to invite you to
attend this Conference and to ask you to ~~present a paper on~~ *act as a disc*
the subject "Ethics and Capitalism". Papers on this ~~same~~ subject
are to be prepared by ~~Arthur Shenfield and possibly Henry Lepage.~~
We should be very glad to have you with us and to hear your
enlightened views on the proposed topic.

In conformity with established custom your
travelling expenses and the cost of your stay in Viña will be
defrayed by the Regional Organizing Committee of the Conference.

Looking forward to your reply,

Yours sincerely

REGIONAL COMMITTEE

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ
PRESIDENT

*No se emite
ya que acepto Lepage*

Santiago, May 20, 1981

Dr. Motoo Kaji
Department of Economics
Rikkyo University
Ikebukuro, Tokyo
Japan.-

Dear Dr. Kaji,

I wish to confirm that the Regional Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society is to take place in Viña del Mar from 15 to 19 November next.

It is my pleasant duty to invite you to attend this Conference and to ask you to present a paper on the subject "Introduction of Market Economies: and Historical Review."

Papers on this same general subject will be presented by three other guest speakers at the event, namely:

Dr. Wolfgang Frickhöffer who will deal with the "Introduction of the Social Market Economy by Ludwig Erhard in 1949".

A Chilean will speak briefly on the Chilean case; and

Rose Friedman will discuss present trends in China.

There is indeed great interest in the Japanese experience in this context, though please regard this comment

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA

as informational only, since you will of course be enterely free to deal with the subject as you think best. We shall be very glad indeed to have you with us and to hear your views on the proposed topic.

In conformity with established custom your travelling expenses and the cost of your stay in Viña del Mar will be defrayed by the Conference's Regional Organizing Committee.

We look forward to your reply

Yours sincerely

REGIONAL COMMITTEE


PEDRO IBÁÑEZ
President

Arthur Seldon

VIÑA DEL MAR, June 12, 1981.

Professor
Donald Kemmerer
University of Illinois
at Urban-Champaign
Urbana, Illinois 61801
U . S . A .

Dear professor Kemmerer,

On behalf of the President of the Executive Committee Mr. Pedro Ibáñez Ojeda, I am writing to inform you that following a meeting with President Nishiyama and Professor von Hayek, the definite program for the Mont Pelerin Regional Meeting was finally approved. Unfortunately, due to time constraints and the program contents your offer to present a paper in a topic of Chilean Monetary History was not possible to include.

Given the interest of the work that you have suggested, I have taken the liberty to talk with the authorities of the Chilean Central Bank in order to study the possibility that you could present such paper in that institution at the time of your coming to Chile to attend the Mont Pelerin Meeting.

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I will keep you informed about the final
answer to this proposal.

Sincerely yours,

CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
Regional Committee

Arthur Seldon

VIÑA DEL MAR, July 3, 1981.

Professor
Donald Kemmerer
1006 West Armory Ave.
Champaign, Illinois 61820
U . S . A .

Dear professor Kemmerer,

On behalf of Mr. Pedro Ibáñez O., who is in Europe, I will be very pleased to send an invitation to Mrs. Erling Dorf as your guest at the November Mont Pelerin Society Regional Meeting in Viña del Mar.

I do hope you received my letter dated June 12 in which I inform you about the invitation that the Central Bank of Chile could extend to you for the time of the Mont Pelerin Society Regional Meeting to lecture in the topic of "Chilean Monetary History". Concerning that invitation this morning I have received a call from Daniel Tapia, Director of Capital Market and Monetary Policy of the Central Bank informing me that in the next few days you will receive a formal invitation from the Central Bank to be their guest. They will also give you details

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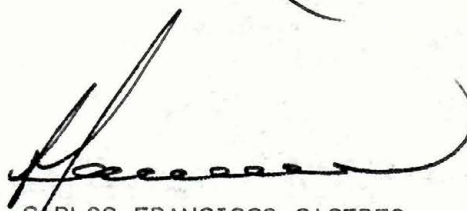
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about the lecture and the alternative dates. I have suggested them that you could lecture in Santiago on Friday the 20, after the ending of the Mont Pelerin Meeting.

Chile, I remain

Looking forward to seeing you in

very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Caceres', with a long horizontal stroke and a large loop at the end.

CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
REGIONAL COMMITTEE

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Viña del Mar, 3 de Julio de 1981.

Señor
Erik von Kuehnelt - Leddihn
A-6072 LaNs, Tyrol
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Estimado señor von Kuehnelt-Leddihn;

En ausencia de don Pedro Ibáñez O.,
quien se encuentra actualmente de viaje en Europa, acuso recibo de su
carta del 23 de Junio pasado.

En los próximos días recibirá Ud.
la información completa en relación a la Reunión Regional de la Socie-
dad Mont Pelerin. Respecto a su viaje, la oficina a cargo de la orga-
nización, remitirá a Ud., el pasaje correppondiente.

Con mucho agrado programaremos al-
gunas conferencias y reuniones para su permanencia en Chile al término
de la Reunión. Dada la gran cantidad de lectores que leen sus artículos
que publica el Diario El Mercurio habrá el más alto interés por escu-
char sus planteamientos acerca de los problemas del mundo contemporáneo
con toda la profundidad y exactitud que explora Ud. en sus comentarios.

En el programa de la conferencia
se le ha solicitado a Ud. su participación como relator en el tema

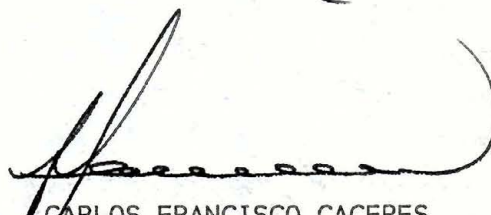
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"Etica y Capitalismo", conjuntamente con Arthur Shenfield de Gran Bretaña y Henri Lepage de Francia. Ambos profesores han aceptado la invitación. Sin embargo hemos tenido una repentina dificultad con los relatores para el importante tópico "Libertad de Expresión y Desinformación en el Mundo Occidental", para cuya presentación se ha extendido la invitación a los señores Robert Moss de Gran Bretaña y Henri Maksoud de Brasil, y Reed Irvine de los U.S.A. En estas circunstancias, sería posible que Ud. considerara la presentación de un trabajo en el tópico de la libertad de expresión en remplazo del tópico "Etica y Capitalismo"?

Mucho le agradeceré darme a conocer su reacción a esta proposición.

Le saluda muy atentamente,



CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
COMITE REGIONAL

Santiago, 7 de Agosto de 1981

Erik Ritter von Kuehnelt-Leddihn
A - 6072, Lans, Tyrol
Austria.-

Estimado Sr. Kuehnelt-Leddihn,

Su amable carta del 11 de julio recibida por el Profesor Carlos Cáceres sólo he venido a leerla hace breves días, a mi regreso de un viaje a Estados Unidos y Europa. En su carta de fecha 3 de julio el Prof. Cáceres le consultó la posibilidad de que Ud. participara como speaker en el tema "Freedom of Expression and Misinformation of the Western World". Este tema es en reemplazo del que le habíamos propuesto originalmente (Ethics and Capitalism) y los speakers serían Mr. Reed Irvine, usted y, eventualmente, el Sr. Henry Maksoud.

Su idea de disertar sobre "Desinformación izquierdista y ausencia de una ideología libertaria", está perfectamente dentro del tema que nos hemos permitido proponerle.

A nosotros nos preocupa además la desinformación que proviene del carácter de grandes empresas que tienen hoy los medios de comunicación. Tales empresas necesitan mucha circulación o grandes auditorios para obtener la publicidad que las financia. Esta situación suele inclinarlas al halago de esas multitudes -a su superficialidad, a sus ansias de sensacionalismo y de vulgaridad, agravando así la desinformación de la opinión pública. Se advierte también la acentuación de una

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tendencia monopólica, como se aprecia en Washington, en que ahora sólo subsiste el parcial y poco responsable "Washington Post".

Estos comentarios son de orden absolutamente personal y no implican sugerencia de ninguna especie. A la reunión de Mont Pelerin le interesará mucho las opiniones suyas sobre el tema y, particularmente, la claridad y valentía con que Ud. enfrenta hechos y situaciones que muchos escritores ni siquiera se atreven a aludir.

Esperando tener pronto el agrado de saludarlo personalmente, queda de Ud. su afmo.

Pedro Ibáñez

P.S. Estaremos muy agradecidos si Ud. nos envía la declaración de Portland.

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November 15 to 19, 1981

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VIÑA DEL MAR, 7 de Agosto de 1981.

Señora
Ximena Jáuregui
PRESENTE

Estimada Ximena:

Te agradeceré tomes nota de la carta del señor Fred Decker quien solicita invitar al profesor Mahoney. Asimismo, Zuloaga, en cables que te adjunta, pide invitar al Dr. Jesús Eduardo Rodríguez, cuya dirección en California desconozco.

Yo responderé la carta de Freeman y Tullock.

Te saluda cordialmente,



CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
COMITE REGIONAL

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Santiago, 7th September 1981

Mr. George Koether
475 Warpas Rd.
Madison, Ct. 06443
U. S. A.

Dear Mr. Koether,

We are very sorry to hear that it will not be possible for you to attend the 1981 Mont Pelerin Society Regional Meeting, in Viña del Mar.

According to Mr. Ibañez' instructions, we will be pleased to send you copies of all the papers presented, once the Meeting is over.

Very truly yours,



CARMEN MARIA MONTES
General Coordination.

VIÑA DEL MAR, September 29, 1981.

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Erik von Kuehnelt-Leddihn
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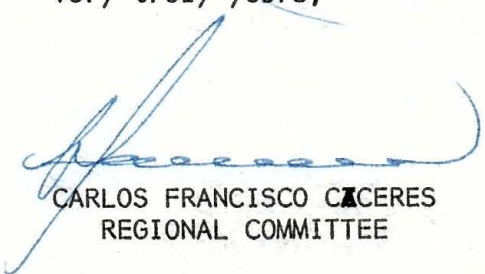
Dear professor von Kuehnelt-Leddihn,

I just want to remind you about the paper that you will present on the Mont Pelerin Society Regional Meeting to be held in Viña del Mar this coming November.

Up to this date we have not received the original of the paper and I will thank you to mail it as soon as possible in order to prepare its reproduction as well as to send it to the discussants.

Looking forward to seeing you in Viña del Mar this coming November, I remain

very truly yours,



CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
REGIONAL COMMITTEE

Santiago, 19 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Roberto Kelly
Presidente de Transamérica S.A. de Comercio Exterior
Merced 22 - Oficina 1.000
Santiago.-

Estimado señor Kelly:

Tenemos el agrado de informarle que entre los días 15 al 19 de noviembre se reunirá en Viña del Mar The Mont Pelerin Society.

Esta Sociedad, fundada en 1947 por el actual Premio Nóbel Friedrich von Hayek, ha congregado a distinguidas personalidades y a académicos en disciplinas políticas, económicas, filosóficas, históricas, etc. Entre ellos al presidente de Italia Luigi Einaudi, a Wilhelm Röpke, Ludwig von Mises, Milton Friedman, etc.

La Sociedad ha sido centro de exposición y debate de las ideas elaboradas por sus miembros (menos de 200 en sus primeros años, y hoy día aproximadamente 400), pero ella no adopta acuerdos ni publica sus trabajos, a menos que lo hagan sus miembros como difusión de los pensamientos y doctrinas de cada cual.

Las reuniones de la Sociedad no tienen pues la finalidad de promover cursos de acción ni hacer propaganda a determinadas doctrinas. Pero, atendida la vasta in-

fluencia de sus miembros y las líneas de pensamiento que comparten, se ha decantado con los años una concepción económica que encuentra creciente acogida en vastos sectores del mundo.

Con motivo de la reunión de noviembre próximo, cuyo programa adjuntamos, hemos recibido autorización para cursar un número limitado de invitaciones a personas interesadas en los debates de la Sociedad. Y en esta virtud, nos dirigimos a Ud. para invitarlo a participar en la reunión de Viña del Mar conforme al programa y demás antecedentes que acompañamos a esta carta.

Atendida la limitación ya mencionada, mucho le apreciaremos quiera Ud. hacernos saber, a la brevedad posible, su decisión o su imposibilidad de asistir.

Saludan muy atentamente a Ud.

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY



Carlos Francisco Cáceres



Pedro Ibáñez O.

R.S.V.P.: Fono 497639
(desde 12 horas)

Santiago, 23 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Peter Kruck
Director Nacional de
Proyectos Naciones Unidas
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Presente.-

Estimado señor:

Llevar a efecto la Reunión Regional de 1981

La Sociedad Mont Pelerin acordó en la Reunión Plenaria realizada el año recién pasado en la Hoover Institution, California, efectuar la Reunión Regional correspondiente al año 1981 en la ciudad de Viña del Mar.

El Comité Ejecutivo tiene el agrado de invitar a Ud. a participar en las sesiones y actos que se detallan en el programa adjunto que se llevarán a cabo entre los días 15 y 19 de noviembre próximo.

Será muy grato contar con su presencia en las deliberaciones de la Sociedad.

Le agradeceremos comunicarnos su respuesta a esta invitación, como también, enviarnos el formulario de registro que se adjunta.

Saludan muy atentamente a Ud.

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Carlos Francisco Cáceres

Pedro Ibáñez O.

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Santiago, 30 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Miguel Katz
Ministro del Trabajo y Previsión Social
Huérfanos 1273- 6° piso
Presente.-

Estimado señor:

La Sociedad Mont Pelerin acordó en la Reunión Plenaria realizada el año recién pasado en la Hoover Institution, California, llevar a efecto la Reunión Regional de 1981 en la ciudad de Viña del Mar.

El Comité Ejecutivo tiene el agrado de invitar a Ud. al cocktail y comida de inauguración que tendrá lugar el domingo 15 de noviembre a las 18 hrs. en el Hotel Miramar, como así mismo, al cocktail y comida de clausura que se efectuará en el Casino Municipal de Viña del Mar el día jueves 19 a las 20 hrs.

Acompañamos además un programa de las reuniones invitándolo a concurrir en carácter personal, toda vez que ellas son internas de la Sociedad.

Agradeciéndole hacernos saber su respuesta, le saludan muy atentamente

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Carlos Francisco Cáceres


Pedro Ibáñez O.

R.S.V.P. fono 497639
(desde 12 hrs.)

Santiago, 16 July 1982

Messrs
Institut Für Wirtschaftspolitik
an der Universität zu Köln
c/o Ms. Marietta Kurn
Conference Manager
Germany.-

Dear Ms. Kurn,

After extended absence I have now arrived back in Chile and write to thank you for your letter of 10 May in connexion with my participation in the topic "The Problem of Inflation". I have noted your kind advice that I may expect to receive in the course of the present month a contribution of DM 3.600 towards my travelling expenses.

I also confirm receipt of the copy of Professor P. Bernholz's paper and wish to assure you of my best intention to complete the required comments before the end of the month. Prof. Meltzer's paper has unfortunately not yet come to hand and I am therefore compelled to seek your advice as to whether:

- a) I should await Prof. Meltzer's paper before forwarding my comments.
- b) I should submit two separate comments, though this may involve the risk of exceeding the five-page limit, or
- c) If it would be preferable that I write one inclusive comment covering both papers, even if mailing were thereby delayed until after 31 July.

I should be grateful for an early reply in this respect,

Yours sincerely,

PEDRO IBAÑEZ OJEDA

Santiago, July 16, 1982

Messrs
Institut Für Wirtschaftspolitik
andder Universität zu Köln
c/o Ms. Marietta Kurm
Conference Manager
Germany.-

Dear Ms. Kurm,

I am pleased to enclose my registration form for the forthcoming Mont Pelerin meeting, together with a cheque por US\$ 210.-, in payment of the corresponding registration fee.

I would like to inform you that I shall be travelling with my son Adolfo Ibañez who has been awarded one of the fellowships for young professors sponsored by the President of the Society, Dr. Chiaki Nishiyama.

In view of this circumstance I should be most grateful if you would arrange a twin bedroom reservation for us at the Intercontinental Hotel.

Yours sincerely
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MS. MARIETTA KURM

CONFERENCE MANAGER

INSTITUT FUR WIRTSCHATSPOLITIK

WILL ARRIVE WITH MY SON ON SUNDAY 5 LEAVING
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THANKS FOR THE CHEQUE.

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ O++*

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I THANK YOU FOR YOUR LETTER JULY 26. FOLLOWING YOUR SUGGESTION
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CORRESPONDENCIA RECIBIDA

P.S. In preparing my talk, if you invite me to do so, I would draw on the papers of my father now on deposit in the documents library of Princeton University. I have full access to those papers. -117-

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January 15, 1981

Señor Pedro Ibañez
Casilla # 846
Vina del Mar, CHILE

Dear Señor Ibañez,

I have your first notice of the meeting in Chile of the Mont Pelerin Society this coming November 15-19 and am looking forward to attending. You and I have had several discussions with one another at MPS meetings in recent years, including this past September in Stanford. Enclosed is an article of mine, first published about two years ago, which may help you remember me and my monetary philosophy.

I would like to have an opportunity to speak at the November Regional meeting. I have spoken at Guatemala, Amsterdam and Madrid regional meetings on the program and at almost every one since 1965 at some time from the floor.

As I think that you know - but I am not positive that you do - my father was the Dr. Edwin Walter Kemmerer who headed a financial advisory mission to Chile in the summer of 1925. I was only a college student (at Princeton) at the time but had the opportunity to go along as an assistant secretary. It was not a lofty assignment but certainly all I deserved at the time, and I was privileged to sit in on just about all committee meetings of the mission members, listen to their discussions, and be with them constantly. It was a liberal education. I even kept a full diary. I was 19 that summer and also had the opportunity to see a good deal of Chile, although I have always thought that I missed the most scenic parts, for I never got farther south than Concepcion and have always wanted to repair that oversight. I plan to do so this coming November. It will be my first return to Chile since 1925 - 56 years ago - and I'm sure that I'll notice many changes.

One of my major interests after becoming a professor of economics - economic and financial history, especially - at Illinois was the study of monetary systems both in the United States and elsewhere. This was perhaps natural, with my family background. When I attended the regional meeting in Guatemala in 1973, I told the Mont Pelerin group about Guatemala's monetary reform in 1924. I was there the summer before we were in Chile. I should like to have the opportunity to discuss some aspects of Chile's monetary history since the 1920s and hope that your committee may find that topic an appropriate one for your program.

Would you please either pass this letter on to the appropriate committee or else write me and tell me with whom I should get in touch. These matters are usually settled far ahead of time.

When we were in Chile in 1925 the Minister of War was named Ibañez - not an unusual Spanish name, I know - and the President was named Alessandri. As I recall the same two families were prominent again in Chilean politics just a short time ago. Incidentally, are you related to the Ibañez of the 1925 era who was Minister of War?

Cordially
Donald L. Kemmerer
Donald L. Kemmerer

From Americanism Educational League

WHY A GOLD STANDARD?



By DR. DONALD L. KEMMERER

Dr. Kemmerer has all his degrees from Princeton University. As a young man, he served on financial advisory missions to Chile, Poland and Nationalist China. For 36 years, until his recent retirement, he taught economics and American economic and financial history at the University of Illinois. He has also been president of the Committee for Monetary Research and Education since its founding in 1970.



It is time that the nations of our price-inflation scourged world reconsider the idea of returning to the gold coin standard that served many of them so well during the late 19th and early 20th centuries.

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True, it is not a perfect institution, but no economic system devised and directed by fallible man ever is perfect. In retrospect, the gold coin standard looks better than the paper money systems under which most modern nations have operated since the early 1930s. At that time, they hastily abandoned gold even though both economists and government officials had for decades looked upon the gold standard as one of mankind's most successful financial achievements. The plain facts are that paper is *unlimited* . . . gold is not, and *that* is the basic advantage of the gold standard!

But since the 1930s, the world has continuously heard the alleged advantages of putting more buying power in the hands of people, of "pump priming" to avoid depression or come out of recession, and of making larger credits available to "lower" interest rates and to promote economic growth.

These proposals are all price-inflationary . . . and mostly have their origin in the economics of the late John Maynard Keynes. The government policies to which they gave rise have been largely responsible for the chronic price inflation that has beset the world the past 45 years — the most rapid price rises ever known in civilized nations during peacetime.

Yet mention of the gold standard frightens the average man and even the average economist. They believe a return to gold would cause prices to fall. They feel that "Rising prices and prosperity go together . . . falling prices and depression are companions." This is not true!

PRICES FELL STEEPLY

For example, when prices were *steeply* rising, as in Germany and Austria after World War I, those economies were in a depression. And when the price level was *steeply* falling — as in the United States and Great Britain in 1920-21 and 1929-32 — those economies were also in a depression.

But when prices were *gradually* declining — as in the United States from the end of the Civil War until 1896 — or else *gradually* rising — as in the U. S. from 1896 to 1914 — the economy was in a state of prosperity most of the time. The steepness of the rise or fall of the price level is more important than its direction!

The remedy lies in ending the price inflation. When a people and their government *want* to do that, they can do it without great pain . . . the desire is what counts most. And . . . in order to restore confidence in their paper money, nations in the past have had to

make that money convertible on demand into a precious metal. Usually it has been gold.

AT A NOMINAL CHARGE

In the early 1900s, when the U.S.A. was on the gold coin standard, our government said in essence, "We declare a dollar is 23.22 grains of gold . . . out of a troy ounce (480 grains) we can mint \$20.67. If you have gold in any form, bring it to the Mint and at a nominal charge we will make it into gold coin that you can spend." There was a free market for gold between the people and their governments across most of the free world.

Normally, people did not demand gold for their dollars . . . but if they did exert that discipline, it was a sign — like a blown fuse in your home from an electric overload — that the Federal Reserve System should impose restraints on credit, or that Congress should restrain its spending propensities.

Of several classes of gold standard, the system that worked best is the one that many countries had prior to 1914 and that the United States had until 1933. This is the gold coin standard, with coins of relatively small denomination circulating freely in the hands of the citizens.

DIFFICULT TO RECALL

The gold coin system has this little-realized advantage: once the coins are circulating widely, it is difficult, embarrassing and costly to call them back. This obliges the government in office to reflect carefully before letting itself get into a situation where a planned devaluation would necessitate recalling the gold coins. That potential embarrassment is a safeguard for the people in much the same way as biennial elections of Congressmen are a safeguard, causing our Representatives to heed the wishes of the voters.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt was able to call in the gold coins in 1933 because the public did not know what his administration had in mind. But it will be a long time before

another U. S. administration can engineer a coup like that!

It is my recommendation that America continue along the "road back to gold" on which it started in 1974, with these three steps already taken: (1) Congress has made it legal for American citizens to own gold; (2) Congress has repealed the Joint Resolution of June 5, 1933, abrogating the use of gold clauses in contracts; and (3) in October, 1978, Congress passed a gold medallion bill to provide Americans with purchasable gold coins.

CONVERTIBLE ON DEMAND

The final, relatively short step would be for our nation to return to the gold coin standard . . . for example, the U. S. Mint would produce gold coins in denominations of say \$50, \$100 and \$200, which would be full legal tender and into which all other monies would be convertible on demand.

If the people and the government really *desire* to take this step, it could be effected fairly soon. That there is a demand for gold coin in this country is seen from the Department of Commerce figures that about \$250 million in gold coins were imported into the U. S. in 1977.

I have personally witnessed gold standard resumption in three nations, and I have studied the history of such resumptions in two dozen nations between 1800 and 1929. Very few resumptions have failed, and when one has, it has generally been because a war or revolution intervened. Converting paper dollars, marks, francs or lira into a trusted precious metal is the chief way that man has ended inflations in the past. Restoring confidence in a currency is after all the only way to stop an inflation!

There are of course numerous arguments *against* the gold coin standard . . . but let's look briefly at the main ones to see how valid they are:

(1) "There is not enough gold to return to the gold standard." When gold was artifi-

cially held down to \$35 an ounce, there was some truth to that argument. But now, with the market price ranging near and sometimes above \$250 an ounce, it's as though we had seven times as much gold! The free world's monetary gold is now worth about \$285 billion . . . and evidence is strong that much, much more exists in hoards around the world. If we and other nations return to a gold coin standard, hoarders will bring gold to the Mint to be coined into money to invest. They will want interest on their savings as soon as they realize the inflationary danger is past and they can again trust the currency.

(2) "The price of gold is too volatile."

Before accepting that fallacy, remember that the recent fluctuations in price involve gold as a commodity rather than as a monetary base. The fluctuations are in paper dollars. Much of this volatility is due to the waxing and waning distrust of the paper dollar and to depreciation of the paper dollar itself.

(3) "Returning to the gold standard would cause a depression."

This argument reminds me of the ivory-tower physicist who theorized that "No insect built like a bumble bee could possibly fly." In the real world, when the U. S. returned to a gold standard in 1879, prosperity came immediately . . . and the same thing happened when Germany stabilized its currency in 1924.

(4) "Goods shortages and labor monopolies are causing this inflation . . . returning to gold won't help."

It is true that these shortages do contribute to a rising price level. But research shows that the U. S. money supply grew at an annual rate of under 2% in the mid-1950s to over 7% by the mid-1970s, while real annual rates of economic growth averaged about 3.3%. In brief, the American money supply increased twice as fast as the nation's goods supply . . . and that has been the primary cause of rising prices. A gold standard tends to restrain the growth of the money supply!

(5) **"Most economists today oppose the gold standard, and they should know."** In the 1900-30 period, the great majority of economists *favored* the gold standard. For the past 40 years, most economists, under the influence of Keynes, have disapproved of it. Apparently, one of these two generations of economists is wrong! The price inflation has worsened greatly as a result of following the advice of the anti-gold economists, some of whom now admit they don't know how to stop inflation. It therefore appears that the Keynesian economists are wrong!

(6) **"Offering to buy unlimited amounts of gold at a high fixed price would help Russia and South Africa."** That is true. But if we need the gold and are willing to pay the price, it is a situation in which "Nobody loses in a fair exchange." We buy chrome from Communist Russia — rather than from capitalist Rhodesia — and Communist Russia buys our capitalist American wheat!

(7) **"People will never again submit to the discipline of the gold standard."** But what is their alternative . . . a continuation of ever-depreciating paper money? Obviously at present, the government — incited by a population that demands prompt delivery of more than the nation can afford to provide — cannot discipline itself while using an inconvertible paper money standard. Imposing a debt ceiling is next to useless. The gold standard, by limiting the monetary base, helps government to restrain its spending and to discipline itself. That's why price levels were more stable in the 19th century than in the 18th or 20th centuries.

(8) **"Returning to gold would stifle economic growth."** The historical record shows just the opposite. The period from 1879 to 1914 in this country, when America was on a gold standard, was an era of tremendous economic growth. The economic history of England, France and Germany, also on the

gold coin standard in those years, reveals similar satisfactory economic growth.

(9) **"The gold standard will break down sooner or later, especially in a war."** Yes, a tornado will demolish a house . . . should we therefore live in a cave? An auto will smash up in a head-on collision . . . should we therefore walk instead of ride? In wartime we do have to give up some of our freedoms . . . should we give them up in peacetime as well?

(10) **"Gold would not give us stable prices . . . it did not in the past."** Perhaps not, but it did much better than inconvertible paper money systems have done. When perfection is not attainable, at least we can and should try for the improvement that a gold standard provides.

(11) **"Why not a platinum, or a brick, standard instead of gold?"** Down through the ages, nations have tried hundreds of commodities as standards. Gold, because of many qualities that the others had to a lesser degree, or not at all, proved to be the most effective and thus the most popular. It would take a colossal re-education job to persuade the world that platinum or bricks would make a better standard than gold. It would cost tens of billions of dollars. And in the end, would such a standard really be any better? I don't think so. Why not make the most of what we have — gold, which has enjoyed respect as a money unit throughout history?

(12) **"Americans don't need gold to back the dollar; it's backed by the industrial might of the American economy."** This is meaningless double-talk. Can anyone distrusting the dollar redeem it in a unit of "industrial might"? There is no machinery for this kind of redemption of paper dollars, and thus no restraint upon a spend-happy government . . . and no protection for the people. A sound money can do much to bolster an ailing economy . . . and a weak money can seriously undermine a strong economy . . . as recent American history demonstrates!



Independence Hall at Knott's Berry Farm

THEFT OF SAVINGS

In conclusion, let me say this: In the past when the public grew tired of price inflation and the theft of their savings it caused, public pressure brought about a return to a precious metal standard. The United States returned to gold in 1789-92, 1817, 1879 and 1919. Major nations of Western Europe did it also. When the public becomes disillusioned with inconvertible paper money, the situation generally requires gold convertibility to restore public confidence!



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February 24, 1981

Mr. Pedro Ibañez
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Dear Mr. Ibanez:

Thank you so much for your letter of January 26 with its kind invitation to attend the meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society next November.

Frankly, I am simply not in a position at this time either to accept or decline, but I should be able to let you know in March some time, and I hope you can wait until then for an answer.

Sincerely,

Irving Kristol
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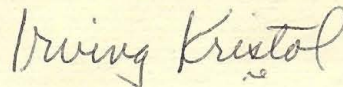
March 5, 1981

Professor Pedro Ibáñez
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
Viña del Mar
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Dear Professor Ibanez:

Thank you so much for your letter of January 26 with its kind invitation to attend the Mont Pelerin Society meeting next November. I regret to say, however, that both my teaching schedule and my corporate board schedule make it impossible for me to take that trip, at that time. I am terribly sorry.

Sincerely,



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February 13, 1981.

Dear Don Pedro,

thank you ever so much for your good letter and your kind invitation which I will accept although it means a considerable sacrifice to me. If only the meeting would take place in the following week, which in the United States is the socially amusing but "commercially" sterile Thanksgiving Week. You see, I will arrive in the United States about October 1st in order to lecture until about December 10th. That week starting November 15th just takes me out of circulation !!!

I have written to Don Arturo Fontaine of El Mercurio asking him about that regional meeting of the MPS of which I am no longer a member. I left with Roepke, Rüstow, Briefs etc. in 1961 after the Turin-Meeting, but I am quite ready to speak in Viña del Mar. (Max Thurn is a second degree cousin of my wife who always asks me to return to the fold !)

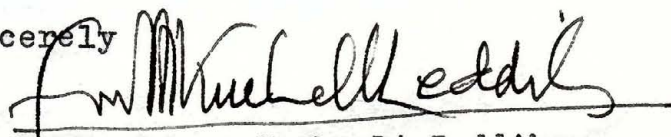
You expect me probably to speak in English. I know Mr Shenfield, I know Mr Kristol even better. I consider him the finest mind in the American Conservative scene - in addition a man who (rightly) insists that the Right should develop an ideology of its own since one cannot fight a hostile (leftist) ideology with a non-ideology.

I have been 6 times to Chile, 5 times before Allende and the 6th time after that catastrophic period. (My brother-in-law was for several years Austrian Ambassador.) I have great friends in Santiago - the Larrains, the Filippis, some members of the OPUS DEI. My book Las lagrimas de Dios was published by Ercilla in 1957. ^{novel}

Do you use the term "capitalism" ? I prefer "free enterprize" for psychological reasons.

I wonder whether you would like to arrange other lectures for me during that period or immediately after (as during Thanksgiving I am free). I gave in the past quite a number of lectures in Spanish (with a rather Castilian accent) in Spain - in El Ateneo, the Instituto de Ciencias Políticas, the Universidad de Navarra. I would, however, have to send a text for translation - which I read with one eye ^{locked} at the public and the other eye looking at the notes. I cannot speak freely in Spanish, but I am all right in the discussion : I have the courage to speak ungrammatically - as long as my speech can be understood. (My French is ~~my~~ as good as my English.) - I am enclosing a self-advertizing leaflet which I always use for my lectures in the USA. (By the way: between May 21 and June 17th I will be in Japan !)

Yours ever sincerely


Erik von Kuehnelt-Leddihn.



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April 8, 1981

Senor Pedro Ibanez
The Mont Pelerin Society,
Casilla # 846
Vina del Mar, CHILE

Dear Senor Ibanez,

This letter is just a reminder of our interchange of letters earlier this year (mine to you dated January 15 and yours to me dated February 11) in which I offered to give an abridged monetary history of Chile since about 1920 with emphasis on the reforms instituted as a result of the visit of the E.W. Kemmerer commission in 1925.

You replied graciously that my proposal "is a particularly appealing theme for this Meeting" but that the definitive program would not be decided until April when Dr. Chiaki Nishiyama comes to Chile. And you added that you would urge that my "contribution be considered within the shortest possible time period in order to write" me as soon as possible. I shall await your letter with interest because I would like to start work on this project in the next few weeks. I would make plans to consult the Kemmerer papers covering the Chilean mission which are now in the Princeton University Library, some 900 miles from here. We gave all of his papers covering his financial missions to Princeton about 15 years ago.

Looking forward to seeing you again this coming November and to the pleasure of my third visit to Chile - the last one was 56 years ago.

Cordially,
Donald L. Kemmerer
Donald L. Kemmerer

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY
Regional Meeting - Viña del Mar, Chile
November 15 to 19, 1981

Will you be attending the 1981 Viña del Mar Meeting?

☒ Yes

☐ Probably

☐ No

Will you come alone ☐

or accompanied? ☒ *Probably.*

By how many?

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Would you like to suggest guests to be invited?

☒ Yes

☐ No

Name

Full address

will not. fy you later

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Donald L. Kemmerer (since 1985)

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June 16, 1981

Senor Pedro Ibanez
Escuela de Negocios
Castilla 846
Viña del Mar, Chile,

Dear Senor Ibanez,

I should like to invite my sister, Mrs. Erling Dorf, to be my guest at the November 15-19 meetings of the Mont Pelerin Society in Viña del Mar. Her address is 283 Mercer Street, Princeton, New Jersey, 08540. Her husband teaches geology at Princeton University but he will not be coming on the trip. My sister will be paying her expenses, so, if she is approved, please send the necessary forms directly to her.

My sister was not with the Kemmerer mission group in Chile in 1925, in fact she has never been in Chile although she has visited several other South American countries.

I have not yet heard from your program committee whether you are definitely planning to have me as one of the speakers at the November meetings.

I am looking forward very much to my return to Chile next November after having been away for 56 years.

Cordially,

Donald L. Kemmerer
Donald L. Kemmerer

Emilio
[Signature]

23 de junio 1981.

Muy estimado señor,

volví de Japón - más que tre meses inolvidables en grandísimo bujo - llenos de riquísimas impresiones ! Estoy preparando mi viaje en los EE.UU. y Chile. Tengo el problema de mi viaje de los EE.UU a Chile y atrás. Ciertto es que debería viajar del sur de los EE.UU a Chile y atrás al sur-occidental, en todo caso un via^{je} más corte que de Europa ~~a~~ a Chile y atrás.

Permanece el problema de los billetes. Tengo la certitud que sabré los lugares y los datos antes ~~mi~~ viaje en los EE.UU. (el 22 de septiembre). Usted^es me enviarán los billetes - Lan-Chile ? - o el dinero por los billetes ?

Habré la ocasión de tener otras conferencias en Chile ? Tengo la intención de permanecer almenos la semana en Viña del Mar. La semana siguiente - Thanksgiving-Week - no tengo la oportunidad de tener conferencias en los EE.UU !!!

Suyo aff:mo


Erik von Kuehnelt-Leddihn.

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11 de julio 1981

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Muy estimado señor,

Muy estimado señor,

recibí su carta del 3 del julio . Muchisimas gracias por los informaciones ! Me gusta mucho de revolver a Chile - la 6a vez en mi vida. El sobrino de mi esposa, el conde Max Thurn, viene también de Austria.

No me esta totalmente clara sus informaciones sobre los dos temas.

Usted me pregunta si esté dispuesto de hacer una segunda conferencia, ^{sobre} i.e. ~~m~~ la libertad de la información - o en remplazo de la conferencia sobre la ética solamente una. Si usted lo quiere podría yo hacer dos conferences. Si usted lo prefiere, solamente una; sobre la libertad de la información ~~3~~. (La conferencia que yo preparaba se llama " Mercado libre y la tentación socialista en la Iglesia". La otra conferencia, que Vd. parece a preferir yo llamaré "Desinformación izquierdista y ausencia de una ideología libertaria." (Hay una relación entre los ambos fenómenos !)

En los EE.UU y en Europa yo estoy trabajando por la elaboración de una ideología liberal (en el sense clásica de la palabra.) x)

No tengo manuscritos. No hablo en inglés, alemán, frances sin textos preparados - en español yo necesito un texto establecido !
i.e. traducido

Con saluciones cordiales

Erik von Kuehnelt-Leddihn.

x) Existe ya la Declaración de Portland en dos versiones - larga y corta. Si Vd esta interesa podría yo anvia a Vd. las ambas.

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The Central Bank of China

TAIPEI, TAIWAN
THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA

DEPUTY GOVERNOR

July 20, 1981

Mr. Pedro Ibañez
President
The Mont Pelerin Society
Casilla 846
Viña del Mar
Chile

Dear President Ibañez:

Thank you very much for your most kind invitation to attend the 1981 Mont Pelerin Society Regional Meeting to be held in Viña del Mar, Chile from next November 15 to 19.

I am so pleased to be invited, however, I am very sorry to tell you that due to other commitment abroad at the same time, I am not able to attend the meeting this time. I was looking forward to this wonderful occasion, and I feel very regretful, I hope I will have some other opportunity in the future.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

Shirley W. Y. Kuo

Shirley W. Y. Kuo

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1006 West Armory Avenue
Champaign, Illinois, 61820
July 23, 1981

Senor Pedro Ibanez
Mont Pelerin Society
Casilla # 846
Vina del Mar, CHILE

Dear Senor Ibanez,

Enclosed is my application to attend the Chile regional meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society, and a check for \$550 to cover my own registration and that of my sister, Mrs. Erling Dorf, who will be accompanying me. I am assuming that she will fall in the "family member" category and not the "guest" category, but if my assumption is incorrect, I'll be happy to send you a check for the balance. Mrs. Dorf will need her own single room at the hotel.

I want to thank you personally for arranging the session with the Central Bank of Chile. I am gladly accepting their invitation, and I find it particularly gracious that they have offered to pay my travel and one week hotel expenses in Chile

Sincerely,

Donald L. Kemmerer

A-6072, Inns, Tirol, Austria.
Teléfono: Innsbruck 77367.

14 de Agosto 1981.

~~Secretaria~~

Muy estimado amigo,

muchas gracias por su carta que yo recibí ayer después de 3 días en la compañía del profesor F.von Hayek en Obergurgl, en las montañas. Envio a Vd. la versión CORTE del la Portland Declaration. Y envío también una análisis del izquierdismo, importante por la discusión del izquierdismo en los medios de comunicación. Infortunadamente esta análisis es en lengua alemana...de solamente una página. Una traducción en español yo considero más importante que en inglés. (Una traducción inglés yo podría hacer, pero de hacerlo en español yo no tengo la temeridad - importante por mi conferencia.)

① { Yo tengo solamente el problema del billete. Estoy convencido que se necesita un billete de un ^{pasajero} punto en los EE.UU. central ^{*} a Santiago, y de Santiago o a Arizona o a Los Angeles...en todo caso una distancia mucho menos que de Europa a Chile y atrás a Europa.

② { Hay la posibilidad por otros conferencias ? Pienso que El Mercurio tiene ciertas oportunidades...

El problema del billete es importante por establecer la composición de mi billete en los EE.AA. (Saldré por los EE.UU el mes siguiente).

Con mis saluciones cordiales,

su af'mo


Erik von Kuehnelt-Leddihn.

* digamos = Chicago.

Se mandó copia
a Tres p. respuesta

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1006 West Armory Avenue
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~~August~~ 15, 1981

Señor Pedro Ibañez
Escuela de Negocios,
Castilla # 846,
Viña del Mar, CHILE

Dear Senor Ibanez,

This is to straighten out what could easily become a confused situation.

On June 16th I wrote you to ask that my sister, Mrs. ~~Erling~~ Dorf, be invited to the November Mont Pelerin Society as my guest.

Sometime in July I received the documents for registration for the November meetings. I noticed that there are two categories of guests in addition to the member category, i.e. a family relation of an MPS member, and an outsider, with the rate \$300 for the first and \$500 for the second. Because Mrs. Dorf is my sister, I sent you \$300 for her and \$250 for myself when I sent in registration fees.

In August my sister received her registration form, the non-family or guest form. That letter clearly "crossed" with my July letter, the one in which I sent in \$300 for her and indicated that she wanted a single room at the Hotel Miramar. I am sending you that form, but indicating on it that it is questionable. You may, however, need some of the information on it. If my interpretation is incorrect, please let me know.

Cordially,

Donald L. Kemmerer
Donald L. Kemmerer

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August 24, 1981

Dr. Pedro Ibañez
The Mont Pelerin Society
Casilla 846
Vina del Mar
Chile

Dear Dr. Pedro Ibañez,

Please forgive my very late response to the information for the Mont Pelerin Regional Meeting which you kindly sent me nearly two months ago.

I feel very honoured to be nominated one of the speakers at the session on "Introduction of Market Economies." However I have to settle several matters before I decide to come to the Meeting. One of them is to get formal permission to leave the university during academic term.

I personally wish to attend the Meeting and I should like to ask your generosity to give me two weeks more for reaching final decision.

Sincerely yours,

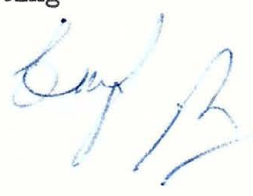
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August 28, 1981

Senor Pedro Ibanez, Chairman of Executive Committee for Regional Meeting
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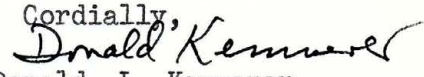
Dear Señor Ibañez,

If possible I should like to invite a "guest" to the regional meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society to be held in Vina del Mar this coming November 15-19. I have already asked to bring my sister along - Mrs. Erling Dorf - and you have sent her an invitation, so this would be a second person coming at my request.

The name of the guest is Robert Hein and he is a management consultant for Egon Zehnder International, a Swiss based consulting partnership. He is American but a long-time resident of Brazil (10 years). His address there is Care of Egon Zehnder International Ltda, Av. Bernardino de Campos, 98-04004, Sao Paulo, Brazil.

Mr. Hein grew up in New York, graduated from Princeton University in 1956, was an army officer in Germany for a while and has been active in international, especially Latin American, activities for most of the past twenty years, at first with General Electric and more recently with Egon Zehnder. He and I were both members of the Executive Committee of the Concerned Alumni of Princeton, an organization of graduates of Princeton University who are distressed at the very liberal (socialistic) tendencies of most of the professors at that institution. The Concerned Alumni were founded about ten years ago by Shelby Cullom Davis, at the time U.S. Ambassador to Switzerland.

If he is able to attend Mr. Hein will feel very much "at home" with our Mont Pelerin group and we'll find him very congenial. Please send the invitation directly to him. He will be paying his own expenses if he comes. He has a busy schedule so that I would guess that the chances that he'll be able to attend are about 50-50.

Cordially,

Donald L. Kemmerer

P.S. Mr. Hein is also a friend of Harry Langenberg, another long-time member of MPS.



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September 9, 1981

Mr. Pedro Ibanezo, President
The Mont Pelerin Society
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
Vina del Mar, Chile

Dear Mr. President:

It is my privilege to receive your official invitation to attend The Mont Pelerin Society's regional meeting to be held in Vina Del Mar from November 15-19. I am thankful to Mr. K. T. Li, one of the most respected statesman, who recommended me to the Society. While I was in Taiwan 10 days ago, he mentioned the possibility of reserving hotel accommodations for me. Just in case he has not done so, I have indicated my preference in the Registration Form. It is unclear to me at the moment whether I or my sponsor in Taiwan should send the \$500 registration fees. As soon as I find this out, I'll send out the amount.

Being a development economist and engaged in research on the quality of life studies in Taiwan, I would be most happy to meet those of you who share the same concern. The enclosed brochure describes the Center for Quality of Life Studies in Taiwan.

For the coming year, I split my time between Taiwan and Wisconsin. Looking forward to meeting you.

Sincerely,

Charles H. C. Kao

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Killsdale College
 Killsdale, Michigan
 8 del octubre 1981

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Muy estimado señor,
 primo de salin de Nueva York el
 14 de noviembre. Hasta hoy no recibí
 el billete (N.Y.C - SANTIAGO - Portland,
 Oregon). Mi correo en los EE.UU.
 es en las manos del señor Donald
 Atkins, % Intercolegiate Studies Institute,
 14 South Bryn Mawr Ave, Bryn Mawr,
 Pa. 19010. USA. Mi esposa es LANS,
 TIROL, AUSTRIA (A-6072) continua de
 estar en esta fecha. En el caso que
 el billete estuviere despachado en Austria, yo
 lo recibiré aquí en los EE.UU.

Suyo aff: mo

Erikon Kuehnelt-Leddihn

Me gusta mucho de volver a Chile !!!

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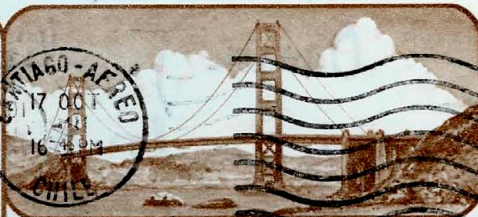
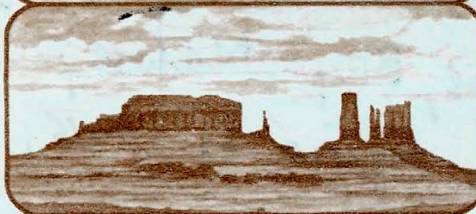


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Señor Don Pedro Ibáñez
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See the U.S.A... vacationland of the world!

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October 14, 1981.

Dear Senor Cáceres.

Thank you for your letter dated September 29th - my wife in Austria communicated to me its contents. Unfortunately the letter took the detour via Austria because apparently you have not received my letter dated August 29th with the various addresses I gave you for the United States where I am now on a lecture tour. I am constantly on the move until November 12th. As I told Mr Ibanez I intend to come to Chile on the 14th of November. (Flying to New York, but flying back to Portland Oregon.)

I have never received a request for a written text of my lecture. As a matter of fact I speak always freely. In 1960 and in 1961 I have spoken without a text for the Mont Pelerin Society in Kassel and in Turin. I do not believe that lectures should be read....

All I could do for you at the present moment is to write a resume of my lecture - a one-page work on the 18th of October - and send it you on the 19th in the hope that it will arrive eventually. After my return to Europe I could send you a whole essay if it is your intention to publish my lecture. There is nothing else I could do at the present moment.

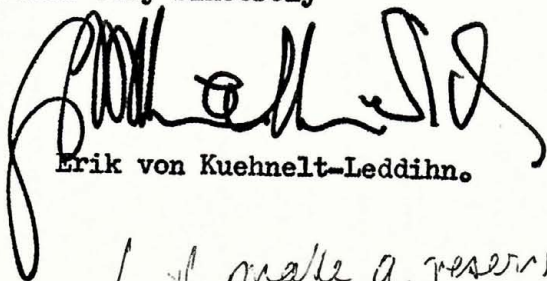
My contact in the United States is Mr Donald Atkins, c.o. The Inter-collegiate Studies Institute 14 South Bryn Mawr Avenue, Bryn Mawr, Pa. 19010. EE.UU./

Before leaving Austria we had the visit of Count Max Thurn, a second degree cousin of my wife who told me nothing about a written lecture. In my 31 years as a lecturer I have never read a single lecture.

Do you get the National Review? In the October 16th number you find the PORTLAND DECLARATION. I sent you its shortened version. But in the N.R. you find the complete text.

I am still waiting for the ticket. If there is any hitch in my arrangements please let me know as soon as possible, as I am actually sacrificing a week for the Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society / a week out of my American lecture tour.

Yours very sincerely


Erik von Kuehnelt-Leddihn.

I will make a reservation on Braniff
for the 14th of November - too late because
the post-office closes.



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Dear Don Carlos,
I have worked hard on a typewriter
(I am not used to. Here is the
Résumé. (The lecture is a great deal longer!))
I have made a reservation on
Lan Chile flight from New York on
November 14th, arrival before 1 pm
on November 15th. (Coming Not on
Transiff.)

Yours very sincerely

Wm. F. Buckley, Jr.

The above address is good for: Nov. 6 & 7.
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Otherwise: % Donald Atkins
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REPUBLICA DE CHILE

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GABINETE DEL MINISTRO

ORD. N° 218

ANT. : Su carta de fecha
30.10.81.

MAT. : Agradece invitación.

Santiago, 4 NOV 1981

DE : MINISTRO DEL TRABAJO Y PREVISION SOCIAL

A : SEÑOR PEDRO IBAÑEZ O., THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Por la presente, acuso recibo de su carta en "ANT." y al mismo tiempo agradezco sinceramente el alto honor que significa para mí el ser invitado a participar en la Reunión Regional de 1981 de la Sociedad Mont Pelerin, a efectuarse en la ciudad de Viña del Mar.

Lamentablemente no podré participar en el cocktail y comida, tanto de la inauguración como de la clausura de dicha reunión, pero haré lo posible por asistir a alguna de las charlas indicadas en el programa.

Saluda atentamente a usted,



MIGUEL KAST RIST
Ministro del Trabajo y
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1006 West Armory Avenue
Champaign, Illinois, 61820
December 19, 1981

Señor Pedro Ibañez
Escuela de Negocios,
Castilla # 846,
Viña del Mar, CHILE

Dear Señor Ibañez,

By now you must have received dozens, perhaps hundreds of letters complimenting you on the fine show that you arranged the the most recent meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society in Vina del Mar. I am another of those who was very pleased with the meetings, the arrangements, the day's outing at your hacienda, the cocktail evening at the Escuela de Negocios, and my sister, would add for her part, the various trips that were arranged for the ladies. I think she went on all of them and came back every time very enthusiastic. The various ladies who went on them developed quite an esprit de corps among themselves.

But my particular and most important reason for thanking you is for the thought you had of suggesting to the people in the Central Bank (Daniel Tapia ?) that I would be an appropriate speaker for a conference that they were planning to hold. From our viewpoint, that was a brilliant idea. It certainly opened many new doors for us and added to the memorable time that we had on this trip to Chile.

After the central bank conference my sister and I went on a sightseeing tour to southern Chile, first to Puerto Varas where we spent several days seeing the lake country - very beautiful, especially Lago Todos los Santos - and then continued south all the way to Punta Arenas where we hired a car and drove north to the National Park of the Torres del Paine. At all times we have quite favorable weather, in the lake country, at the Torres, and both flying north and flying south over scenic but little inhabited far southern Chile. We are carrying home a very favorable impression of your country in every respect. Thank you for all you did to make this possible.

Cordially,
Donald L. Kemmerer
Donald L. Kemmerer

P.S. Will you be in Berlin. I hope so.

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The Mont Pèlerin Society

1982 GENERAL MEETING

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c/o Marietta Kurm
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May 10, 1982

Dear Professor Ojeda,

thank you very much for your letter of April 26, 1982, in which you confirm our invitation to be a discussant for the papers by Allan Meltzer and Peter Bernholz. We have put your name on the programme.

Regarding our contribution to your travel expenses, you will receive a cheque amounting to DM 3,600.-- at the beginning of July. Looking forward to your comments by July 31, 1982, and particularly to seeing you in Berlin,

very sincerely yours,

Marietta Kurm
(Conference Manager)

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June 25, 1982

Dear Professor Ibanez Ojeda,

enclosed please find a copy of the paper by Peter Bernholz.

Unfortunately, Allan Meltzer will be sending his paper only
in July. It will be forwarded to you immediately on receipt.
May I still look forward to your comments by July 31?

Very sincerely yours,

M. Kurm

Marietta Kurm
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6th July, 1982

LATE BOOKING ARRANGEMENTS FOR MEMBERS AND THEIR GUESTS

Dear Member,

first of all, I should like to thank the very many Members who entered for the Conference by 5th June and thus facilitated the work of organising it.

However, several others have been prevented for various reasons from entering as early as they would have liked, and some have told me that they may very well not be in a position to decide by 20th July.

After 20th July, we can no longer guarantee accommodation at the two hotels, but it would still be possible for Members or Guests to enter for the Conference (through COC) provided they can arrange their accommodation themselves.

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It is quite likely that one or other of the two hotels will still have a room free. After 20th July the hotels should be approached direct. The addresses are as follows:

Hotel Inter-Continental
Budapester Str. 2

Hotel Schweizerhof
Budapester Str. 21-31

D-1000 Berlin 30

D-1000 Berlin 30

Phone: 030/2 60 20

Phone: 030/2 69 61

Telex: 182894

Telex: 185501

Alternatively, or if these hotels are fully booked, it should be possible to find accommodation elsewhere in Berlin, either through a travel agency at home or through the Berlin Tourist Information Office:

Verkehrsamt Berlin
Europa-Center

D-1000 Berlin 30

Phone: 030/2 12 34

Telex: 0183356 vber d

We understand that it is very likely that there will be extra hotel rooms available in Berlin at the time of the Conference. I have pleasure in enclosing a copy of the final programme.

Yours sincerely,

M. Kurm

Marietta Kurm
(Conference Manager)

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July 15, 1982

Dear Mr. Ibanez Ojeda,

as agreed, I am sending you under same cover a cheque over DM 3.600,--
in contribution to your travel expenses. Please be so kind to sign and
return the attached sheet as soon as possible.

Thank you for your cooperation!

Very sincerely yours,

M. Kurm

Marietta Kurm
(Conference Manager)

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July 26, 1982

Dear Mr. Ibanez,

thank you very much for your letter of July 16.

As regards your comments, Professor Meltzer will only be delivering his paper by the end of this month. Since due to the vacation of most printing companies in August, it will no longer be possible for us to have anything duplicated for the conference after August 13. I would, therefore, suggest that you comment on the paper of Peter Bernholz in writing and try to submit your comments by that date and, that you give your comments on Allan Meltzer's paper at the conference during the session itself.

Very sincerely yours



Marietta Kurm

(Conference Manager)

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August 11, 1982

Dear Mr. Ibanez Ojeda,

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enclosed please find Professor Allan Meltzer's paper
for the 1982 General Meeting of the Mont Pelerin
Society in Berlin.

At the same time I would like to acknowledge receipt
of your comments on Peter Bernholz's paper. They
arrived just in time! Thank you.

Very sincerely yours,

M. Kurm

Marietta Kurm
(Conference Manager)

Encl.

LETRA "L"

CORRESPONDENCIA ENVIADA

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA

Santiago, July 7, 1978

Prof. Gaston Leduc
19 Bel-Air
95590 Presles
Francia.-

Dear Prof. Leduc:

As I am presently working on my plans to attend the Hong Kong meeting, I feel I should let you know in advance of a request I would like to put before the Board of Mont Pelerin.

I sincerely feel that there are good valid reasons to consider Chile as the place for the 1980 meeting of the Society. Economic as well as political developments in my country may be worth reviewing and analyzing on the spot.

Needless to say, a group of top economists, business leaders and government officials would be only too glad to co-operate and welcome the members of the Society.

I can assure you that the Chilean group could arrange an interesting and appropriate programme, including of course entertainment of such a distinguished group.

Although Chile might be considered by some people to be at the end of the world, I doubt whether Hong Kong is really any closer!

If you share my view regarding the above, do you think I could count on your support and backing, when the time comes to set forth this suggestion to the Board of the Society?

Looking forward to meeting you at Hong Kong, I remain yours sincerely


Pedro Ibáñez O.
President

Fundación Adolfo Ibáñez

Providencia 545
Phone 494933
Santiago, Chile

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA

Santiago, 20 de abril de 1980

Señor
Rolf Lüders
Presente.-

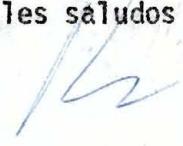
Estimado Rolf:

Previamente al almuerzo y subsiguiente reunión con Nishiyama y el Regional Committee (viernes 24 de abril a las 13 hrs. en el D.P.A., Avda. Presidente Errázuriz 3485), es indispensable una reunión del comité chileno para ponernos de acuerdo sobre las materias que someteremos dicho día viernes a los dirigentes de Mont Pelerin.

Para tal efecto hemos convenido con Jorge Cauas reunirnos en el Hotel Sheraton el miércoles 22 a las 12,30 hrs. al término del Simposio del Centro de Estudios Públicos.

Nos ha parecido que el sitio y el momento más posible para esta reunión, son los indicados más arriba. Ojalá Ud. pudiera estar presente.

Cordiales saludos



Arch

Santiago, 30 de octubre de 1980

DE : Pedro Ibañez
PARA: Sres. Pablo Baraona
Jorge Cauas
Rolf Lüdars

SOCIEDAD MONT PELERIN
REGIONAL MEETING EN VISA DEL MAR
15 AL 19 NOVIEMBRE DE 1981

El programa tentativo que incluyo fue preparado por Carlos Cáceres y Hernán Cortés, y comprenden temas, expositores y discussants.

Se podría buscar una denominación genérica para toda la reunión. En la reciente, de Stanford, el tema general fue "Constraints on Government". Pero no hay obligación de adoptar ningún nombre para éste ni otros meetings de la Mont Pelerin.

El programa propuesto comprende dos temas con dos papers, cada uno, en cada mañana; y un tema con tres papers en cada tarde. En total, nueve temas con veintiun papers. Además se requerirían diez "discussants", a razón de dos por tema.

Respecto a financiamiento (el hotel Miramar ya está reservado) se calcula que con una cuota de inscripción de US\$ 300.- se pagarían: transporte, todos los almuerzos y las comidas oficiales. (cada participante paga su hotel). Pero se requeriría financiamiento adicional por US\$ 80 a US\$ 100 mil, para los gastos generales de la reunión, más pasaje y hotel para unos veinte expositores o discussants invitados.

Hay urgencia en resolver el programa tentativo, a fin de dar los pasos siguientes. El Comité de Programa que decidirá este punto estaría integrado por ustedes tres, los autores del borrador adjunto y el suscrito.

Tan pronto nos pongamos de acuerdo sobre los temas y los eventuales relatores, me comunicaría (talvez por teléfono) con:

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- a) Manuel Ayau, Presidente saliente de la Sociedad para pedir su consejo sobre los puntos b), c) y d).
- b) Chiaki Nishiyama, actual Presidente, para someterle el programa y pedir su conformidad para todas las gestiones que siguen
- c) Avisar a Max Thurn, Secretario de la Sociedad para que viaje a Chile, probablemente en enero de 1981, a fin de organizar la reunión y llevar a cabo las gestiones que ésta exige.
- d) Designar, con acuerdo de Nishiyama, un Comité organizador de carácter oficial y regional. Lo integrarían Benegas Lynch de Argentina, Paulo Ayres de Brasil y Ramón Díaz de Uruguay, junto conmigo. La participación de estos buenos y experimentados amigos, acentuaría el carácter regional de la reunión, y
- e) Cumplidos los trámites anteriores cursaríamos el primer announcement a todos los miembros de la Sociedad. Este aviso-invitación debería despacharse, en lo posible, antes del 15 de noviembre para que sea recibido antes del correo de Pascua. En dicha forma quedaría un plazo prudente para que los interesados en venir registrarán esta reunión en su calendario de viajes de 1981.

Atendida la urgencia que se desprende de todo lo anterior, mucho agradeceré su más pronta respuesta a este memorándum, o, preferentemente su asistencia a una reunión en la tarde del martes 4 o miércoles 5 de la semana próxima.

Muy cordiales saludos

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Regional Meeting-Viña del Mar, Chile
November 15 to 19, 1981

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Santiago, January 26, 1981.

Professor
J. Clayburn LaForce Jr.
10581 Wyton Drive
Los Angeles, California 90024
U.S.A.

Dear Professor LaForce,

We are very pleased to invite you to the Regional Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society which will take place in Viña del Mar from November 15th to 19th, according to the enclosed tentative program.

The program includes the subjects of each session as well as the names of the prospective lecturers, having both been approved by the Society's Board. Though some speakers have already expressed their willingness to participate, many are being invited just now. As to the subjects, the possibility of introducing changes is open.

We believe the topics are of special importance at this juncture and we took the liberty of including your name to address the meeting on the subject of "Education, Government of Individuals' Responsibility?" on Monday, November 16. We trust to receive your insightful contribution in this area.

Naturally, travel and other expenses of speakers will be covered through the Meeting's Executive Committee.

The Mont Pelerin Society

Looking forward to your visit to Chile, we remain

Sincerely yours, ' '

REGIONAL MEETING EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE



HERNAN CORTES DOUGLAS
Secretary

PEDRO IBAÑEZ
President

Santiago, April 2nd, 1981

Prof. K.T. Li
Minister Without Portfolio
and Professor of Economy
National Taiwan University
3, Lane 2, Tai An Street
Taipei, Taiwan
Republic of China.-

Dear Prof. Li,

Thank you very much for your kind letter of February the 23rd, and your congratulations for the responsibility that has been conferred on me upon being elected President of the Executive Committee of the Regional Meeting.

We are pleased to know that you will participate in the Regional Meeting in Viña del Mar and we have already taken note of your recommendation to invite Dr. Kuo-Shu Liang and Professor Charles K.C. Kao.

We will be very glad to send invitations to such distinguished persons, although that will not be possible until after the meeting that we will have with Dr. Nishiyama, Prof. Hayek and the Members of the Executive Committee for the Regional Meeting, in the last days of

April. We have to fulfil the rules of the society
but I think I can anticipate that your distinguished
friends will be invited.

Looking forward to greeting you in Chile, I am

sincerely yours

REGIONAL COMMITTEE

Pedro Ibáñez
Presidente

Santiago, April 17, 1980

Mr. Don Lipsett
The Philadelphia Society
North Adams - Michigan 49262
U.S.A.-

Dear Mr. Lipsett:

Many thanks for your letter of March 28 and for the Forbes magazine article which I read with great interest.

I am especially grateful for your concern regarding the guests from Chile. I have already invited:

Mr. Jorge Cauas -former Finance Minister
Mr. Pablo Baraona -former Minister for the Economy

Both are top-level scholars and prominent originators of the Economic Plan being applied in this country. As cabinet ministers they carried forward this plan with determination to its successful outcome and I consequently believe their presence at Stanford to be of the greatest interest. I wonder if the Conference form and brochure have been sent to them?

I am aware that Carlos Cáceres, Director of the Business School at Valparaíso, has not yet received that information. Cáceres attended the Madrid meeting as my guest and recently received a letter from the MPS Board inviting him to come to Palo Alto where he is to be proposed for membership.

As regards Chilean Economic Policy this in my opinion is a most interesting book since it contains a collection of government documents and reports covering decisive economic features year by year from 1973 to 1978 with corresponding tables of figures. To bring it to the notice of the members of the Society would, I believe, serve to provide them with information of genuine significance. If you decide to publish it probably a special notice could be convenient to explain the reasons of this exception.

I look forward to meeting you at Stanford since I shall myself be attending the MPS meeting.

Yours cordially

c.c.Mr. Edwin J. Feulner, Jr.

Santiago, May 6, 1981

Mr. Henri Lepage
Institut de l'Entreprise
6, rue Clement Marot
75008 Paris.-

Dear Mr. Lepage,

I have pleasure in informing you that the Regional Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society is to take place in Viña del Mar from 15th to 19th November 1981.

It is my pleasant task to invite you to attend this Conference and to ask you to present a paper on the subject "Ethics and Capitalism". Papers on this same subject are to be prepared by Arthur Shenfield and possibly by Israel Kirzner. We should be very glad to have you with us and to hear your enlightened views on the proposed topic.

In conformity with established custom your travelling expenses and the cost of your stay in Viña del Mar will be defrayed by the Regional Organizing Committee of the Conference.

Looking forward to your reply,

Yours sincerely,

REGIONAL COMMITTEE

PEDRO IRANÉZ
President

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Santiago, May 26, 1981

Mr. Henri Lepage
Institut de l'Entreprise
6, rue Clement Marot
75008 PARIS.-

Dear Mr. Lepage,

I have been very pleased to learn that you will be attending the Mont Pelerin Society Meeting at Viña del Mar and that you approve of the proposed topic for your paper.

We agree that twenty minutes is a customary length of time for presentations of this nature.

The flight ticket will be sent to you from here.

As regards other information concerning the Meeting, I am pleased to inform you that I shall be in Paris around 20 June and will look forward to meeting you there in person.

With kind regards

REGIONAL COMMITTEE

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA

Santiago, May 26, 1981

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With kind regards

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PEDRO IBÁÑEZ

Santiago, May 26, 1981

Leon Louw Esq.
P.O. Box 1035
Jahannesburg
South Africa.-

Dear Mr. Louw,

I have received a letter from our mutual friend Max Thurn and wish to confirm that due consideration has been given by the Regional Committee to the suggestion that you be invited to the forthcoming Mont Pelerin Society ^{Meeting} at Viña del Mar.

I am very sorry that, due to the restricted nature of the budget for the Meeting, we have found ourselves, unable to issue various invitations. We would otherwise of course have liked to send one to yourself.

Yours most sincerely

REGIONAL COMMITTEE

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ
President

Santiago, 19 junio 1981

Señor
Rolf Lüders
Presente.-

Estimado Rolf:

De acuerdo a lo conversado te adjunto las cartas para solicitar las contribuciones a la reunión de la Sociedad Mont Pelerin.

Para el grupo Edwards y el grupo Said, te incluyo cartas dirigidas a Carlos Urenda, Sergio Markmann y José Said y Juan Ramón Samaniego, respectivamente. Tú decides cuál despachas finalmente.

Atentos saludos


Carlos Francisco Cáceres



Arthur Seldon

Viña del Mar, June 22, 1981.

Mr. Henri Lepage
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6 Rue Clément Marot
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FRANCE

Dear Mr. Lepage,

On behalf of Mr. Pedro Ibáñez O., who is in Europe I am very pleased for your acceptance to our invitation to present a paper in the Mont Pelerin Society Regional meeting to be held in Viña del Mar this coming November.

Concerning your plane ticket, I regret that we will not be able to refund you the money because the management of the meeting has made already establish the relationship with the different airlines in order to send the tickets to the speakers and discussants. I will ask to the office to take care that you would like to stop in Brasil and Argentina. Once you get the ticket I think you can make the arrangements to stop in Montreal.

We do hope to receive your paper not later than September 15.

Looking forward to seeing you in Viña del Mar
this coming November, I remain

very truly yours,

CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
REGIONAL COMMITTEE

Arthur Seldon

VIÑA DEL MAR, July 20, 1981.

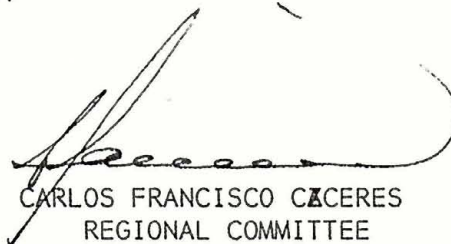
Mr. Henri Lepage
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FRANCE

Dear Mr. Lepage,

Concerning your presentation of a paper in the topic "Ethics and Capitalism" in the Mont Pelerin Society Regional Meeting, which is to take place this coming November in Viña del Mar, I want to ask you the sending of that paper no later than September 10. As you know, the paper cannot be longer than 25 pages.

Looking forward to seeing you in Chile, I remain

Very truly yours,



CARLOS FRANCISCO CÁCERES
REGIONAL COMMITTEE

Santiago, July 14, 1981

Mr. K.T. Li
3, Lane 2, Tai An Street
TAIPEI 100, Taiwan
Republic of China.-

Dear Mr. Li,

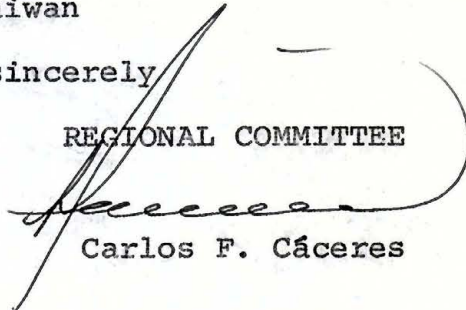
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With reference to your suggestion
I am pleased to confirm that we are forwarding an
invitation to the above Meeting, together with a
registration form, to

Dr. Kuo-Shu Liang, Taiwan
Prof. Charles K.C. Kao, Taiwan

Yours most sincerely

REGIONAL COMMITTEE


Carlos F. Cáceres

Santiago, Julio 14 de 1981

Lic. Fernando Linares B.
7a. Av. 7-78, Zona 4
Guatemala.-

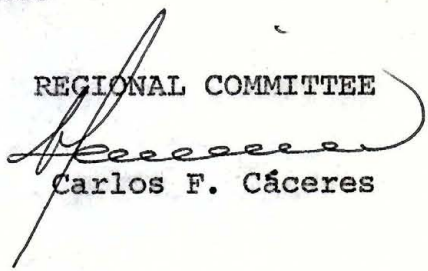
Estimado Sr. Linares:

De acuerdo a lo sugerido por Ud.
me es grato confirmarle que hemos despachado invita-
ciones para la Reunión Regional de la Sociedad Mont
Pelerin -15 al 19 de Noviembre- junto a las respecti-
vas Registration form, a:

Dr. and Mrs. Ramiro Alfaro
Mrs. Marta Altolaquirre
Ms. Rosa María Gomar
Lic Juan Carlos Simmons
Lic. Jorge Asensio Aguirre, todos de Guatemala.

Muy atentamente

REGIONAL COMMITTEE


Carlos F. Cáceres

Santiago, July 14, 1981

Mr. Reed Larson
8316 Arlington Boulevard
Fairfax, Virginia 22038
U.S.A.-

Dear Mr. Larson,

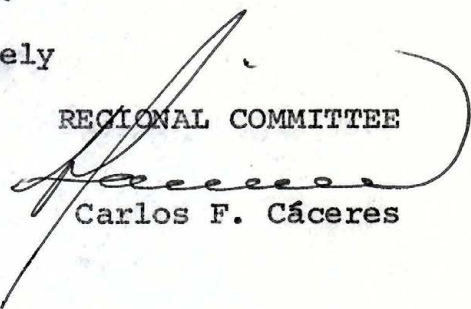
MONT PELERIN SOCIETY REGIONAL MEETING AT VIÑA DEL MAR,
CHILE - 15 TO 19 NOVEMBER 1981.-

With reference to your suggestion, I am pleased to confirm that we are forwarding an invitation to the above Meeting, together with a registration form, to:

Mr. Baker Armstrong Smith, VA.
Prof. James T. Bennett, USA.

Yours most sincerely

REGIONAL COMMITTEE


Carlos F. Cáceres

Santiago, July 14, 1981

Professor Jan Lombard
Department of Economics
University of Pretoria
Pretoria 0002
South Africa

Dear Prof. Lombard,

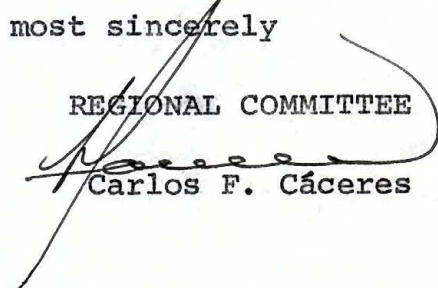
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invitation to the above Meeting, together with a
registration form, to

Prof. Geert de Wet, South Africa

Yours most sincerely

REGIONAL COMMITTEE


Carlos F. Cáceres

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VIÑA DEL MAR, September 29, 1981.

Professor Henri Lepage
Institute de L'Enterprise
6 Rue Clement Marot
75008 PARIS
F R A N C E

Dear professor Lepage,

I just want to remind you about the paper that you will present on the Mont Pelerin Society Regional Meeting to be held in Viña del Mar this coming November.

Up to this date we have not received the Original of the paper and I will thank you to mail it as soon as possible in order to prepare its reproduction as well as to send it to the discussants.

Looking forward to seeing you in Viña del Mar this coming November, I remain

Very truly yours,

CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
Regional Committee

Santiago, 16 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Fernando Larraín
Presidente de Cfa. de Petróleos de Chile S.A.
Agustinas 1382
Presente.-

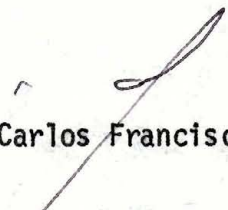
Estimado señor:

El Comité Regional de la Sociedad Mont Pelerin agradece muy sinceramente el aporte de \$ 292.500.- con que COPEC ha cooperado a la reunión que la Sociedad realizará en Viña del Mar en Noviembre próximo.

Junto con expresarle nuestro reconocimiento por su importante colaboración, es muy grato para este Comité formularle a Ud. una invitación para concurrir a las sesiones y actos que contempla el programa de dicha Conferencia, y que nos permitimos acompañar con la presente.

Esperando tener el agrado de contar con su participación en las deliberaciones de la Sociedad, lo saludan muy atentamente

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

 Carlos Francisco Cáceres

 Pedro Ibáñez O.

R.S.V.P. fono: 497639
(desde 22 horas)

Santiago, 20 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Henri Lepage
Institut de L'Entreprise
6, rue Clément-Marot
75008 París - Francia

Estimado Mr. Lepage,

Me he impuesto con sentimiento de su atenta del 5 de octubre en que Ud. me comunica su imposibilidad de participar en la reunión de Mont Pelerin en Viña del Mar.

Me explico perfectamente las responsabilidades que recaen hoy en Francia sobre personas como Ud. He vivido un proceso semejante y conozco sus exigencias y sus angustias.

Con todo, lamento mucho que nos veamos privados de su presencia en Chile. Me agradecería si en una próxima oportunidad pudiera Ud. visitar nuestro país, ocasión en que podría poner a su disposición informaciones sobre el desarrollo del proceso político y económico similar al francés, que vivimos en Chile.

Reciba entretanto mis saludos muy atentos



Pedro Ibáñez O.

LETRA "L"

CORRESPONDENCIA RECIBIDA

AVAILABLE

SEPTEMBER 1979 NOTES: Mont Pelerin Society Meeting - Madrid, Spain

My notes on the recent Mont Pelerin Society meeting are available for those wishing to have them. The purpose is not to impose a rather lengthy report on you, unless it might be desired. Kindly fill out the form at the bottom of the page and mail it in. No obligation whatever is involved. Just the reverse - I would feel flattered if you would like a copy.

A word about the Mont Pelerin Society. This is a group of scholars, business leaders, and interested individuals like myself, who are dedicated to the cause of individual freedom in one or more of its many aspects. This group is composed of individuals from almost all the nations of the Western World, who periodically meet in various parts of the world to read papers, discuss current world developments and otherwise exchange ideas. I regard them as among the advanced thinkers* of our age, because they are anchored to what I regard as sound economic principles, a philosophy of a high order, and a never ending desire to search and learn. In regard to the recent conservative victory in England, Mrs. Thatcher gives a large part of the credit to the English members of the Mont Pelerin Society, whose educational efforts (through the Institute of Economic Affairs) of the past twenty years have begun to bear fruit. The thesis is that ideas, once accepted, become the basis of all important movements in history - good or bad. In fact, this is our hope today.

The U. S. economy, security markets and the money and credit systems - in the past decade or more - have been drastically affected by governmental intervention both here and abroad. Keeping in touch with such a group of whom I term advanced thinkers,*one can't help but derive much benefit and clarification of thinking. Although no one knows what the future holds, these meetings do help to provide both current and basic information.

My Notes were made at the Madrid meeting September 2nd through September 7th. They cover summaries of many subjects and issues regarding politics and economics, money and inflation, education and the state, the problem of union labor, the struggle of socialism and liberty, the outlook for the economies in various countries, etc. Obvious qualifications include: accuracy of interpretation, proper emphasis, possible omissions, etc. If questions arise, feel free to inquire or correct.

This particular meeting was indeed one of the liveliest because of the number of turn-of-events that have recently occurred. To some, they did provide hope for the so-called "free market" cause, which in turn is so intimately tied up with the future of property rights and the investment markets of the world.

*How could anything be more prophetic of the past three or more decades than "The Road to Serfdom" by F. A. vonHayek, the titular head of the Mont Pelerin Society?

Kindly mail in the attached form and I will be happy to send you a copy.

H. F. Langenberg
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St. Louis, MO 63102
(314) 342-4052

Please Mail

Name:

Address:

Please:

- () Keep me on your list.
- () Take me off your list; I am already submerged.

K. T. Li

Minister without Portfolio
3, Lane 2, Tai An Street
Taipei, Taiwan
Republic of China

February 23, 1981

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Mr. Pedro Ibanéz
President
Executive Committee for
the Regional Meeting
The Mont Pelerin Society
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
Viña del Mar, Chile

Dear Mr. Ibanéz:

Thank you for your letter of December, 1980 announcing that the Mont Pelerin Society will hold a Regional Meeting in Chile on November 15 to 19, 1981.

Please accept my congratulations to you for having been elected as President of the Executive Committee for the Regional Meeting.

Enclosed is the form of my registration to attend the Regional Meeting. Besides myself, I wish to recommend two guests from my country to participate in the Regional Meeting. They are: Dr. Kuo-Shu Liang, Professor, National Taiwan University, Chairman of the Board, The First Commercial Bank of Taiwan and Prof. Charles K. C. Kao, University of Wisconsin at River Falls; Director of the Center for Quality of Life Studies, Ming Teh Foundation. Both of them are well-known economists in my country. I shall appreciate it very much if you would send each of them an invitation to join us at the Regional Meeting.

I look forward to seeing you at the Regional Meeting in November.

Sincerely yours,


K. T. Li

Minister Without Portfolio
and Professor of Economy
National Taiwan University

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2 March 1981

Señor Pedro Ibañez
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
Viña del Mar, Chile

Dear Señor Ibañez:

I was delighted to receive your letter of January 26 in which you kindly asked if I might participate in a session of the Regional Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society in Chile next November. While I should very much like to accept and attend the meetings, my schedule will not allow me to be out of the country at that time. Therefore I must regretfully decline.

Thank you for thinking of me and please know that I shall miss seeing my friends in Chile, as well as your beautiful country.

Cordially,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "J. Clayburn La Force".

J. Clayburn La Force
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JCL:aa

The Mont Pelerin Society

Regional Meeting-Viña del Mar, Chile
November 15 to 19, 1981

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Santiago, March 31, 1981

Dr. Kurt R. Leube
VOI, Schwarzenbergplatz 4
A-1031 Vienna
Austria

Dear Dr. Leube,

We really regret that we do not have resources available to offer you travel assistance. If there is a change in this situation in the future, we will gladly inform you.

Looking forward to greeting you in Chile, I remain
sincerely yours,

REGIONAL MEETING EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA
President

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY
Regional Meeting - Viña del Mar, Chile
November 15 to 19, 1981

Will you be attending the 1981 Viña del Mar Meeting?

☐ Yes

☒ Probably

☐ No

Will you come alone ☐

or accompanied? ☐

By how many? _____

Would you like to suggest guests to be invited?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Name

Full address

Member name

Country

Dr. KURT R. LEUBE,
AUSTRIA.

Is there any chance to get some travel
assistance?

Please keep me posted

concerially, yours

Kurt R. Leube



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REED E. LARSON
President

April 13, 1981

Mr. Pedro Ibañez
The Mont Pelerin Society
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
Viña del Mar, Chile

Dear Mr. Ibañez:

As I wrote earlier, I regret that I'll be unable to attend the November meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society.

While I have already submitted the name of Baker Armstrong Smith as a guest, I would like to propose another gentleman whose participation I feel would add much to the meeting:

Professor James T. Bennett
Department of Economics
George Mason University
4400 University Drive
Fairfax, Virginia 22030
USA

In addition to his many other professional achievements, Professor Bennett is the founder and editor of a very significant new academic journal, "Journal of Labor Research", which in its short two years of existence has already established itself as the authoritative publication in this long-neglected field.

Thank you and best wishes for a successful meeting.

Sincerely,

RL/jo

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TEL. 32-42-52

feC.
Sr. Pedro Ojeda Ibáñez
Providencia 545
Santiago, Chile

Guatemala, 23 de abril de 1981

Estimado Sr. Ibáñez:

Con relación a la reunión de la Mont Pelerin en Chile este año, quisiera agregar el nombre de un guatemalteco que quisiera sugerir como invitado:

29-6-81
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Lic. Jorge Asensio Aguirre Vía 5 3-65 zona 4 Guatemala, GUATEMALA

Creo que es una persona valiosa y que comparte nuestras ideas sobre la libertad.

Le agradezco cualquier atención que pueda poner a esta petición y quedo como su atento y seguro servidor,

Fernando Linares Beltranena

Fernando Linares Beltranena

Roger Miller (Miami)
Lucy Schwank (Guatemala)
Humberto de Soto
29-6-81
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INSTITUT DE L'ENTREPRISE

Monsieur Pedro IBANEZ
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
Vina del Mar
CHILI

Paris may 14 1981.

Dear Mr. IBANEZ,

I thank you very much for your kind invitation to speak at the vina del Mar meeting of the Mont Pélerin Society.

I am very pleased to give you a positive answer .

I like the topic you propose. But could you tell me about how long am I supposed to hold the floor . I suppose it is about twenty minutes as is usually the custom at Mont Pélerin meetings.

As for the flight ticket, do you make a refund or do you mail it ?

Could you also tell me who will be the european members attending the meeting so as to travel together may be .

With my best regards



Henri LEPAGE

INSTITUT DE L'ENTREPRISE

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Monsieur Pedro IBANEZ
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
Vina del Mar
CHILI

Paris le 11 Juin 1981

Dear Mr. Ibanez,

I'll be delighted to meet you in Paris.
If you do not join me at my office, you can call my
home whose phone number is 431 65 57.

I shall fly not from Paris , but from
Montreal to Santiago via Boston for I also plan to
stay a week in Canada at the beginning of november
where I have been invited for a lecture tour. So, I
think the best would be for me to take care directly
of my plane ticket. You would refund me on the basis
of the dollar Paris-Santiago return fare. Do you
think this arrangement is possible ?

It is also possible that I take the
opportunity of this journey to stop in Brazil and
Argentina.

Very Sincerely Yours


Henri LEPAGE



Ministerio de Trabajo

BUENOS AIRES, 23 de Julio de 1981.

Al Dr.
Pedro IBÁÑEZ OJEDA
ESCUELA DE NEGOCIOS DE VALPARAISO
S / D.-

Tengo el agrado de dirigirme a Ud. a los efectos de confirmarle mi concurrencia a la reunión de la Sociedad Montpellerin a realizarse en Viña del Mar.

El Dr. Alberto Benegas Lynch (h) que efectuó la invitación a este evento, mencionó oportunamente que deberé pagar la suma de 500 U\$S en concepto de inscripción, por lo que le ruego que me informe como concretarlo.

Quedo a su disposición y lo saludo con mi atención mas distinguida.

S/D Andrade 71
ACASSUSO Cód.1640
Provincia de Bs.As.
REPUBLICA ARGENTINA


FERNANDO LOPEZ IMIZCOZ
ASESOR DE GABINETE
MINISTERIO DE TRABAJO

Enrique J. Loncan

Buenos Aires, Agosto 14, 1981

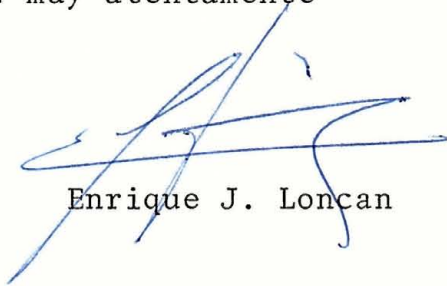
Señor Presidente de
The Mont Pelerin Society
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla de Correo 846
Viña del Mar
Chile

De mi consideración:

He recibido su amable carta invitación para participar en la próxima Reunión Regional de The Mont Pelerin Society, que se realizará en Viña del Mar el próximo mes de noviembre.

Lamento informarle que por imprevistos compromisos profesionales, no podré cumplir con mi deseo, expresado oportunamente al Dr. Alberto Benegas Lynch (h) de participar de tan interesante evento.

Saludo a Ud. muy atentamente



Enrique J. Loncan

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Pedro Ibáñez
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concluye y debe enojar
C.C.
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Guatemala, 5 de octubre de 1981

Estimado Dr. Ibáñez:

Le agradezco la carta enviada el 14 de julio por Carlos Cáceres del Comité Regional informándome que enviaron invitaciones a mis invitados, para la Mont Pelerin de noviembre.

Desgraciadamente, no todos irán a la reunión y sí desea ir Alfredo Rego, quien, por estar de viaje, no estaba enterado de la reunión y a mí, francamente, se me olvidó invitarlo.

Alfredo Rego ha dado clase en la Universidad Francisco Marroquín de Guatemala (es Ingeniero de Sistemas) y asistió a la reunión en San Andrés, Escocia. Es, por supuesto, un fiel liberal.

Alfredo me indica que el Dr. Manuel Ayau ya envió carta solicitando que se le invite. Me estoy tomando la libertad de enviar un cheque en dólares para Alfredo (Q500.00) asumiendo que llena los requisitos para ser invitado. El Ing. Rego quisiera una reservación en el Hotel Miramar para los días en que dure la reunión y se le podrá enviar cualquier correspondencia (y recibo por su cuota) a:
5a avenida Norte # 24
Antigua, GUATEMALA

Agraceciéndole de antemano cualquier atención que pueda poner a esta carta, quedo como su atento y seguro servidor y espero verlo muy pronto.

[Handwritten signature]

Fernando Linares Beltranena

INSTITUT DE L'ENTREPRISE

Monsieur Pedro IBANEZ
Escuela de negocios
Casilla 846
Vina del Mar
C H I L I

Paris le 5 Octobre 1981

Monsieur le Président,

Je suis navré de devoir vous communiquer une mauvaise nouvelle. Je ne pourrai pas participer à la réunion de la M.P.S. prévue à Vina del Mar en Novembre prochain, et cela malgré mon acceptation précédente.

Le directeur de notre Institut m'a en effet demandé de surseoir à tous mes projets de déplacements lointains en raison de la situation politique française qui mobilise toutes nos forces pour faire face à la conjoncture nouvelle créée par les projets de nationalisations industrielles. Cette nationalisation crée un certain nombre de problèmes au C.N.P.F. qui nous demande de faire un important travail d'études sur leurs retombées socio-professionnelles.

Sachez que je suis très embarrassé par cette annulation tardive qui compliquera sans doute vos problèmes d'organisation déjà complexes.

Pour me remplacer, peut être pourrais-je vous conseiller de faire appel à mon ami Pascal Salin qui était l'an dernier déjà à Stanford, et qui a beaucoup moins de contraintes professionnelles que moi.

En tout état de cause, je suis très déçu de ne pouvoir profiter de cette opportunité de découvrir votre pays. Mais, sachez que j'ai vraiment fait de mon mieux pour éviter de me dédire. En espérant que vous ne m'en tiendrez pas rigueur, je vous prie, Monsieur le Président, de croire à l'expression de ma haute considération.


Henri LEPAGE

The Mont Pelerin Society Newsletter

(517) 287-5814

October 26, 1981

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via air mail

Carmen Maria Montes
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Casilla 16522 - Correo 9
Santiago, Chile

Kuehnelt-Leddihn

I apologize for my delay in sending the registration form and payment for Mrs. Lipsett and myself. Both are enclosed.

This is also to let you know that accompanying us on our flight (Pan Am #459 scheduled to arrive Santiago 8:55 a.m. Saturday, November 14) will be Dr. Erik von Kuehnelt-Leddihn, a participant on the program. (Please note that this is one day earlier than he planned to arrive.)

I trust you will be able to make a room reservation for him at the Miramar Hotel without any problems.

Communicate for Jona
Dr. Kuehnelt-Leddihn was concerned that he had not received the airplane ticket as planned. Accordingly, I have arranged for him to purchase his ticket and have payment handled directly by Edwin Feulner, MPS Treasurer.

For your information, Dr. Kuehnelt-Leddihn is currently booked to leave Chile on Saturday, November 28, on Braniff #926 at 12:30 a.m. for Los Angeles. He plans to accept some speaking engagements in Chile and will undoubtedly move from the Miramar Hotel at the end of the MPS meeting.

I trust this covers all items. Since Dr. Kuehnelt-Leddihn will be travelling, if necessary you can contact him in care of me.

Best wishes for an excellent meeting!

Sincerely yours,

Don Lipsett
Don Lipsett

cc: ✓ Mr. Pedro Ibanez; Mr. Carlos F. Caceres; Hotel Miramar
Dr. Erik von Kuehnelt-Leddihn

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ROLF LÜDERS SCH.

Santiago, 30 noviembre, 1981

Señor
Pedro Ibáñez Ojeda
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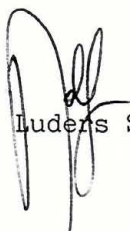
Estimado amigo:

Deseo expresar a usted mis más sinceras felicitaciones por la excelente organización de la Reunión de la Sociedad Mont Pelerin efectuada recientemente en Viña del Mar.

Tanto la calidad de los expositores como la actualidad, vigencia y oportunidad de los temas tratados, realzaron en nuestro país la acción de la Sociedad cuyos postulados revisten vital importancia para nuestra civilización.

Deseo excusarme, al mismo tiempo, por no haber podido asistir a la exposición que realizó, pero razones ajenas a mi voluntad me impidieron concurrir.

Sin otro particular, lo saluda atentamente,


Rolf Lüders Sch.

RL/JEL/aj



THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Pacific Regional Meeting
Sydney/Australia/August 19-23 1985

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December 14, 1984

Mr Pedro Ibanez
Providencia 545
Santiago. CHILE S.A.

Dear Mr Ibanez

I am pleased to be able to inform you that a Regional Meeting of the Society is to be held in Sydney August 19-23 next year. This letter is a preliminary notification so that you may give consideration to attending and to making your travel plans. Further registration and programme details will be sent next February.

We have compiled what we believe to be a most interesting programme. A copy of the preliminary programme is enclosed. The final programme will be subject to acceptance of invited speakers.

Also enclosed with this letter is a post card which I would ask that you complete and return by January 31, 1985. This will assist us in the planning for the Meeting. If you indicate that you will not be attending, then no more information about the Meeting will be sent to you unless you wish to have guests invited in which case appropriate forms will be sent to you in February. Remember though that guest invitations are subject to approval by the Board of the Society.

We are making arrangements for two optional tours either before or after the Meeting: one will be to the Great Barrier Reef and the other to Central Australia (including Ayers Rock). If you are interested in the tours, please indicate on the card. Further details will then be sent to you.

I look forward to seeing you in Sydney, one of the world's most beautiful and exciting cities. To whet your appetite, I have enclosed a copy of an article about our great city which appeared (coincidentally) in The Times of London the day after the conclusion of the Cambridge Meeting of the Society this year.

Yours sincerely

Greg Lindsay

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Pacific Regional Meeting
Christchurch/New Zealand/November 27-30, 1989

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March 7, 1989

Dear Member,

I am pleased to be able to inform you of a meeting of our Society to be held in Christchurch New Zealand in late November this year. This letter is a preliminary notice and more detailed information will be sent to you by May.

As you will no doubt be aware, the Labour Party government in New Zealand has been instituting over the past few years some of the most radical reforms in economic policy anywhere in the world. To a lesser extent this is also true of Australia. New Zealand has embarked on a program of deregulation, privatisation, and microeconomic reform unheard of in such a short period of time — and all undertaken by a nominally socialist government. There are lessons in this for all MPS members.

The theme for the conference will be 'Achieving Reform' and one major session will concentrate on the reforms instituted by New Zealand, how it was done and what remains to be done. A keynote speaker will be the architect of New Zealand's free market reforms, former Finance Minister Roger Douglas.

Other sessions at the meeting will be devoted to the political philosophy of Karl Popper (who taught at the University of Canterbury in Christchurch for 8 years in 1937-46); aid and trade, and the problems of small nations (concentrating on the Pacific); property rights, the environment and 'green' politics; race, indigenous peoples and the policy agenda; the responsibilities of the press, and more. Further program details will be sent later.

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I now need you help. Enclosed with this note is a guest nomination form and a form which I would ask that you complete and return to me by April 15. An envelope is included to assist you. (You can fax it to me at the above number if you wish.) This will facilitate the planning of the Christchurch meeting and any sightseeing tours before or after the meeting. Please remember too that any guests nominated must be approved by the Executive Committee of the Society before a formal invitation can be issued, so please attempt to get nominations to me as early as you can.

Christchurch is a university city, situated in the South Island of New Zealand and is directly accessible by air from Australia, Hawaii, Singapore and many other places, and via Auckland from everywhere else. The South Island has also some of the most spectacular scenery anywhere on earth and we shall endeavour to organise with a major travel group in New Zealand several types of tours to coincide with either the beginning or the end of the meeting. November and December are the start of summer and the best time of year to be in New Zealand. All round, with an exciting program and an exciting country, this will be a memorable meeting of the Society. I hope I shall be seeing you in Christchurch.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Greg Lindsay'.

Greg Lindsay

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Pacific Regional Meeting
Christchurch/New Zealand/November 27-30, 1989

**NOTE!! THIS IS NOT A REGISTRATION FORM.
REGISTRATION INFORMATION WILL BE SENT TO YOU IN MAY 1989.**

Please complete this form and return by April 15, 1989

- A. ☐ I will be attending the meeting in Christchurch next November (now please answer questions in box below.)
- B. ☐ I may be attending the Meeting in Christchurch next November (now please answer questions in box below)
- C. ☐ I will not be attending the Meeting in Christchurch in November.

FOR THOSE WHO WILL BE OR WHO MAY BE ATTENDING THE 1989 MEETING

Meeting accommodation

- ☐ I will require FIRST CLASS accommodation
- ☐ I will require TOURIST CLASS accommodation
- ☐ I will NOT require accommodation in Christchurch

Spouses/companions

- ☐ My spouse/companion will accompany me and will wish to participate in the spouse/companion program
- ☐ My spouse/companion will accompany me and will not wish to participate in the spouse/companion program
- ☐ My spouse/companion will not accompany me to the meeting.

Optional Tours

- ☐ I am interested in tours of (please tick)
- ☐ New Zealand
- ☐ Australia
- ☐ The Pacific (Fiji, Tahiti, Vanuatu etc)
- ☐ I am not interested in any optional tours

THIS LABEL INCLUDES YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS. PLEASE CORRECT ANY ERRORS.

Mr. Pedro Ibanez
Providencia 545
Santiago
CHILE

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Pacific Regional Meeting
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PROPOSED GUEST NOMINATION FORM

I _____ a member of the Mont Pelerin Society, would like the following individual considered for a guest invitation to the Pacific Regional Meeting of the Society in Christchurch in November. I understand that names are to be approved by the Executive Committee of the Society.

Name of Guest: _____

Title: _____

Organisation: _____

Address: _____

Post or Zip Code: _____

Country: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please return to:
Greg Lindsay
Mont Pelerin Society
PO Box 92
St Leonards NSW 2065 AUSTRALIA

LETRA "M"

CORRESPONDENCIA ENVIADA

The Mont Pelerin Society

Regional Meeting-Viña del Mar, Chile
November 15 to 19, 1981

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Please reply to:

Pedro Ibáñez
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
Viña del Mar, Chile

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*Granny Ruth Kotel
Room 620
2 Lexington Ave.
N.Y. N.Y. 100/10*

*25 James St.
London SW1-A
146 - England*

Santiago, January 26, 1981

Mr. Robert Moss

Dear Mr. Moss,

We are very pleased to invite you to the Regional Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society which will take place in Viña del Mar from November 15th to 19th, according to the enclosed tentative program.

The program includes the subjects of each session as well as the names of the prospective lecturers, having both been approved by the Society's Board. Though some speakers have already expressed their willingness to participate, many are being invited just now. As to the subjects, the possibility of introducing changes is open.

We believe the topics are of special importance at this juncture and we took the liberty of including your name to address the meeting on the subject of "Freedom of Expression and Misinformation in the Western World" on Monday 16. The Board has expressed a great interest on this topic and we trust to receive your instructions and participation in this area.

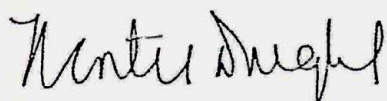
The Mont Pelerin Society

Naturally, travel and other expenses of speakers will be covered through the Meeting's Executive Committee.

Looking forward to your visit to Chile, we remain

Sincerely yours,

REGIONAL MEETING EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE



HERNAN CORTES DOUGLAS
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SR HENRY MAKSOUD
SAO PAULO - BRASIL

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CHILENO Y CAMBIO DE AUTORIDADES, ME HA SIDO DIFICIL CONCORDAR
SU PROGRAMA EN CHILE CON AUTORIDADES DE UNIVERSIDAD TECNICA.

EN VISTA DE QUE LA REUNION CON NISHIYAMA, HAYEK Y COMITE
EJECUTIVO REGIONAL SE EFECTUARA DESPUES DEL MEDIO DIA DEL
24 ABRIL ESTOY GESTIONANDO QUE SE ALTERE PROGRAMA DE SU CLASE
MAGISTRAL PARA JUEVES 23, VIERNES 24 EN LA MAÑANA O LUNES 27.

TAN PRONTO TENGA RESPUESTA DEFINITIVA LE ENVIARE OTRO TELEX

MUY ATTOS SALUDOS

PEDRO IBAÑEZ++*
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SINTIENDO MUCHO POSTERGACION CALSE MAGISTRAL, QUISIERA REITERARLE
NUESTROS DESEOS DE QUE NOS ACOMPAÑE EN LA REUNION DE MONT PELERIN
15 AL 19 NOVBRE.

NOS INTERESARIA PARTICULARMENTE UNA DISERTACION SUYA SOBRE :
FREEDOM EXPRESSION AND MISINFORMATION IN THE WESTERN WORLD.

QUIERO EXPRESARLE EL AGRADO QUE TENDRIAMOS EN TODO CASO SI UD
NOS ACOMPAÑARA EN REUNION COMITE REGIONAL CON HAYEK Y NISHIYAMA
AQUI EN STGO EL 24 DEL PRESENTE MES

CORDIALES SALUDOS

PEDRO IBANEZ O++*
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Santiago, 6 de mayo de 1981

Señor
Henry Maksoud
Hidroservice-Ingeniería de Proyectos Ltda.
Rua Affonso Celsa 235
04119 Sao Paulo -
Brasil.-

Estimado amigo:

Lamenté mucho su imposibilidad de acompañarnos en la reunión con Hayek y Nishiyama el 24 de abril ppdo.

En dicha ocasión adoptamos numerosos acuerdos que permitirán acelerar la organización de la conferencia en Viña del Mar.

Por esta carta deseo reiterarle la petición que me permití adelantarle por telex respecto a que Ud. prepare un paper sobre "Freedom of Expression and Misinformation in the Western World". Este tema está en el programa del día lunes 16 de noviembre a las 9.30 hrs.A.M. y es muy probable que también presenten papers sobre este tópico William Buckley y Reed Irving.

Consideramos este asunto de particular importancia en el momento presente. Por una parte hay una infiltración marxista, y por otra, hay un afán sensacionalista para alcanzar circulación y obtener avisos. El caso de The Washington Post es ilustrativo.

Estos comentarios sugieren sólo en forma muy aproximada la preocupación que nos indujo a incluir este tema en la agenda, pero no envuelve proposiciones ni insinuaciones de ninguna especie. Lo que al Comité interesa particularmente, son los puntos de vista personales suyos, y, en consecuencia, deseamos pedirle que dilucide esta materia a la luz de su especial conocimiento respecto de ella.

Conforme a la norma acostumbrada, quienes participen como speakers en esta conferencia lo harán como invitados del Comité Organizador y por tanto serán de cargo de éste el costo del pasaje y del hotel en Viña del Mar.

Aguardando su grata respuesta, lo saluda atentamente

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Pedro Ibáñez

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HERNAN CUBILLOS SALLATO

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Santiago, May 15th., 1961

Mr. Robert Moss
Granmercy Park Hotel
Room 620
New York, N.Y. 10010
U.S.A.

Dear Robert:

I have known that you have been invited by The Mont Pelerin Society to participate in their Regional Meeting to be held in Viña del Mar, and they have asked me to persuade you to come to Chile.

The Chilean Associates of this group are excellent and for that reason it would be very useful if you could come. Furthermore, it would give us the opportunity of getting together again.

Rest assured that we will take good care of you here.

Kind personal regards,



HERNAN CUBILLOS

Apartment 620
Carnegie Park Hotel
1 Lexington Avenue
New York, N Y 10017

The 2, 1961

Mr Herman Cubillos
Casilla 830
Santiago

My dear Herman:

It was very good to hear from you. I had been hoping that our paths might cross in New York. I'm sorry I have been out of touch, but I was very embroiled in finishing my new book - it's called DEATH BEAL, and will be published by Crown in October - quite apart from personal problems like the divorce. I think you're going to enjoy the new novel; there's great excitement about it in the publishing trade here.

On the matter of the Mont Pelerin Society: I delayed responding to their original invitation, since I was rather startled to see that they had inserted my name on a list of featured speakers without waiting for my acceptance. I was also surprised that they did not provide details of honorarium, expenses and so on. I cannot find the original letter from them, and cannot recall the dates of the meeting. Perhaps you would be kind enough to ask them to write to me again, in New York. I am prepared to consider coming for the meeting, if only for the pleasure of seeing you, but I am worried that the dates may conflict with the major promotion tour I will be undertaking in October-November in connection with the publication of DEATH BEAL.

In the meantime, please let me know if you have any plans to go to the United States or Europe. It's been far too long since we compare notes on life and the state of the world.

With all good wishes, An always

Her RWR

ROBERT ROSS

Santiago, 19 de junio de 1981

Señor
Don Sergio Markmann
Presente.-

Estimado señor

Nos es grato dirigirnos a Ud. para informarle acerca de la Reunión Regional que la Sociedad Mont Pelerin celebrará en Viña del Mar en el mes de noviembre próximo.

Como es de su conocimiento, la Sociedad Mont Pelerin, fundada en 1947 por el profesor Friedrich von Hayek, reúne en su seno a profesores universitarios, académicos, investigadores, hombres de empresa y políticos en el propósito de debatir las ideas relacionadas con la permanencia de un sistema social libre. En el curso de su existencia, la Sociedad ha realizado diversas reuniones durante las cuales se han discutido los temas de mayor relevancia en el acontecer político, social y económico contemporáneo. Entre los académicos que han presidido esta sociedad pueden destacarse, entre otros, los nombres de Friedrich von Hayek, Wilhelm Röepke, Milton Friedman y Arthur Shenfield.

En la Reunión Plenaria realizada el año recién pasado en la Hoover Institution, California, el Directorio de la Sociedad presidida ahora por el economista japonés Chiaki Nishiyama, acordó efectuar, por primera vez en nuestro país, la Reunión Regional correspondiente al año 1981. Será ésta la oportunidad para reunir a un importante grupo de miembros e invitados de la Sociedad de Latinoamérica, Estados Unidos, Europa y Oriente y quienes según el programa que le adjuntamos, analizarán temas de especial interés para el mundo occidental, interviniendo como expositores y panelistas, profesores e investigadores de alto reconocimiento internacional.

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La favorable acogida a esta solicitud constituirá para el Comité Regional la oportunidad de organizar en el país una reunión que habrá de tener la mayor trascendencia.

Saludan a Ud. muy atentamente

CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
COMITE REGIONAL

PEDRO IBAÑEZ OJEDA
COMITE REGIONAL

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Santiago, 19 de junio de 1981

Señor
Eliodoro Matte Larraín
Presidente del Banco Industrial y de
Comercio Exterior
Agustinas 1337
Presente.-

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COMITE REGIONAL

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COMITE REGIONAL

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c Arthur Seldon

VIÑA DEL MAR, June 22, 1981.

Mr. Robert Moss
Apartment 620
Gramercy Park Hotel
2 Lexington Avenue
New York, New York 10010
U . S . A .

Dear Mr. Moss,

Mr. Hernán Cubillos has informed me about your letter dated June 2.

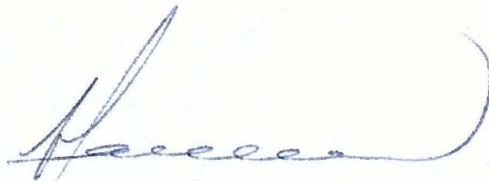
I regret the misunderstanding to our letter from January 26. In effect, in that letter we referred to "tentative program" together with a list of "prospective lecturers". We can hardly understand your fears about inserting names on a list of speakers without waiting for their acceptance. Indeed, nothing of the sort can ever exist in the minds of the persons in charge of the Meeting.

Enclosed I am sending a copy of our first letter informing you about the topic we would like to have your presentation.

Concerning the financial matters, the Regional Meeting will cover the ~~road~~ trip ticket and the living expenses while attending the Meeting.

The Regional Committee will be very pleased for
your kind acceptance to this invitation.

Looking forward to your visit to Chile, we remain
very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Caceres', with a large, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
REGIONAL COMMITTEE

Arthur Seldon

VIÑA DEL MAR, June 30, 1981.

Professor
Fritz Machlup
Department of Economics
University of Chicago
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60637
U . S . A .

Dear professor Machlup,

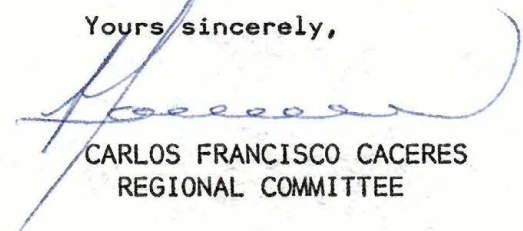
I have pleasure in informing you that the Regional Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society is to take place in Viña del Mar from 15th to 19th November 1981.

It is my pleasant task to invite you to attend this Conference and to ask you to present a paper on the subject "Education, Government of Individuals' Responsibility?". Papers on this subject are to be prepared by Mrs. Barbara Shenfield and possibly George Roche. We should be very glad to have you with us and to hear your enlightened views on the proposed topic.

In conformity with established custom your travelling expenses and the cost of your stay in Viña del Mar will be defrayed by the Regional Organizing Committee of the Conference.

Looking forward to your reply,

Yours sincerely,


CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
REGIONAL COMMITTEE

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SR HENRY MAKSOUD STGO CHILE JULIO 1/81

POR ENCARGO DE DON CARLOS CACERES MIEMBRO COMITE EJECUTIVO SOCIEDAD MONTEPELERIN, LE RUEGO CONFIRMAR LA INVITACION QUE LE FORMULARA DON PEDRO IBAÑEZ PARA PRESENTAR UN PAPER EN LA PROXIMA REUNION DE LA SOCIEDAD

ATENTAMENTE
KIMENA JAUREGUI
SECRETARIA P.IBAÑEZ++*
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Santiago, July 14, 1981

Mr. Tibor R. Machan
Visiting Associate Professor
Department of Economics
University of California
Santa Barbara, CA 93103
U. S. A.-

Dear Mr. Machan,

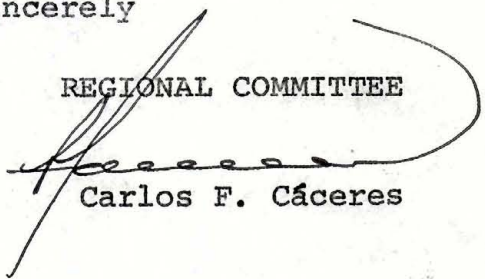
MONT PELERIN SOCIETY REGIONAL MEETING AT VIÑA DEL MAR,
CHILE - 15 TO 19 NOVEMBER 1981.-

With reference to your suggestion I
am pleased to confirm that we are forwarding an invitation
to the above Meeting, together with a registration form,
to:

Prof. J. Roger Lee, USA.
Prof. John Hospers, USA.
Dr. Michael Blasgen, USA.
Prof. Virginia Black, USA.

Yours most sincerely

REGIONAL COMMITTEE


Carlos F. Cáceres

Santiago, July 14, 1981

Mr. John T. McCarty
5697 Cedarwood Road
Littleton, Colorado 80121
U.S.A.-

Dear Mr. McCarty,

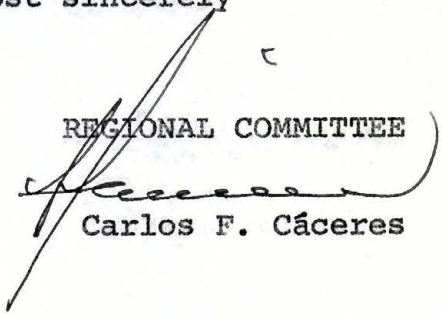
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Registration form, to

Mr. and Mrs. S. Wether, Illinois

Yours most sincerely

REGIONAL COMMITTEE


Carlos F. Cáceres

Santiago, July 14, 1981

Mr. A. James Meigs
201 E. 87th St. Apt. 27 L
New York, N.Y. 10028
U.S.A.-

Dear Mr. Meigs,

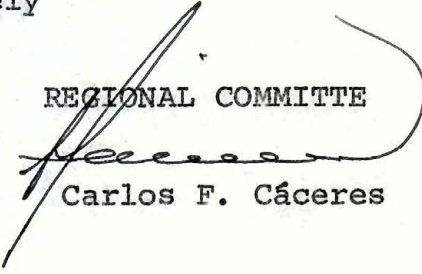
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to

Mr. and Mrs. Allen B. Cobb, Texas

Yours most sincerely

REGIONAL COMMITTEE


Carlos F. Cáceres

Santiago, Julio 14, 1981

Señor
Felix R. Montes
8 Calle 3-38 Zona 1
Guatemala, C.A.

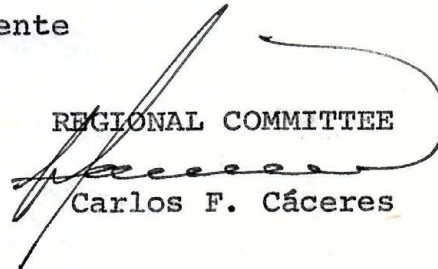
Estimado Sr. Montes:

De acuerdo a lo sugerido por Ud.
me es grato confirmarle que hemos despachado ~~en~~ invita-
ción para la Reunión Regional de la Sociedad Mont Pe-
lerin -15 al 19 de Noviembre- junto al respectivo re-
gistration form, a

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Farrá Guatemala

Muy atentamente

REGIONAL COMMITTEE


Carlos F. Cáceres

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Santiago, July 20 1981

Mr. A. Neil McLeod
President Liberty Fund, Inc.
7440 North Shadeland
Indianapolis, Indiana 46250
U.S.A.-

Dear Mr. McLeod:

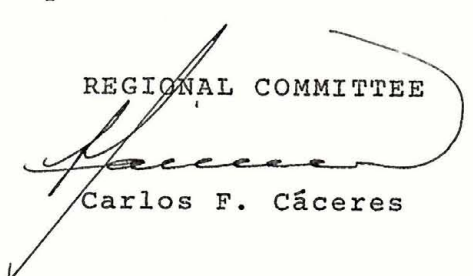
With reference to your letter of June 22 I am pleased to confirm that we have forwarded an invitation to the Mont Pelerin Society Regional Meeting at Viña del Mar, together with a registration form, to

Mr. T.P. Boyle, Canadá

His name was suggested by Mr. Antony G.A. Fisher from San Francisco.

Yours most sincerely

REGIONAL COMMITTEE


Carlos F. Cáceres

Santiago, 20 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Henry Maksoud
Presidente Hidroservice
Rua Afonso Celso 235
04119 Sao Paulo - Brasil

Estimado amigo:

Le agradezco su amable carta del 28 de agosto en que Ud. me comunica su imposibilidad de participar en la próxima reunión de The Mont Pelerin Society.

Estamos muy informados sobre el Congreso Mundial de Gerencias que se realizará en Lima en los mismos días de nuestra reunión en Viña del Mar, y créame que aunque comprendo la dificultad en que Ud. se encuentra, siento muchísimo que nos veamos privados de su participación en Mont Pelerin.

Confío, no obstante, en que en una oportunidad próxima querrá Ud. visitar nuestro país y poder escucharle en nuestra Escuela de Negocios, donde tiene Ud. su casa.

Muy cordiales saludos



Pedro Ibáñez O.

Santiago, 20 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Johny Mac-Auliffe
Forestal S.A.
Ahumada 11 - Of. 602
Presente.-

Estimado señor Mac-Auliffe:

Tenemos el agrado de informarle que entre los días 15 al 19 de noviembre se reunirá en Viña del Mar The Mont Pelerin Society.

Esta Sociedad, fundada en 1947 por el actual Premio Nóbel Friedrich von Hayek, ha congregado a distinguidas personalidades y a académicos en disciplinas políticas, económicas, filosóficas, históricas, etc. Entre ellos al Ministro de Economía y Canciller de Alemania Ludwig Erhard, al presidente de Italia Luigi Einaudi, a Wilhelm Röpke, Ludwig von Mises, Milton Friedman, etc.

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THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Carlos Francisco Cáceres

Pedro Ibáñez O.

R.S.V.P. fono: 497639
(desde 12 hrs.)

Santiago, 20 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Sergio Molina Benítez
Banco de Chile
Huérfanos 972 - 8º piso
P r e s e n t e.-

Estimado señor Molina:

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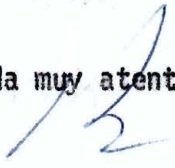
Señora
Carmen María Montes
Organización Tres
Presente.-

Estimada señora:

Cumplo con acompañar dos cheques,
uno por \$ 200.000.- y otro por \$ 100.000.- co-
rrespondientes a aportes de Supermercados Almac
S.A. y de Esso Chile S.A., respectivamente.

Le ruego depositar estos cheques
en la cuenta de Mont Pelerin y agradecerlos en
mi nombre a las empresas donantes.

La saluda muy atentamente



Inc. 2 cartas
2 cheques

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PEDRO IBAÑEZ OJEDA

Santiago , 30 de octubre de 1981

Estimada Carmen María:

Te transmito parte de un cable recibido por don Pedro del Sr. Chiaki Nishiyama, a fin de que tomen Uds. debida nota:

! I'm arriving at Santiago on November 14
Saturday by Pan American 459 At 8: 55 A.M.
Therefore please reserve hotel for me from
that day on Best regards. "

A este respecto pusimos un cable consultándole si el sábado 14 prefería quedarse en Santiago o seguir del aeropuerto a Viña. Cuando reciba respuesta te la comunico.

Entiendo que en el caso de Nishiyama don Pedro enviará su auto con alguna persona a esperarlo.

De todas maneras, don Pedro, quiere tener una reunión contigo más adelante para tratar el asunto de la llegada de las personas. Si los esperarán en auto o buses, etc. ?

Cariños

Ximena

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Santiago, 3 de noviembre de 1981

Señor
Tomás Mac-Hale
Diario "El Mercurio"
Presente.-

Estimado señor:

La Sociedad Mont Pelerin acordó en la Reunión Plenaria realizada el año recién pasado en la Hoover Institution, California, efectuar la Reunión Regional correspondiente al año 1981 en la ciudad de Viña del Mar.

El Comité Ejecutivo tiene el agrado de invitar a Ud. a participar en las sesiones y actos que se detallan en el programa adjunto que se llevarán a cabo entre los días 15 al 19 de noviembre próximo.

Será muy grato contar con su presencia en las deliberaciones de la Sociedad.

Le agradeceremos comunicarnos su respuesta a esta invitación, como también, enviarnos el formulario de registro que se adjunta.

Le saludan muy atentamente

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Carlos Francisco Cáceres


Pedro Ibáñez O.

Santiago, 10 de noviembre de 1981

Señor
Rodolfo Menéndez
Revista Negocios
Román Díaz 67 -Piso 1º Of. 2
Presente.-

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(desde 12 hrs.)

Santiago, 10 de noviembre de 1981

Señor General
Don Enrique Montero
Subsecretario del Interior
Presente.-

Estimado Sr. Subsecretario,

Hace varios días he tratado de comunicarme telefónicamente para informarle a Ud. sobre la reunión de The Mont Pelerin Society, en Viña del Mar, entre los días 15 y 19 del presente, y para solicitar la anuencia suya o los permisos que legalmente procedan para esa conferencia.

En la imposibilidad de establecer esa comunicación, me permito poner en conocimiento suyo las informaciones que siguen relativas a dicha Sociedad.

Ella está integrada fundamentalmente por académicos de variados países. La Sociedad no tiene sede y se reúne una vez por año en cualquier país, a fin de que sus miembros expongan y debatan sus ideas en relación con temas de alto interés público y, particularmente, en torno al ejercicio de la libertad en el mundo contemporáneo. En la entrevista que apareció en "El Mercurio" el domingo 8 del presente (recorte adjunto) encontrará Ud. otras informaciones adicionales.

Preside la Sociedad el Profesor Chiaki Nishiyama de la Universidad de Rikkyo en Tokyo, su Vicepresidente es el Prof. James Buchacan del Center for Study of Public Choice Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Secretario

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA

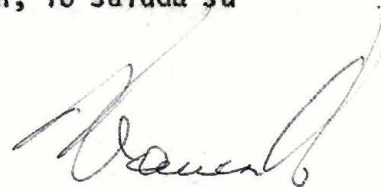
el Conde Max Thurn de Viena y Tesorero Edwin J. Feulner, presidente de Heritage Foundation, Washington D.C. Son miembros chilenos el Sr. Carlos F. Cáceres y el suscrito

En septiembre de 1980, con ocasión de mis gestiones para la realización de esta reunión, tuve oportunidad de informar a S.E. el Presidente de la República, respecto de la importancia que revestía la posibilidad de reunir a The Mont Pelerin Society en Chile, anhelo que, afortunadamente, se materializa ahora.

Mucho agradeceré, pues, quiera Ud. tener la atención de indicarme si para la realización de esta reunión procede que hagamos otras gestiones o trámites, además de la presente carta. Si ello no fuera necesario, quisiera pedirle el servicio de hacer timbrar copia de esta carta en señal de conformidad con lo manifestado.

Afmo. amigo y S.S.

Agradeciendo su atención, lo saluda su



Pedro Ibáñez O.

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ATT: SR PEDRO IBANEZ
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REPITICION E CORRECCION MY TELEX DE AYER:

GRATO, POR SU TELEX DEL 13 DEL CORRENTE. ESTARE EN ESTADOS UNIDOS A
PARTIR DE 17 HASTA LA PROXIMA SEMANA E QUEDA-SE CASI IMPOSSIBLE
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GRACIAS, SALUDOS
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Apartment 620
Gramercy Park Hotel
New York, NY 10010

July 6, 1981

Sr D. Carlos Carceres

Dear Mr Carceres:

Thank you for your letter of June 22. I very much regret that I will have to decline your invitation to address a regional meeting of the Mont Pelerin society, for two reasons:

1) As you can imagine, I have a very crowded schedule of speaking engagements, and I am afraid that I cannot accept lecture invitations unless a substantial honorarium is involved.

2) The promotion tour for my new book will keep me fully occupied in the United States throughout most of November.

I do hope that your conference is a success.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely 

Robert Moss



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HENRY MAKSOU
Presidente

São Paulo, 28 de agosto de 1981

Ilmo. Sr.
PEDRO IBANEZ
Escuela de Negócio
Casila 846
VIÑA DEL MAR, CHILE

Prezado amigo:

Muito a contragosto e acompanhado de minhas sinceras desculpas, levo ao seu conhecimento que estarei impossibilitado de apresentar, conforme havíamos combinado, o 'paper' sobre "Freedom of Expression and Misinformation", na próxima reunião da The Mont Pelerin Society, que se realizará de 16 a 19 de novembro em Santiago do Chile.

Estive até agora tentando resolver problemas com o Congresso Mundial de Gerência, que se realizará em Lima, Peru, com o qual eu já havia me comprometido desde o ano passado em apresentar um trabalho sobre o tema "Taxation as a tool for income and wealth distribution".

A absoluta coincidência de datas entre os eventos de Lima e os de Santiago é que me levaram à impossibilidade que ora lhe comunico.

Mais uma vez apresento as minhas desculpas, juntamente com os meus protestos de alta estima e consideração.

Cordialmente

c.c. Paulo Ayres Fº

DANIEL MACHADO DE CAMPOS

São Paulo, September 11th, 1981

The Mont Pelerin Society
Casilla 846
Viña del Mar - Chile

Attn: Mr. Pedro Ibañez O. - President

Dear Sir,

I received your letter last June inviting me to the meeting that will be realized in Chile from 15th up to 19th November.

I am very happy this invitation, because I was remembered by Mr. Paulo Ayres Filho, a great and eminent manager, Brazilian's Free Initiative.

Unfortunately, I wont be present because a lot of obligation that can't be delayed in this time, that to hinder me to travel.

I wish you progress for more this meeting this Institution's Studies Economic important.

Thank you once again for your invitation.

Cordially Yours,



Daniel Machado de Campos

DMC/mr

LIBERTY FUND, INC.
7440 NORTH SHADELAND
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46250

September 24, 1981

Dr. Pedro Ibanez O.
President
The Mont Pelerin Society
Vina del Mar
CHILE

Dear Dr. Ibanez:

This is to advise you of Dr. A. Neil McLeod's
airline reservations for coming to The Mont Pelerin Society
Regional Meeting in Chile this November.

ARRIVAL IN SANTIAGO -- Thursday
November 12, 1981

PanAm #459 5:55 A.M.

DEPART SANTIAGO -- Saturday
November 21, 1981

PanAm #460 11:00 P.M.

Will you please make reservations at the Hotel
Miramar for Dr. McLeod from November 12 through November 21.
A copy of his Registration Form is attached.

I would appreciate your writing to let me know when
these reservations are confirmed.

Thank you.

Sincerely,



Ruth Connolly, Secretary to
Dr. McLeod

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Teléfono 56454
Telex 30459 Marin - Cl

SANTIAGO, 7 de Octubre de 1961

Señores
Pedro Ibáñez O. y
Carlos Francisco Cáceres
Presidente y Director
The Mont Pelerin Society
Santiago
VIA AEREO

Estimados amigos:

Recibí su atenta invitación. Desgraciadamente, a causa de cambios de última hora, deberé estar en Londres el día 16 de Noviembre, así que no será posible asistir.

Mucho les agradezco su gentileza, y les deseo mucho éxito en tan interesante iniciativa.

Les saluda atentamente

ALFONSO MARQUEZ DE LA PLATA YRARRAZAVAL

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FEDERAÇÃO DO COMÉRCIO DO ESTADO DE SÃO PAULO



ENTIDADE
REPRESENTATIVA
DO COMÉRCIO
SINDICALIZADO

Enviado ao Sr. Paulo Ayres F.

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Ref: 01.1381/81 - c.p.

São Paulo,
novembro 03, 1981

Prezada Senhora:

A propósito de sua missiva transmitindo notícia sobre convite formulado pelo Sr. Paulo Ayres F. ao nosso Presidente efetivo, Dr. José Papa Júnior, para participar da reunião que a Mont Pelerin Society realizará em Viña del Mar, Chile, de 15 a 19 deste mês, vimos, inicialmente, expressar agradecimentos pela honrosa deferência.

Quanto a essa participação, queremos esclarecer que o Dr. José Papa Júnior, ora em viagem de representação no exterior, nos pediu que apresentasse escusas pela impossibilidade, uma vez que, atendendo convocação da Câmara de Comércio Internacional, na mesma época estará presente às reuniões do citado organismo, que terão lugar nas Filipinas.

Lamentando tal intercorrência, aproveitamos a oportunidade para expressar-lhe os protestos de nosso cordial apreço.

[Handwritten signature of Angelo Matteucci]
ÂNGELO MATTEUCCI
Diretor Secretário

Ilustríssima Senhora
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DD. Secretária do Sr. Paulo Ayres F.
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THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

1986 General Meeting: St. Vincent
August 31st - September 6th

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ITALIAN SPONSORING COMMITTEE

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CIDAS

October 1985

Dear Member,

We are glad to confirm that the 1986 General Meeting will be held at St. Vincent, August 31 - September 6, 1986. As accommodations are limited, you should respond promptly upon receipt of materials concerning hotel costs, registration fees, academic program, transportation facilities, excursions, etc. These materials will be forwarded in early 1986 by the Italian Sponsoring Committee (Prof. Sergio Ricossa, Chairman, c/o CIDAS, via della Consolata 12, 10122 Torino).

Most of the participants will be lodged at the Grand Hotel Billia, where the meeting will be held. Even though the Billia is a luxury hotel, we have been able to secure attractively low rates for the participants. We have also made reservations at another hotel within walking distance of the Billia, which offers more modest accommodations at a lower price. This cheaper option, however, will only be available to a small number of participants.

The broad theme of our discussions will be The Economics and the Philosophy of Liberty. Papers will include the philosophical basis of a free society; the legacy of Bruno Leoni; liberty, efficiency, and the law; property rights; liberty and democracy; inflation, constitutions, and liberty; economics and social interaction; and a preliminary report on the history of the Mont Pèlerin Society. Afternoon sessions will be divided into two concurrent discussions on such issues as the freedom promotion business, public goods, free immigration, privatization, and liberalism as conservatism. The Grand Hotel Billia also offers ample facilities for additional meetings should voluntary sessions be arranged.

Given the beauty of the location, the outstanding quality of the facilities offered by the Grand Hotel Billia and Convention Center, the structure of the Academic Program and the high level of the speakers, we look forward to a memorable meeting.

Sincerely yours,

Sergio Ricossa



Antonio Martino



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CIDAS

Dear Member:

Following our letter of October 1985, we are pleased to send you the final information regarding the 1986 General Meeting of The Mont Pèlerin Society.

Academic Program - The preliminary Academic Program of the meeting is enclosed. An asterisk (*) marks the speakers and commentators who have already confirmed their acceptance. The final program will be forwarded to you with the main papers before the end of June.

Registration - As accommodations are limited, please complete the enclosed Registration Form and return it with the appropriate cheque to the Italian Sponsoring Committee at your earliest convenience.

Accommodation - Please complete the Hotel Reservation Form, indicating the type of accommodation you prefer, the dates of arrival and departure, and whether you wish to take advantage of our coach service from Torino to Saint Vincent or not.

Bookings must be made through CIDAS and accompanied by a cheque for 20% of the cost.

We have succeeded in negotiating very favorable rates with the Grand Hotel Billia, which are outlined in the form. The rates for Hotel Elena (within walking distance of the Convention Center) are even lower. However, the Hotel Elena is very small so that allocation of rooms will be on a "first come first served" basis.

Excursion - There will be alternative excursions offered for Wednesday. Participants should indicate their preference on the form which will be provided upon arrival. Among the various alternatives, excursions to the majestic mountains surrounding Val d'Aosta and visits to the region's castles are being considered.

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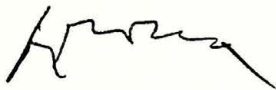
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Val d'Aosta is a unique Italian region. Bordering with Switzerland on the North and France on the West, it is an island of peace in the center of Western Europe. Far away from everything, yet easily accessible, surrounded by some of the most beautiful mountains in Europe (including Mont Blanc), St. Vincent provides an ideal, tranquil setting for intellectual exchange, conveniently protected from unnecessary publicity. Plus, the outstanding gastronomic traditions of Val d'Aosta, which combine French and Italian cuisine, will contribute to the pleasures of our meeting. The weather, usually warm and sunny at that time of the year, will add the final touch.

Participants are advised to arrive at Torino Airport, which is connected with all Italian airports and with such European airports as London, Paris, Frankfurt, etc.

Guests - For those members who would like to propose guests, a special guest form is attached which should also be completed and returned to Antonio Martino. As all guests, prior to receiving an invitation, must be approved by the Executive Committee, it would be appreciated if you could return this form as soon as possible. Last date for invitation is April 30.

We feel that an excellent program has been planned for the 1986 General Meeting and hope you will agree. We look forward to welcoming you to St. Vincent.



Sergio Ricossa



Antonio Martino

Mont Pèlerin Society, 1986 General Meeting
St. Vincent, Italy, Aug. 31 - Sept. 6, 1986

P R O G R A M

THE ECONOMICS AND PHILOSOPHY OF LIBERTY

Morning sessions: 9:15 to 1:15 (coffee break at 11)

Afternoon sessions: 4 pm to 6 pm (coffee at 3:30 pm)

- SUN., AUG. 31 4:30 to 6:30 Registration
6:30 Reception
7:30 Presidential Address: Man and the State, by
James M. Buchanan (*)
8:30 Opening Banquet
- MON., SEPT. 1 Session I Chairman: Lord Harris of High Cross
9:15-11 The Philosophical Basis of a Free Society
Speaker: Roland Vaubel (*)
Commentators: Hannes Gissurarson (*)
 Vittorio Mathieu (*)
- 11:30-1:15 The Legacy of Bruno Leoni
Speaker: Arthur Kemp (*)
Commentators: Arthur Shenfield (*)
 Peter Aranson
- 4pm-6pm Session A Chairman: Max Thurn
How Can Liberty Be Sold? The Freedom Promotion Business
Speaker: Antony G. A. Fisher (*)
Commentators: Isabel Mühlfnz1 (*)
 Edwin J. Feulner, Jr. (*)
- 4pm-6pm Session B Chairman: Fred Aftalion
The Case for Free Market Immigration
Speaker: Julian Simon (*)
Commentators: Mrs. Sayo Kaji (*)
 Luis Pazos de la Torre

Commentators: Leland B. Yeager (*)
Antonio Marzano (*)

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4pm-6pm Session A Chairman: Chiaki Nishiyama
Goto and Garvey Prizes
Papers by winners

4pm-6pm Session B Chairman: Renato Mieli
Liberalism vs Conservatism? The Legacy of L. Einaudi
and W. Röpke
Speaker: William F. Campbell
Commentators: Giuseppe Eusepi (*)
Luigi Lombardi Vallauri (*)

FRI., SEPT. 5 Session IV Chairman: Glenn Campbell
9:15-11 Economics and Social Interaction
Speaker: Gary Becker (*)
Commentators: Henri Lepage (*)
Karen Vaughn

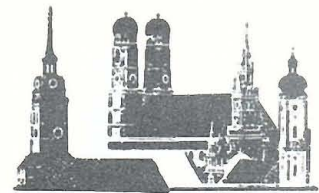
11:30-1:15 The History of the MPS: A Preliminary Report
Speaker: Max Hartwell (*)
Comments by F. A. Hayek and other founding and early
members of the MPS

pm (4:30-5:30) BGM, followed by Closing Banquet (with Reception starting
at 7:30)

(*) indicates those who have already confirmed their acceptance.

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

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June 1990

Dear member,

it has now been almost four months since we sent out the invitations to the Mont Pèlerin Society General Meeting to be held from September 2nd to 8th, 1990, in Munich West Germany.

Since that time we received many registrations from members and even more guest nominations which is not that surprising, because this years meeting is certainly worth attending.

If you decide to attend, please take into account:

Our deadline is July 15th

Thereafter availability of hotel rooms cannot be guaranteed, since Munich is a very popular tourist city and will be having peak season in September.

We look forward to seeing you in Munich.

Yours sincerely,

Isabel Mühlfenzi

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MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

General Meeting

September 2-8, 1990 in Munich

REGISTRATION FORM FOR COMPANION'S PROGRAMME / OPTIONAL TOURS

Deadline: July 31, 1990

Please fill in and return to:

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COMPANION'S PROGRAMME (free of charge for registered spouses/companions)

☐ City Sightseeing Tour, Monday Sept. 3rd _____ pers.

☐ Alte Pinakothek, Tuesday Sept. 4th _____ pers.

OPTIONAL TOURS

☐ Neuschwanstein Castle, Tuesday Sept. 4th _____ pers. à US\$ 75,— US\$ _____

☐ Neuschwanstein Castle, Thursday Sept. 6th _____ pers. à US\$ 75,— US\$ _____

☐ Linderhof Castle, Thursday Sept. 6th _____ pers. à US\$ 75,— US\$ _____

☐ Lake Tegernsee, Friday Sept. 7th _____ pers. à US\$ 55,— US\$ _____

☐ Olympic Sport Park, Saturday Sept. 8th _____ pers. à US\$ 55,— US\$ _____

☐ Dresden - East Germany, Sunday Sept. 9th _____ pers. à US\$ 630,— US\$ _____

Please remit the **Total Amount**

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to: Mont Pèlerin Society, Bayerische Hypotheken- und Wechselbank München,
Account No. 654 042 74 00, BLZ 700 200 01 or enclose the appropriate cheque

Place/Date

Signature

COMPANION'S PROGRAMME

Monday, Sept. 3rd, 1990
City Sightseeing Tour
 09.00 - 12.00h

A comprehensive tour through the historic and modern parts of Munich. Visit to the Nymphenburg Castle, former summer residence of the royal family, enjoy a walk through the wonderful gardens to the small Amalienburg Castle.

Tuesday, Sept. 4th, 1990
Alte Pinakothek
 09.00 - 13.00h

Munich's Alte Pinakothek houses many great masterpieces from the 14th to the 18th century. It has the world's largest collection of Rubens and is without a doubt one of the great painting collections of the world.

OPTIONAL TOURS

Tuesday, Sept. 4th, 1990
 Thursday, Sept. 6th, 1990
Neuschwanstein Castle
 09.00 - 17.00h

This tour will take you to some of the most spectacular monuments in Bavaria. Going through the foothills of the Alps in Upper Bavaria you will reach Hohenschwangau on the shore of the Alpsee. After a short walk uphill you will visit the famous Neuschwanstein Castle. From there you can enjoy the view of the nearby Hohenschwangau Castle and the foothills of the Alps.

Price per person incl. lunch US\$ 75,--

Thursday, Sept. 6th, 1990
Linderhof Castle
 09.00 - 17.00h

Travel through the most picturesque areas of the Bavarian Alps to Oberammergau, site of the world famous passion plays. The tour continues to the Benedictine Monastery of Ettal, founded in 1330 by "Ludwig der Bayer". Visit to the Monastery church with its wealth of stucco work and dome rising to over 200 ft (65m). After lunch visit the nearby Linderhof Castle, one of King Ludwig's 11 many castles.

Price per person incl. lunch US\$ 75,--

OPTIONAL TOURS

Friday, Sept. 7th, 1990
Lake Tegernsee
09.00 - 14.00h

This excursion will lead you into the charming and romantic countryside of the lower Alps. Travelling along the lake you will arrive at Tegernsee, where a short boat cruise will take you across the lake. Brunch will be served at Gut Kaltenbrunn.

Price per person incl. brunch US\$ 55,--

Saturday, Sept. 8th, 1990
Olympic Sport Park
10.00h - 15.00h

The Olympic grounds which were completed for the 1972 Summer Olympics have since then grown into the hearts of all Bavarians. The huge tent-like roof over the Olympic Stadium and the Olympic Hall have become an integral part of Munich's skyline. The 290 meter high Olympic tower has also become a symbol for the city of Munich. Lunch will be served in the restaurant on top of the tower.

Price per person incl. lunch US\$ 55,--

A minimum participation of 30 persons is required for all excursions. All tours will depart from the Sheraton Hotel. Guests, staying in one of the other hotels may use the bus transfer.

Sunday, Sept. 9th, 1990
Day Trip to Dresden
08.30 - 19.00h

This Day-Trip will take you to the old city of Dresden in East Germany. A Lufthansa flight has been specially chartered for this tour. You will depart from Munich at approx. 09.00h. Upon arrival in Dresden you will embark on an extensive city tour covering the attractions such as the famous baroque masterpiece the "Dresdner Zwinger", the famous art collection "Grünes Gewölbe" and the "Semper Opera". Lunch will be served in the Hotel Bellevue. The return flight will arrive in Munich at approx. 19.00h. This tour, into an area of Europe which is going through tremendous social and political change, is sure to be a memorable experience.

Price per person incl. lunch US\$ 630,--

Please Note:

The tour price includes airfare, transfers from and to the hotels, an english speaking guide, all admission fees and lunch. A minimum of 60 persons is required for this day trip. Only a maximum number of 90 persons can be accepted, so reservations will be made on a first come first serve basis.

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CORRESPONDENCIA ENVIADA

Santiago, July 7, 1978

Dr. Chiacki Nishiyama
Center for Modern Economics
Rikkyo University
Ikebukuro, Tokyo

Dear Dr. Nishiyama:

As i am presently working on my plans to attend the Hong Kong meeting, I feel I should let you know in advance of a request I would like to put before the Board of Mont Pelerin.

I sincerely feel that there are good valid reasons to consider Chile as the place for the 1980 meeting of the Society. Economic as well as political developments in my country may be worth reviewing and analyzing on the spot.

Needless to say, a group of top economists, business leaders and government officials would be only too glad to co-operate and welcome the members of the Society.

I can assure you that the Chilean group could arrange an interesting and appropriate programme, including of course entertainment of such a distinguished group.

Although Chile might be considered by some people to be at the end of the world, I doubt whether Hong Kong is really any closer!

If you share my view regarding the above, do you think I could count on your support and backing, when the time comes to set forth this suggestion to the Board of the Society?

Looking forward to meeting you at Hong Kong, I remain yours sincerely.

Pedro Ibáñez O.
President

Fundación Adolfo Ibáñez

Providencia 545
Phone 494933
Santiago, Chile

Santiago, December 2, 1980

Prof. Chiaki Nishiyama
Japan.-

Dear Prof. Nishiyama:

It was indeed a pleasure to talk to you over the telephone regarding the Regional Meeting that will be held in Chile during November of 1981.

As mentioned during our conversation, I am pleased to attach the following:

Announcement to all Members of Mont Pelerin (it is presently being printed and will be mailed within the next ten days).

First rough draft of the Programme of the meeting that will take place in Viña del Mar.

I would very much appreciate your comments and observations regarding this draft, I have already received several suggestions as to the convenience or the possibility of adding a larger number of speakers and discussants from Latin America.

Dr. Frickhöffer has very kindly offered the possibility of an historic presentation on the economic social and political conditions that made it possible for Prof. Erhard to establish a market economy in Germany. No doubt it would be most interesting to have Japan's experience on this same subject.

You will note that the outlined programme ends on Thursday evening, November 19. We think it would be convenient for the meeting to end a day before the usual custom, so as to allow visitors from abroad to travel to Santiago on Friday 20th (1 hour and 40 minutes by bus) to hold private meetings and thus inform themselves of the recent years economic performances as well as the social and political evolutions that have taken place in Chile.

Besides the outing we have programmed for Wednesday 18th, so that our visitors can get to know the Chilean countryside in the surrounding areas, we plan to offer and eventually organize fishing excursions to the lake region in the south, or visits to copper mines or other programmes that might be of interest for the members to undertake when the meeting is over.

To tackle with the responsibilities of carrying out the meeting in Viña del Mar, we have the help of prominent scholars and businessmen of the country.

As mentioned during our telephone conversation, we have organized an Executive Committee for the Viña del Mar Regional Meeting, made up of the members indicated in the announcement.

To all of them I have taken the liberty of sending a copy of this letter, as well as to our friends Ayau and Max Thurn, who have very kindly offered us their help and experience, for a better outcome of this Regional Meeting.

I sincerely hope that the information I have given you in this letter will meet with your approval and I await with keen interest your news, observations or suggestions for our forthcoming meeting.

Very cordially yours

Pedro Ibáñez

Honorary President
F.A. HAYEK

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Regional Meeting-Viña del Mar, Chile
November 15 to 19, 1981

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Please reply to:

Pedro Ibáñez
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
Viña del Mar, Chile

December, 2, 1980

ANNOUNCEMENT

At the recent General Meeting at the Hoover Institution, our Society decided to hold a Regional Meeting in Chile in November of 1981. Preliminary arrangements have already been made for ~~the~~ ^{that} Meeting, with the cooperation of distinguished economists and business leaders of the country.

arrangements
In regard to the above, our President Prof. Chiaki Nishiyama has approved the nomination of an Executive Committee for the Regional Meeting, ~~made up as follows~~ ^{as follows}: Paulo Ayres (Brazil), Ramón Díaz (Uruguay), Alberto Benegas Lynch Jr. (Argentine), Carlos Cáceres (Chile) and Pedro Ibáñez (Chile) as President; Hernán Cortes acting as the Committee's Secretary.

A first draft of the Programme has been drawn up and considers such subjects as:

- Freedom of expression and the Western World's misinformation.
- Education - Government or personal responsibility?
- Municipal autonomy and government decentralization.
- Taxes - New approaches on tax-policy
- Social Security, a road to socialism?
- Social justice - Its true meaning.
- State and combined (mixed) enterprises. Their meaning in a market economy.

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- Monetary system for a free society
- Democracy. Limited or unlimited?

Leading Members of Mont Pelerin are assisting us in organizing the meeting, deciding on the programme and inviting the main speakers and discussants.

This announcement serves to inform you that the Regional Meeting will take place at the:

HOTEL "MIRAMAR"
in Viña del Mar - Chile

from the 15th through the 19th of November 1981. We would appreciate you kindly noting this date on your engagement calendar.

We also request you please return the enclosed envelope with the attached form, duly completed.

We will be advising you in the near future of further details regarding our Viña del Mar Meeting.

Cordially yours



PEDRO IBAÑEZ

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA

Santiago, December 10, 1981

Dr. Chiaki Nishiyama
Ikebukuro, Tokyo

Dear Dr. Nishiyama:

Due to mistake, I did not enclose with my letter of the 2nd inst, the rough draft of the Programme of the forthcoming Viña del Mar Meeting. My apologies.

I would like to reiterate that we look forward with interest to your comments, criticism or suggestions for the outlined programme of the Chilean Regional Meeting.

Best wishes for Xmas.
and the New Year.

Cordially yours



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Santiago, January 23th, 1981

Professor
Chiaki Nishiyama
Center for Modern Economics
Rikkyo University
Ikebukuro, Tokyo
Japan .-

Dear Professor Nishiyama:

Thank you for your letter of December 2nd and your agreement with the designation of the Executive Committee for the Regional Meeting, as well as with the preparations done up to now.

We were informed about your visit to Chile to attend the Council Meeting of the Center for Policy Studies. This will be an excellent opportunity to discuss and solve everything that has to do with this Regional Meeting, even more when we expect to have at the date of your visit the answers to the invitations and subjects proposed to the speakers.

We are particularly grateful for you agreeing to address the meeting on "The Order of Freedom and Japanese Economy" and we would like to discuss with you on how this address should appear in the final revision of the Agenda. For the time being we took the liberty to present your paper as described in the attached second draft.

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Now other idea is to suggest to you that besides this very important paper you deliver a presidential address which, unifying the main subjects of the agenda, could constitute a sort of central theme of the meeting. Being the issue a complex one, we'd rather anticipate it in this letter. Anyway, the possibility of changing the order of the Agenda and the character of the different lectures should have is open, and we feel there is no hurry to settle the subject until we meet in Chile in April.

I am specially grateful for your offer to raise funds to pay the travel and hotel expenses of the Members of the Board of Directors of the Society that have been invited by the Regional Committee.

Those invitations include already the Honorary President, the four members of the Executive Committee, plus Manuel Ayau, George Stigler, Ramón Díaz and Roland Vaubel. Eventually we would ask for Fred Aftalion collaboration, being that the case he would also be invited.

At the same time the Executive Committee for the Regional Meeting is raising funds to pay for travel and hotel expenses of the rest of the members invited to present papers as well as some of those acting as discussants.

Looking forward to greeting you soon in Chile, I remain

Yours very sincerely,

Pedro Ibáñez

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Carta nocturna (Nigth letter)

Chiaki Nishiyama
Center for Modern Economics
Rikkyo University
Ikebukuro, Tokyo
Japan

I'm sorry that due to a mistake your name slipped in the programme's first draft STOP Second preliminary programme including your important paper and various substitutions has just been mailed to you STOP As to the presidential lecture my letter suggests being advisable to consider an all-embracing theme so as to provide a general purpose to the meeting and to most of the subjects to be discussed there STOP It also suggests to leave this matter open until we meet in Chile in two months time when we'll have more information regarding attendants, papers and speakers STOP Warm regards

PEDRO IBAÑEZ

PROF. DR. CHIAKI NISHIYAMA
PRESIDENT
MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

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Santiago, May 26, 1981

Dr. Chiaki Nishiyama
Japan.-

Dear Chiaki,

Acting on your suggestion, we have been glad to send invitations to the November Mont Pelerin Society Regional Meeting to Dr. Yukihide Okano and Dr. Motoo Kaji in accordance with the enclosed copies of letters.

We now look forward to receiving a favourable reply from these distinguished professors.

Cordially yours

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Pedro Ibáñez

VIÑA DEL MAR, May 28, 1981.

Professor
Chiaki Nishiyama
5-15-18 Kamiura
Setagaya, Tokyo
JAPAN

Dear professor Nishiyama,

It was a nice opportunity to have your visit in Chile last April as well as your attendance in the preparation of the Regional Meeting to be held in Vina del Mar this coming November.

According to your request, enclosed you will find a list of the Japanese Companies which have operations in Chile.

In the next few days the final announcement for the Regional Meeting will be mailed to the members of the Society and guests. We will keep you informed about this matters.

Looking forward to seeing you in November I remain

very truly yours,

CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
Regional Committee

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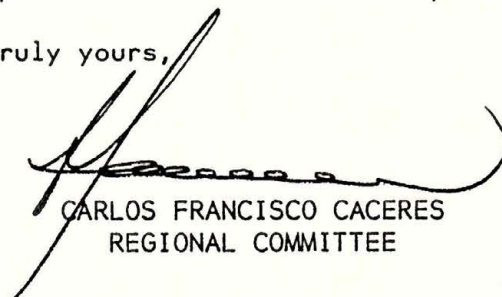
VIÑA DEL MAR, July 7, 1981.

Mr. Chiaki Nishiyama
5-15-18 Kamiyama
Setagaya
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JAPAN

Dear president Nishiyama,

Concerning the Mont Pelerin Society Regional Meeting in Viña del Mar, the Executive Committee, according to ~~your~~ proposal, sent letters to professors Mootu Kaji and Yukihide Okano, inviting them to present papers on the topics "Introduction of Market Economies, and Historical View" and "Should State Enterprises Exist?" I enclose copies of these letters. Up to now, no answers have been received. I would like to ask you to contact both professors in order the Executive Committee can prepare the definite list of Speakers.

Very truly yours,



CARLOS FRANCISCO CACERES
REGIONAL COMMITTEE

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Arthur Seldon - UK

Santiago, July 22, 1981

Prof. Dr. Chiaki Nishiyama
President The Mont Pelerin Society
5-15-18 Kamiyama, Setagaya-Ku
Tokyo - Japan

Dear Mr. President:

In the absence of Mr. Pedro Ibáñez, President of the Executive Committee for the forthcoming Regional Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society, who is at present in Europe, I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 9th, the terms of which I have communicated to Mr. Ibáñez by telephone. Pending his return to Chile he has asked me to put forward the following comments.

We feel it necessary to remind the meeting of the Regional Committee held in Santiago on 24th April last, and attended by Professor von Hayek and yourself. The purpose of that meeting was to review the contents of the programme for the Regional Meeting and discuss related financial aspects.

As regards the composition of the programme a number of decisions were adopted concerning the topics to be dealt with and the speakers and panalists who it was thought should take part in the debates. On that occasion you asked that your name be removed as a speaker on the subject "Introduction of Market Economies: An Historical View" in which you had originally intended to comment on the Japanese experience. You suggested that

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Professor Motoo Kaji should take your place as a speaker on this occasion. At the same time you proposed that the subject "Should State Enterprises Exist?" be entrusted to Professor Yukihide Okano. Letters of invitation -to which we have as yet had no reply - were immediately dispatched to these gentlemen at the addresses which you provided for the purpose, and copies were forwarded to you under cover of our letter of May 26th.

Finally, in connexion with the programme, since Professor von Hayek would be unable to come to the Regional Meeting, you offered to send a message of greetings on video tape to be recorded by him during his visit to Japan in October next.

With regard to financing aspects, decisions were taken at the same meeting concerning the registration fees to be charged to members and guests. On the subject of covering the costs of the meeting, you announced the decision to provide an initial contribution of US\$ 20.000.- subject to a possible increase to US\$ 40.000.- depending upon the general financial situation of the Society. The remaining financial requirements were left to the exclusive attention of the local Committee.

On 28 May and 7 July we sent you letters listing the names of Japanese firms operating in Chile, as requested by you, in order to approach them for financial support. In the second of these letters reference was made to the invitations forwarded to Professors Yukihide Okano and Motoo Kaji, to which, as already mentioned, this Regional Committee is still awaiting a reply.

A second Announcement regarding the Regional Meeting was sent to members and guests in the first week of July, together with the programme and the necessary registration forms. Similarly, all the members of the Regional Committee - consisting as you will no doubt recollect, of Messrs. Paulo Ayres of Brazil, Alberto Benegas Jr. of Argentina, and Ramón Díaz of Uruguay - and the Chilean members of the Society, were informed of the decisions taken during your visit to this country in April.

In the light of the foregoing circumstances we are frankly perplexed by what you say in your letter of 9 July to the effect that you neither find any role nor function to play as the President of Mont Pelerin Society in the programme for the Regional Meeting in Viña del Mar. The request made to you that you deliver the inaugural speech, and present a paper on the reality of conditions in Japan, your participation in the meeting of 24 April, and subsequent preparatory work carried out in accordance with your instructions and decisions, represent clear evidence of the interest of this Regional

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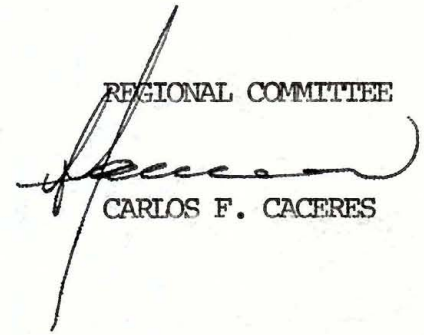
Committee, not only that you attend the meeting, but also take a decidedly direct part at the inaugural ceremony and throughout the discussions. As agreed at the April 24 meeting, these aspects were left to your exclusive decision. We are consequently at a loss to understand what reasons may have induced you to take such a disconcerting, untoward and abrupt decision as that announced in your letter.

We are taking the liberty of sending a copy of the present letter to the members of the Board of Directors of the Society since they have been made aware of the contents of yours. In so doing we are also of the belief that the misinterpretation evidenced by your remarks should be set right with the Society's directors in order that they be reassured regarding the arrangements so far made in preparation for the Viña del Mar meeting.

Finally, I think you should know how greatly the members of this Regional Committee regret the situation referred to, arising from circumstances for which we can find no apparent explanation.

Yours respectfully,

REGIONAL COMMITTEE



CARLOS F. CACERES

cc: All the members of the Board of Directors

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PROFESSOR
CHIAKI NISHIYAMA
PRESIDENT MONT PELERIN SOCIETY
3-15-18 KAMIUMA SETAGALYA-KU
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THANK YOU FOR YOUR CABLE RECEIVED UPON MY ARRIVAL

GLAD PROFESSOR KAJI ACCEPTED INVITATION. WILL WRITE SOON.

REGARDS
PEDRO IBAÑEZ++*
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PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA

Arthur Seldon- UK

Santiago, August 7, 1981

Professor Dr.
Chiaki Nishiyama
President The Mont Pelerin Society
Stanford.-

Dear Prof. Nishiyama,

Due to an absence abroad of more than two months I have been unable to communicate with you in the usual way; although before leaving Chile work was already in hand on the various suggestions you made while here for the better organization of the Viña del Mar meeting.

The decisions reached with you during your visit to Santiago have been fully implemented, as confirmed in the letter sent you by Prof. Carlos Cáceres at my specific request on 22 July.

INVITATIONS. During the few weeks between your visit to Chile and my own departure abroad, arrangements were made with both the Regional and Local Committees to fulfil all the measures agreed with you.

Some fifty invitations to prominent personalities in Argentina and a similar number in Brazil were accordingly dispatched with the assistance of our friends Paulo Ayres and Alberto Benegas Lynch.

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FINANCING OF THE CONFERENCE. After your visit to Chile an agreement was reached with the Local Committee regarding a scheme to raise funds to meet the Conference Budget. Discounting the fees to be paid by those attending the Conference and the sum of US\$ 20.000.- offered by you, the remaining sum to be financed, as you were informed in detail, amounted to US\$ 150.000.-

A number of companies in Chile have undertaken to contribute approximately 60 per cent of this balance. It will probably prove more difficult to raise the remaining 40 per cent, but we still have three months in hand and moreover are confident that you will be receiving additional contributions from Japanese corporations operating in Chile, thus enabling you to raise your contribution eventually to US\$ 40.000.-

We are at present actively engaged on the organization of the Meeting and completing the financing arrangements. For the latter purpose I have asked our friend Max Thurn to provide a letter authorizing us to undertake certain administrative and financial formalities in connexion with the Mont Pelerin meeting in Viña del Mar. The basic intention is to permit contributions from Chilean corporations to be treated as pre-tax expenses.

SPEAKERS. As regards the agenda and speakers I am taking the liberty of enclosing a separate sheet with detailed information. You will note that we are on the point of completing a list of two speakers for each subject. We should be most grateful if you were able to obtain a favourable decision from Professor Yukihide Okano who has not yet answered our invitation.

DISCUSSANTS. Within the next few days we will be meeting to consider the names of the discussants. Due to the high cost of travel to Chile we shall as far as possible complete the list by selecting persons who have already confirmed their attendance at the Viña del Mar Conference, and shall give you further information in this respect in due course.

A matter that remains to be settled is that of the presidential address which was left pending by you after protracted discussion between yourself and Professor Hayek at the meeting in San tiago on 24 April.

We earnestly trust that the information provided in Professor Cáceres' letter of 22 July and in the present letter will enable you to reconsider the assumption implied in your letter of 9 July under which you felt inclined to abstain from participating in the Viña del Mar Meeting.

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA

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I acknowledge the probability that the considerable volume of work involved in organizing this Conference and my somewhat protracted absence from Chile may have delayed the submission of prompt information to you regarding the way in which the agreements adopted have been carried into execution. I nevertheless trust that you will gather from this letter and that of Professor Cáceres that those agreements have been implemented in full.

If you were not informed of these particulars earlier, I must ask you to attribute the delay to my prolonged absence from the country and accept my apologies for this circumstance.

Comments and letters have been arriving from distinguished members of the Society which reveal real interest in the Viña del Mar Meeting and presage its success. I therefore feel confident that you will wish to reconsider the intention expressed in your letter of 9 July in order that we may count on your attendance and thereby ensure that the meeting be as successful as we wish it to be.

We look forward to receiving a favourable reply from you on this issue and remain,

Yours very sincerely

REGIONAL COMMITTEE

Pedro Ibáñez
President

c.c. Tokio

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA

Santiago, 18 August, 1981

Prof. Dr. Chiaki Nishiyama
President The Mont Pelerin Society
c/o Hoover Institution
Stanford, California 94305
U.S.A.-

Dear Dr. Nishiyama,

I am pleased to inform you that preparations for the Viña del Mar meeting have been going ahead satisfactorily. A list of speakers was enclosed in my letter dated August 7.

As regards discussants we are hoping to count, among others, with the participation of the Board members, Doctors Arvid Fredborg and Max Hartwell. In accordance with your suggestion we shall complete the list of discussants giving preference to regional members of the Society. Further information will be mailed to you as soon as we prepare said list.

We now take pleasure in submitting this formal invitation to attend the Viña del Mar Conference in the certainty that your participation will represent a valuable contribution to its success.

The cost of your travelling and hotel expenses and registration fees will be defrayed by the Regional Committee in the usual way.

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA

Invitations somewhat similar to this one have been forwarded to Mont Pelerin Board members Messrs: Buchanan, Feulner, Thurn, Ayau, Fredborg, Hartwell, Díaz, Vaubel, as to Messrs Hayek, Ricossa, Stigler, Aftalion, Campbell, Giersh and Seldon they have notified us that will be unable to attend.

I look forward to the pleasure of meeting you in Chile.

With best regards

REGIONAL COMMITTEE


Pedro Ibáñez

c. to Japan
Stockholm

ANEXO No. 1

The Mont Pelerin Society

Regional Meeting-Viña del Mar, Chile
November 15 to 19, 1981

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Santiago, 23 de Septiembre 1981

Señor Dr.
Agustín Navarro Gergely
Avenida Insurgentes Sur No. 85-801
MEXICO CITY 6, D.F.
M E X I C O

Estimado Sr. Navarro:

Agradecemos el envío de la Ficha de Registro correspondiente a Ud. y Sra. de Navarro, así como de las respectivas cuotas de inscripción, recibidas mediante Cheque # 6152 del Banco BANCOMER S.A., de fecha 18 de Agosto de 1981, por el total de US\$ 550.-

Dicha cantidad corresponde al total de ambas cuotas que son:

US\$ 250.- para los miembros, y
US\$ 300.- para el familiar acompañante.

Posteriormente, con fecha 4 de Septiembre de 1981, hemos recibido un segundo Cheque # 4251 del Banco BANCOMER S.A., por la suma de US\$ 300.- Le agradeceríamos nos enviara indicaciones relativas a este segundo Cheque.

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The Mont Pelerin Society

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a Ud.,

En espera de sus noticias, saluda atentamente



CARMEN MARIA MONTES
Coordinación General

CMM/Vw

The Mont Pelerin Society

ANEXO No. 2

REGIONAL MEETING, VIÑA DEL MAR, CHILE, NOVEMBER 1981

MEMBER REGISTRATION FORM

I will attend

I will not attend

Name: **DR. AGUSTIN NAVARRO GERGELY** Position held

Address: **Av. Insurgentes Sur No. 85-80. Piso**

5-33-44-45
Telephone

México, D.F.
City

MEXICO
Country

Accompanying family members.

Name(s): **JOSE BARROSO**

Relationship: **COUSIN**

Registration Fees.

MEMBER US\$ 250
ACCOMPANYING
FAMILY MEMBER 300

Additional Registration

(Please make check payable to Mont Pelerin Society, Chile)

TOTAL ENCLOSED:

US\$ **300.00**

Members and guests will have selection of two hotels. If this form does not arrive in time to give your preference, we will put you in similar accommodations. All reservations will be confirmed by mail. Individuals are responsible for payment of accommodations upon checkout. Please indicate your preference.

HOTEL MIRAMAR (where the meeting
is to take place)
Caleta Abarca s/n
Viña del Mar
Phone: 64077

HOTEL O'HIGGINS
Plaza Vergara s/n
Viña del Mar
882016

Single: US\$ 88. **X**

Single: US\$ 52. _____

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Double 75. _____

Luxury Suite. 176. _____

Please indicate airline and
estimated date of arrival

Please indicate airline and
estimated date of departure

Please return this form by August 30, in the enclosed envelope.

(A duplicate of this form is enclosed for your records)

.....
Signature

*De Vps. y despacho
el lunes 4 Oct.*

no se envió

Santiago, 1 Octubre 1981

DR. CHIAKI NISHIYAMA

5-15-18 KAMIUMA, SETAGAYA-KU

TOKYO JAPON

THAN YOU FOR YOUR CABLE OF SEPTEMBER 22 AND YOUR ACCEPTANCE
TO ATTEND THE MEETING AND DELIVER A PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS.
THE ABOVE INFORMATION WILL BE PRINTED IN THE FORTHCOMING
THIRD ANNOUNCEMENT.

WE ARE MOST GRATEFUL FOR THE BOARD'S DECISION TO SUBSIDIZE
THE MEETING IN THE AMOUNT OF THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARDS. WILL
CONSULT WITH ED FEULNER ON THE REMMITANCE OF FUNDS.

AS TO THE SUBJECTS RAISED IN OUR LETTER OF JULY 22 IN
RESPONSE TO YOURS OF JULY 9th I AGREE IT WOULD INDEED
BE BETTER TO OVERLOOK THE WHOLE ISSUE.

MAY WE ASK IF YOU COULD GET A DEFINITE FAVOURABLE
REPLY FROM PROFESSOR OKANO AS WELL AS THE VIDEOTAPE OFFERED
BY PROFESSOR HAYEK.

PREPARATION FOR THE MEETING DULY PROGRESSING. VERY
CORDIALLY

PEDRO IBAÑEZ

Kaji?

Santiago, 16 de octubre de 1981

Señora
Valerie Norris
a/c Banco de Crédito e Inversiones
Huérfanos 1134
Presente.-

Estimada señora:

El Comité Regional de la Sociedad Mont Pelerin agradece muy sinceramente el aporte de \$ 400.000.- con que el Banco de Crédito ha cooperado a la reunión que la Sociedad realizará en Viña del Mar en Noviembre próximo.

Junto con expresarle nuestro reconocimiento por su importante colaboración, es muy grato para este Comité formularle a Ud. una invitación para concurrir a las sesiones y actos que contempla el programa de dicha Conferencia, y que nos permitimos acompañar con la presente.

Esperando tener el agrado de contar con su participación en las deliberaciones de la Sociedad, le saludan muy atentamente

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY


Carlos Francisco Cáceres


Pedro Ibáñez O.

R.S.V.P. fono: 497639
(desde 12 horas)

Santiago, 20 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Juan Naveillán F.
Camino El Olivar 1511
Presente.-

Estimado señor Naveillán:

Tenemos el agrado de informarle que entre los días 15 al 19 de noviembre se reunirá en Viña del Mar The Mont Pelerin Society.

Esta Sociedad, fundada en 1947 por el actual Premio Nóbel Friedrich von Hayek, ha congregado a distinguidas personalidades y a académicos en disciplinas políticas, económicas, filosóficas, históricas, etc. Entre ellos al Ministro de Economía y Canciller de Alemania Ludwig Erhard, al presidente de Italia Luigi Einaudi, a Wilhelm Röpke, Ludwig von Mises, Milton Friedman, etc.

La Sociedad ha sido centro de exposición y debate de las ideas elaboradas por sus miembros (menos de 200 en sus primeros años, y hoy día aproximadamente 400), pero ella no adopta acuerdos ni publica sus trabajos, a menos que lo hagan sus miembros como difusión de los pensamientos y doctrinas de cada cual.

Las reuniones de la Sociedad no tienen pues la finalidad de promover cursos de acción ni hacer propaganda a determinadas doctrinas. Pero, atendida la vasta

influencia de sus miembros y las líneas de pensamiento que comparten, se ha decantado con los años una concepción económica que encuentra creciente acogida en vastos sectores del mundo.

Con motivo de la reunión de noviembre próximo, cuyo programa adjuntamos, hemos recibido autorización para cursar un número limitado de invitaciones a personas interesadas en los debates de la Sociedad. Y en esta virtud, nos dirigimos a Ud. para invitarlo a participar en la reunión de Viña del Mar conforme al programa y demás antecedentes que acompañamos a esta carta.

Atendida la limitación ya mencionada, mucho le apreciaremos quiera Ud. hacernos saber, a la brevedad posible, su decisión o su imposibilidad de asistir.

Saludan muy atentamente a Ud.

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Carlos Francisco Cáceres

Pedro Ibáñez O.

R.S.V.P. fono: 497639
(desde 12 horas)

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CHIAKI NISHIYAMA
5-15-18 KAMIUMA SETAGAYA-KU
TOKIOJAPON

IT HAS BEEN IMPOSSIBLE TO CONTACT YOU BY PHONE STOP
REGIONAL COMMITTEE WISHES TO INVITE GOVERNMENT OFFICERS
AND CABINET MINISTER EITHER FOR OPENING OR CLOSING
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THESE INVITATIONS STOP COULD YOU FIND A REPLACEMENT
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BEST REGARDS
PEDRO IBANEZ

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CHIAKI NISHIYAMA
5-15-18 KAMIUMA
SETAGAYA - KU
TOKIO
JAPON

THANK YOU FOR BOTH YR CABLES.

WOULD YOU LIKE US TO RESERVE HOTEL IN SANTIAGO FOR
SATURDAY NIGHT 14TH, OR WILL YOU PREFER CONTINUE
DIRECTLY TO VIRA

LOOKING FORWARD TO GREETING YOU IN CHILE

PEDRO IBAREZ++*
PRINTERGRAMAS *
40657 REPCO CL

VINA DEL MAR, January ~~21~~, 1982.

Professor
Dr. Chiaki Nishiyama
5-15-18 Kamiura
Setagaya-Ku
Tokyo
JAPAN 154

Dear Chiaki,

I wish your trip back to Tokyo had no further inconveniences and that you could arrive fairly on schedule.

Personnel and written messages on the Mont Pelerin Society Regional Meeting in Vina del Mar have brought us favourable and enthusiastic comments.

I would like to thank you once ~~more~~ for your attendance and participation as well as the financial grant from the Society.

The Meeting's budget outcome was reasonable balanced as you may see in the attached financial statement.

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THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY REGIONAL MEETING

VIÑA DEL MAR - NOVEMBER 1981

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

- Grants from chilean corporations	US \$ 96.154
- Fees from chilean guests	61.287
- Fees from foreign members and guests	57.606
- Grant from Mont Pelerin Society	30.000

TOTAL INFLOWS	US \$ 245.047
TOTAL EXPENSES	253.202

DEFICIT	US \$ 8.155
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According to your kind suggestion, we look forward to a final remittance from the Society, amounting to US \$ 8,155.00, which will meet the deficit.

Thank you again for all your interest in assisting us for a successful Meeting.

Best wishes for 1982,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'P. Ibañez O.', with a stylized flourish at the end.

PEDRO IBAÑEZ O.

PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA

Santiago, 16 de abril de 1982

Mr. Chiaki Nishiyama
Japan.-

Dear Chiaki,

I refer to my letter of 11 January
and trust that it will have met with your approval.

I shall be going abroad at the end
of the present month and before then would greatly
like to settle the sum outstanding after the recent
Mont Pelerin regional meeting.

Would it be possible for you to send
us the sum of US\$ 8.155.-? This would cover the
deficit and incidentally be less than the amount
you kindly offered on your departure from Chile.

I look forward with particular interest
to hearing from you in this connexion.

Whith warmest regards



LETRA "N"

CORRESPONDENCIA RECIBIDA

RIKKYO UNIVERSITY
IKEBUKURO, TOKYO, JAPAN
Center for Modern Economics

Director

Chiaki Nishiyama Ph. D.
Professor of Economics

February 19th, 1980

Dr. Pedro Ibanez Ojeda
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
Vina del Mar, Chile

Dear Pedro:

Thank you very much for your letter of January 23rd. It seems that your programme is becoming only finer.

Let me thank you also for your kindness to include my paper entitled "The Order of Freedom and The Japanese Economy." But I am also happy to deliver a paper that may unify the main subjects of the agenda, under the title of some such as "The Rise of Grassroot Liberalism," as I indicated in my last letter.

Looking forward to seeing you in your country and personally discussing with you the programme and other related matters in April, I remain

Sincerely yours,

Chiaki

Chiaki Nishiyama
President
Mont Pelerin Society

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Director

Chiaki Nishiyama Ph.D.

Professor of Economics

January 26th, 1981

Dr. Pedro Ibanez
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
Vina del Mar, Chile

Dear Dr. Pedro Ibanez:

Thank you very much for your letter of December 10th, 1980 and a copy of tentative programme for the Chile Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society. For some reason or another, I received all these only on January 20th, 1981, although they were air mailed by your office.

I trust that you are aware of the necessity of obtaining the approval of the programme from the executive committee. I am just about leaving for Berlin in order to finalize our preparation for the 1982 General Meeting of the Society. I will have the opportunity of discussing your proposed programme with the other members of the executive committee and also obtaining reactions from other senior members of the Society in Europe as well as in the United States on the way home. I am coming back to Japan by February 7th. I shall write you again then and let you know our reaction to your tentative programme.

On the whole the tentative programme appears to me fine. And the most important point is, of course, to adjust the discussions at the Meeting to the situations in your country as well as in other countries in South America. But as the President of the Society I must request you to invite all the members of the Board and cover their travel and hotel expenses as much as possible. I shall see to it that the amount, which your regional committee can not raise for this purpose, will be financed by some other way. Therefore, please let me know how much will be necessary for this as soon as it becomes clear.

I notice that my name appears at the very end of the programme as a discussant; though having the honour of being with Bill Simon.

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Does this mean that you think I am incapable of delivering not only the Presidential Lecture but also even a paper, which may contribute to the cause of Freedom in South America? Let me propose here again to you, as I did in my previous letter, that your committee let me deliver the presidential address at the Chilean Regional Meeting under the title of

either "The Order of Freedom and Japan,"

or "The Rise of Grassroot Liberalism."

I proposed the first title to you in my letter of December 19th, 1980. But I have heard nothing from you thus far. Perhaps it takes unusual time to correspond between your country and my country.

I am coming to your country and going to spend the week of April 20, 1981. I can have then the opportunity of personally going over the programme and other related matters with you gentlemen, i.e. the members of the Regional Preparation Committee.

Thanking you again for your kind efforts and cooperation, and looking forward to seeing you personally in Chile this April, I remain

Most cordially yours,



Chiaki Nishiyama
President
Mont Pelerin Society

CN/to

P.S. Please address henceforce all the correspondence to the following address:

Dr. Chiaki Nishiyama
3-28-14, Chuorinkan, Yamato-city
Kanagawaken, Japan 242.

And please do not hesitate to telephone me with collect charge at any time. My telephone number is:

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DR PEDRO IBANEZ ESCUELA DE NEGOCIOS I
CASILLA 846 VINA DEL MAR =



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APPEARS AS A DISCUSSANT IN THE PROGRAM LET ME ASK IF
YOU THINK I AM OF SUCH LOW CALIBER THAT I AM INCAPA
BLE OF DELIVERING NOT ONLY THE PRESIDENTIAL LECTURE
BUT ALSO EVEN = A PAPER WHICH MAY CONTRIBUTE TO
THE CAUSE OF FREEDOM IN SOUTH AMERICA MY LETTER
WILL SOON FOLLOW THE LETTER WILL LET YOU KNOW MY
COMMENT ON YOUR TENTATIVE PROGRAM BEST REGARDS
PRESIDENTE OF MONT Pelerin SOCIETY

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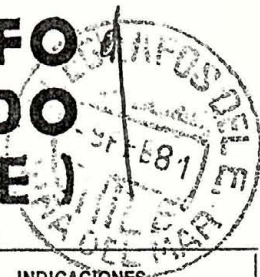
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DR PEDRO IBÁÑEZ OJEDA

ESCUELA O DE NEGOCIOS CASILLA 346 VÍA DEL MAR

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR CABLE I JUST CAME BACK FROM EUROPE.
AFTER HAVING ATTENDED THE PREPARATION COMMITTEE MEETING FOR 1982
GENERAL MEETING IN BERLIN AND FOR 1981 REGIONAL MEETING IN
STOCKHOLM ON THE WAY HOME I DROPPED IN (UCF)33 DR PEDRO IBÁÑEZ -
OJEDA PAGE 2/4? JS I SHALL WRITE YOU A LETTER AGAIN SOON LET YOU
KNOW THE PEOPLE'S REACTION TO YOUR PROGRAM PROPOSAL I AM CERTAINLY
LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU PERSONALLY IN YOUR COUNTRY THIS APRIL
BEST REGARDS = CHIHIKI NISHIYAMA PRESIDENTE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

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 - CHIEN-SHENG SHIH—CHINA
 - MAX THURN—AUSTRIA
(Secretary of the Society)

PLEASE REPLY TO:

Dr. Pedro Ibanez O
President
Fundacion Adolfo Ibanez
Providencia 545
Santiago, Chile *

Dear Dr. Ibanez O.:

Thank you very much for your letter of July 7.

I am greatly in favour of your proposal. However, Chile is as far as, and as close as, Hong Kong to many people. The Hong Kong Meeting is not going to have the attendance of as many the members of the Society as we usually have for the general meeting. I wonder if the Society can afford for having the two general meetings in a row under the similar conditions.

But I would strongly support the proposal, if it were for a regional meeting in Chile in 1979 or 1981. Japan has had so far only only a regional meeting. In fact, even the United States has had the same in the last several years. Regional meeting does not imply the meeting only for the regional people. On the contrary, all the regional meetings have had the attendance of all the key members of the Society, perhaps even better than some of general meetings.

Looking forward to seeing you in Hong Kong, I remain

Respectfully yours,



Chiaki Nishiyama

CN/to

LIBERTY FUND, INC.
7440 NORTH SHADELAND
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46250

June 22, 1981

Sr. Pedro Ibanez
Provindencio 545
Santiago
CHILE

Dear Senor Ibanez:

It gives me great pleasure to recommend for your consideration that an invitation to attend the Chile meeting of The Mont Pelerin Society be extended to:

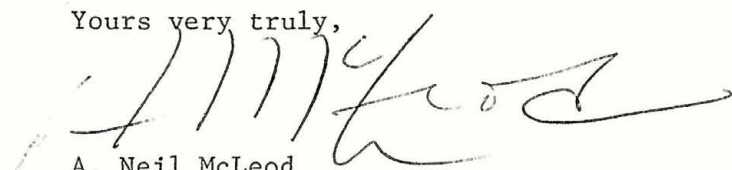
Private of

Mr. T. P. Boyle
Vice Chairman
The Fraser Institute
626 Bute Street
Vancouver, B. C.
CANADA V6E 3M1

Mr. Boyle has been instrumental in the success of The Fraser Institute. He has attended three Mont Pelerin Society meetings, and I hope he will grace our Society in full membership soon.

If you will find it convenient to invite Pat Boyle to the November meeting, I would be most appreciative.

Yours very truly,


A. Neil McLeod
President

ANMc/rmec

The Mont Pelerin Society

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July 9th, 1981

Mr. Edwin J. Feulner Jr.
Treasurer
The Mont Pelerin Society
P.O.Box 7031
Alexandria Virginia 22307
U.S.A.

COPY

Dear Ed:

Thank you very much for your letter of May 20, which I came to read only today, July 8, because of the mix-up that was caused by the moves not only of my house but also of my office. I must apologize for the delay of my reaction to your letter.

I completely agree with your comment on the letter from Dr. Ibanez. It is a surprise to me that the letter was sent only to you and the copies to Max Thurn and Jim Buchanan. I have received none of such a letter nor any aide-memoire on the Meeting held in Santiago from Dr. Ibanez.

It is true that I verbally suggested that I might provide the Chilean group with US\$ 20,000 at maximum, with the provisos that I would succeed in raising the amount in Japan, and that the Executive Committee and the Board of Directors would approve the contribution of MPS to a regional meeting. After I have had the conversations with the leading members of the Committee and the Board, I have come to learn that the general consensus finds such an action, if ever be made, would set up a bad precedence for the future and moreover completely violate the resolution made by the Board of Directors Meeting in Stanford in as recent as the last fall.

Besides, so far I have not been able to raise US\$ 20,000 for the purpose yet, although I might well succeed in doing so by the coming October or so. In any case I find it rather absurd that the budgeting for a regional meeting should be in short of US\$ 150,000 in the face of the fact that the General Meeting held in Stanford had cost only US\$ 50,000 more than US\$ 150,000 and so will the General Berlin Meeting in 1982.

Therefore in the capacity of the President of MPS I will be willing to contribute US\$ 20,000 at maximum, if I would succeed in raising that much for the Chilean meeting in Japan, and if the local preparation committee for the Chilean regional meeting would be willing either to cut down the total cost to less than US\$ 100,000 or to the level reasonable to a regional meeting, and if the Executive Committee and the Board Directors would approve such a contribution of MPS to the Chilean meeting. By so saying, I certainly do not imply that the Chilean group must not be allowed to hold a large meeting, in so far as the group can finance it by itself, and in so far as the number of the guests will not become larger than the number of the members who would attend. The second condition was strongly insisted by the Chairman of the Membership Committee, Prof. Harold Demsetz.

Most cordially yours,



Chiaki Nishiyama

CN:nm

cc: Dr. Max Thurn, Prof. James Buchanan, Dr. Pedro Ibanez
and the Members of the Board of Directors

The Mont Pelerin Society

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PROF. DR. CHIAKI NISHIYAMA

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July 9th, 1981

Dr. Pedro Ibanez
President
Executive Committee
Regional Meeting
Vina Del Mar

Dear Dr. Ibanez:

Since I neither find any role or function, which I must play as the President of Mont Pelerin Society, in your program for the Regional Meeting, Vina del Mar, nor have received any invitation from your committee, I assume that your committee is going to hold the meeting independently from my office.

And since all the available evidences show clearly that my assumption can not be wrong, I have come to conclude that I am not called upon to attend your meeting as the President of Mont Pelerin Society.

Respectfully yours,



Chiaki Nishiyama

CN:nm

cc: All the members of the Board of Directors

*Leida Carlos
17-7-81
OK*

The Mont Pelerin Society

REGIONAL MEETING, VIÑA DEL MAR - CHILE, NOVEMBER 1981

MEMBERS REGISTRATION FORM

SEE THE ATTACHED LETTER.

I will attend _____ I will not attend _____

Name: **PROF. DR. C. NISHIYAMA** Position held **PRESIDENT**

Address: _____
MONT PELERIN
SOCIETY

Telephone City Country

Accompanying family members:

Name(s): _____ Relationship: _____

Registration Fees:

MEMBER US\$ 250
ACCOMPANYING
FAMILY MEMBER 300

(Please make check payable to Mont Pelerin Society, Chile)

TOTAL ENCLOSED:

US\$ _____

Members and guests will have selection of two hotels. If this form does not arrive in time to give your preference, we will put you in similar accomodations. All reservations will be confirmed by mail. Individuals are responsible for payment of accomodations upon checkout. Please indicate your preference.

HOTEL MIRAMAR (where the meeting
is to take place)
Caleta Abarca s/n
Viña del Mar
Phone: 64077

HOTEL O'HIGGINS
Plaza Vergara s/n
Viña del Mar
882016

Single: US\$ 88.- _____

Single: US\$ 52.- _____

Double: 100.- _____

Double 75.- _____

Luxury Suite. 176.- _____

Please indicate airline and
estimated date of arrival _____

Please indicate airline and
estimated date of departure _____

Please return this form by August 30, in the enclosed envelope.

(A duplicate of this form is enclosed for your records)

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Signature



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15th July, 1981

Mr. Pedro Ibanez
President
The Mont Pelerin Society
Regional Committee
Escuela de Negocios
Casilla 846
VINA DEL MAR, CHILE

Dear Mr. Ibanez,

Many thanks for your letter of June 1981 regarding the Mont Pelerin meeting to be held at Vina del Mar later this year.

As you can see, I have attached the appropriate registration form and accompanying cheque for the sum of \$US 250.00 representing member's registration and would be pleased if you could confirm my accommodation at the Hotel Miramar as indicated.

I would also appreciate receiving any brochures and information you may have on trips to Santiago, the Lake District, and Vina del Mar generally.

*go
Canman
Maurice*

I'm sure the many arrangements and general organisation of this year's meeting are falling into place and I look forward with great interest to visiting your country in November.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

MAURICE L. NEWMAN

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Thanks for your cable received
upon (my) arrival. I'll write soon

Regards

Pedro Ojeda

Glad Professor
Chiaki accepted invitation

amazing?

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TOKYO 28/25 29 1246

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MR PEDRO OJEDA IBANEZ PROVIDENCIA 545

SANTIAGODECHILE

PROFESSOR KAJI IS HAPPY TO ACCEPT YOUR INVITATION. REGARDS

PROFESSOR CHIAKI NISHIYAMA, PRESIDENT OF MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

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OF. TAJAMAR
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CFSO CO JPTF 026
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MR PEDRO OJEDA IBANEZ PROVIDENCIA 545
SANTIAGODECHILE

I AM NOW STAYING AT HOOVER INSTITUTION, STANFORD UNTIL END OF
SEPTEMBER REGARDS
PROFESSOR CHIAKI NISHIYAMA

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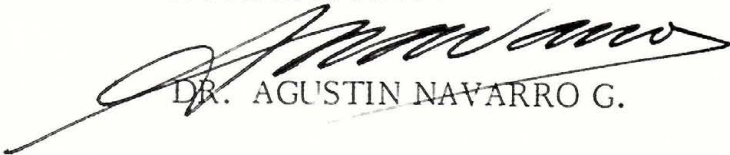
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AGUSTIN NAVARRO G.

Estimada Srita. Montes:

En relación a su atenta comunicación de fecha Septiembre 23 de 1981 (Anexo 1), acompañamos copia fotostática (Anexo 2), de la "Forma de Registro" del Sr. José Barroso, que ampara los \$ 300.00 Dlls. recibidos por ustedes en Septiembre 4 de 1981, misma que por un error involuntario no fué incluida con el Cheque No. 4251 de Bancomer.

Atentamente.



DR. AGUSTIN NAVARRO G.

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29.SEP.1981

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CFSX CO JPTF 097

TOKYO 97/96 29 1454

DR. PEDRO IBANEZ ESCUELA DE NEGOCIOS CASILLA

846

VINADEL MAR

DEAR PEDRO THIS IS TO SUPPORT OF THE REQUEST OF ARTHUR SELDON TO YOU.

SINCE HE IS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD AND ALSO I UNDERSTAND THAT HE IS LISTED IN ONE OF YOUR SESSIONS, PLEASE ACCEPT HIS DELAYED REQUEST.

PROF. MOTOO KAJI

INFORMED ME YESTERDAY EVENING THAT HE BECAME UNABLE TO ATTEND YOUR MEETING BECAUSE OF HIS UNEXPECTED BUT VERY IMPORTANT UNIVERSITY DUTY.

I HAVE REQUESTED HIM TO FIND A REPLACEMENT FOR HIM. AS SOON AS ANYONE

IS FOUND, I SHALL LET YOU KNOW. BEST REGARDS

CHIAKI NISHIYAMA

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DR. PEDRO IBANEZ
ESCALA DE NEGOCIOS
CASILLA 846
VINA DEL MAR

SATELERANA RECIBIDO
22.SEP.1981
TRANSRADIO CHILENA
VALPARAISO

DEAR PEDRO COLON THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR THOUGHTFUL LETTERS OF
AUGUST 7 AND 18 STOP I AM HAPPY TO ACCEPT YOUR KIND INVITATION CONMA
SHALL ATTEND THE MEETING AND DELIVER A PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS ENTITLED
GRASS-ROOT LIBERALISM
STOP I AM HAPPY TO INFORM YOU THAT THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS DECIDED TO
SUBSIDIZE YOUR MEETING IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THIRTY THOUSAND U.S.
DOLLARS WHICH IS TO BE RAISED IN JAPAN STOP AS TO THE SPECIFIC WAY OF
RECEIVING THIS SUBSIDY CONMA YOU MUST CONSULT WITH OUR TREASURER
CONMA EDWIN FEULNER STOP WITH REGARD TO THE LETTER OF MR. CARLOS F.
CACEDES OF JULY 22 CONMA I AM READY TO LET THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
DISCUSS IT AT ANY TIME CONMA IN SO FAR AS YOU YOURSELF WISH ME TO DO
THIS STOP IF OTHERWISE CONMA I SHALL
SIMPLY LET IT GO STOP I AM NOW RETURNING TO JAPAN STOP MY NEW ADDRESS
IS 5-15-10 CONMA KAHINGA CONMA SETAGAYA-KU CONMA TOKYO CONMA JAPAN
154 LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU IN VINA DEL MAR CONMA MOST
CORDIALLY YOURS
CHIAKI

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Nº 34493

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TOKYO 28 15 1613

DR PEDRO IBANEZ
ESCUELA DE NEGOCIOS
CASILLA 846
VINADELMAR

PLEASE INSTRUCT ME THE SIZE OF VIDEO TAPE OF YOUR MACHINE FOR
PROFFESOR HAYEK'S PROGRAM BEST REGARDS
CHIAKI NISHIYAMA

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DR. PEDRO IBANEZ ESCUELA DE NEGOCIOS CASILLA 846
VINADELMAR

DEAR PEDRO: THANK YOU FOR YOUR CABLE. AS TO YOUR REQUEST I'M SORRY TO
HAVE TO REMIND YOU THAT BEFORE I WAS ELECTED TO THE PRESIDENT THE
BOARD HAD ALREADY MADE A VERY EXPLICIT AND STRINGENT RESOLUTION AT
STANFORD THAT ABSOLUTELY NO
GOVERNMENTAL OFFICIAL NOR ANY GOVERNMENTAL FUND WAS ALLOWED TO BE
INVOLVED IN THE MEETING. IF YOU STILL WISH DISCUSS THIS MATTER WITH
ME, PLEASE TELEPHONE ME 03-424-8811 JAPAN. I CANNOT FIND ANY
REPLACEMENT FOR PROF KAJI. PROF HAYEK BECAME ILL AND UNABLE TO
PRODUCE VIDEO TAPE. WE MAY PERHAPS STILL
BEABLE TO PRODUCE CASSETTE TAPE OF HIS VOICE. INCIDENTALLY IT IS NOT
OUR GROUP AT ALL WHO INVITED PROF HAYEK TO JAPAN BEST REGARDS
CHIAKI NISHIYAMA

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TRANSRADIO CHILENA

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SENATOR PEDRO IBANEZ ESCUELA DE NEGOCIOS
CASILLA 846 VINADEL MAR

DEAR PEDRO: AFTER MY LAST CABLE I MADE SEVERAL INTERNATIONAL
TELEPHONE CALLS. NOW I'M HAPPY TO TELL YOU THAT IF YOU WISH TO HAVE A
GOVERNMENTAL OFFICIAL MAKE WELCOMING GREETINGS TO FOREIGN
PARTICIANTS

AT BANQUET IN EITHER THE FIRST EVEN NO O
THE LAST EVENING, YOU MAY TO SO AND I AS THE PRESIDENT WILL TAKE ALL
THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THIS DECISION. I'M ARRIVING AT SANTIAGO ON
NOVEMBER 14 SATURDAY BY PAN AMERICAN 459 AT 8:55AM THEREFORE PLEASE
RESERVE HOTEL FOR ME FROM THAT DAY ON BEST REGARDS

CHIYAKI NISHIYAMA

Will invite them to banquet

perhaps a closing address

Could they attend some sessions in an unofficial status, just in the audience. All of the best seen attending professors and doctors

PARA SUS TELEGRAMAS INTERNACIONALES PREFIERA LA VIA TRANSRADIO

FORM 2 - Sta. Lucía

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CFSX CO JPTF 035

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SENATOR PEDRO IBANEZ ESCUELA DE NEGOCIOS

CASILLA 846

VINADELMAR

DEAR PEDRO: MY SCHEDULE HAS BEEN CHANGED AND ARRIVING AT SAN TIAGO
ON

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 14 BY BRANIFF FLIGHT NO.979 AT 13:55 BEST REGARDS
CHIAKI NISHIYAMA

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PARA SUS TELEGRAMAS INTERNACIONALES PREFIERA LA VIA TRANSRADIO

TRABAJEMOS POR UN CHILE PROSPERO Y FUERTE



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SRAS PEDRO IBAÑEZ Y CECILIA CACERES
ESCUELA DE BENEFICIOS COSTILLA 846 VINA DEL MAR

LOYENTE NO PODER ASISTIR A LA REUNION DE LA
SOCIEDAD MONTE PELICAN PRESENTE ANO S610005
JUAN NAVELION

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The Mont Pelerin Society

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5-15-18 KAMIUMA, SETAGAYA-KU, TOKYO, JAPAN 154

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May 11, 1982

The Honorable Pedro Ibanez Ojeda
Providencia 545
6o Piso
Santiago
Chile

Dear Don Pedro:

Thank you for your letter of 16 April. I did not realize that your fine report of 11 January was the request for subsidy.

I am happy to let the Mont Pelerin Society cover the sum of U.S.\$ 8,155.00. At this moment, however, the treasurer's office of the Society is very tight because of the advance we had to give to the German Preparation Committee for the 1982 General Meeting in Berlin. Therefore, I would be most obliged if you could wait the disbursement sometime until August or, more preferably, until the General Meeting in September.

Your kind cooperation on this matter will be appreciated greatly by all the people concerned the Society.

Most cordially yours,



Chiaki Nishiyama

CN:mm

THE 1988 GENERAL MEETING OF
THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY IN JAPAN

July 20, 1987

Dear Fellow Members:

We are happy to inform you that our preparations for the 1988 General Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society in Japan are now in progress.

In order to accomplish those preparations, we would very much like to know about how many people might attend the meeting.

Therefore, we would like to request your favor to do for us the following three things:

- (1) Please complete a tentative reservation form for the Meeting and send it back to my office as the form requests to do so.
- (2) Please fill in tentative forms for proposing the probable guests and send them back also to my office.
- (3) Please complete tentative reservation forms for hotels. The Teikoku Hotel (or Imperial Hotel) in Tokyo is our Reservation Headquarter Hotel.
Please mail back these registration forms for hotels to

NIPPON EXPRESS CO., LTD.
(Tokyo Air Service Branch,
Foreign Tourist Dept.),

as stated in the reservation forms. This NIPPON EXPRESS CO., LTD.
is our official travel agent.

Your kind cooperation will greatly be appreciated.

Cordially yours,



Chiaki Nishiyama
Chairman
Steering Committee
Honorary Vice President
Mont Pelerin Society

THE 1988 GENERAL MEETING OF
THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY IN JAPAN

Tentative Registration Form

Please return this form to:

NISHIYAMA KENKYUSHITSU
5-15-18 Kamiuma, Setagaya-ku
Tokyo 154 JAPAN

- * When you fill in the form, please type or write in block letters.
- * Deadline Date: September 15, 1987

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Member

Name: _____ Title: _____
Country: _____
Address: _____

Accompanying Person

Name: _____ (Title: _____)
Address: _____

* * *

The rates of registration fees will be as follows:

Member	\$ 300 U.S.
Spouse of Member	\$ 375 U.S.
Guest	\$ 700 U.S.
Spouse of Guest	\$ 700 U.S.

No need to pay the fees at this tentative registration time.

The registration fee includes:

- | | |
|---|------------------------|
| Packet of conference materials and miscellaneous items, | |
| Transportation to and from all scheduled events, | |
| Opening Reception and Banquet (Monday), | Copies of all papers |
| Luncheons (Mon., Wed., Thurs., Fri.), | Coffee and tea breaks |
| Tickets for Tokyo to Kyoto (Tuesday), | Garden Party (Tuesday) |
| Final Reception and Banquet (Friday) | |

PROPOSED GUEST APPLICATION FORM

I, _____ would like the following individual to be considered for a guest invitation to the Japan General Meeting of The Mont Pelerin Society. (Each guest name proposed must be approved by the Executive Committee of The Mont Pelerin Society. Upon approval, a Registration Form will be forwarded to each guest.)

Name; _____

Title: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

(Please print)

Signature: _____ Date: _____

To ensure that it is forwarded to the Executive Committee,

please return to: Prof. Chiaki Nishiyama
5-15-18 Kamiuma, Setagaya-ku
Tokyo 154 JAPAN

* You would be free to produce copies of this form, should you wish to invite more than one guest.

THE 1988 GENERAL MEETING OF
THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY IN JAPAN

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

	MORNING	AFTERNOON	EVENING
SUNDAY, SEPT. 4	Registration until 10p.m. because of the arrival times of all the flights in Tokyo		
MONDAY, SEPT. 5	Meeting in Tokyo		6:00 Presidential Address 7:00 Welcome Dinner Banquet
TUESDAY, SEPT. 6	Move from Tokyo to Kyoto in the Morning by Shinkansen		5:00 Garden Party
WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 7	Meeting in Kyoto		Open or Voluntary Session
THURSDAY, SEPT. 8	Meeting in Kyoto		Open or Voluntary Session
FRIDAY, SEPT. 9	Meeting	MPS Meeting	6:00 Farewell Banquet
SATURDAY, SEPT. 10	Departure or Sight-seeing Tours Privately Arranged with Nippon Express Co., LTD.		

NIPPON EXPRESS CO., LTD.,

The Official Travel Agent for

THE 1988 GENERAL MEETING OF THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY IN JAPAN

HOTEL PRICE LIST

(ROOM RATE IN JAPANESE YEN/PER ROOM/PER NIGHT)

TOKYO

Name of Hotel	Twin Room	Single Room
*Imperial Hotel	JYE24,700-yen	JYE23,750-yen
Shimbashi Daiichi Hotel	JYE15,700-yen	JYE13,550-yen
Ginza Tokyu Hotel	JYE14,500-yen	JYE13,550-yen
Shiba Park Hotel	JYE12,100-yen	JYE10,400-yen

*Imperial Hotel : Registration headquarter hotel

KYOTO

Name of Hotel	Twin Room	Single Room
Takaragaike Prince Hotel	JYE19,300-yen	JYE18,950-yen
Kyoto Hotel	JYE11,500-yen	JYE10,430-yen
Karasuma Kyoto Hotel	JYE9,820-yen	JYE8,150-yen
**Pension house	JYE5,000-yen and up	JYE3,500-yen and up

**Very inexpensive pension house (Please prepare for the poor quality.)

**Subject to availability

- Note : 1) All above prices include tax and service charge.
2) All prices are per room per night in Japanese "Yen".

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TENTATIVE HOTEL RESERVATION FORM

Please type or write in block letters.

Please complete and return this form by Sept. 15, 1987 to the following address;

Nippon Express Co., Ltd.
Tokyo Air Service Branch
Foreign Tourist Department
5-2 Shimbashi, 1-chome,
Minato-ku, Tokyo 105 Japan

Phone : (03)574-6391
Fax : (03)573-1640
Telex : 02522377 NEXFTD J

NAME : (Family) Prof./Dr./Mr./Mrs. _____
(Given) _____

NAME OF ACCOMPANYING PERSON(S), if any : _____

YOUR MAILING ADDRESS: _____

HOTEL RESERVATION

As to the grades of the hotels in the below, please examine the attached price informations. And please write in a star-sign in the blank blacket for the hotel you select.

TOKYO

HOTEL : () IMPERIAL(Registration Headquarter Hotel), () GINZA TOKYU
() SHIMBASHI DAIICHI, () SHIBA PARK

DATE OF BOOKING : CHECK-IN _____ CHECK-OUT _____
TOTAL _____ NIGHT(S)

TYPE OF ROOM : TWIN ROOM _____ ROOM(S), SINGLE ROOM _____ ROOM(S)
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KYOTO

HOTEL:() TAKARAGAIKE PRINCE, () KYOTO HOTEL, () KARASUMA KYOTO HOTEL,
() VERY INEXPENSIVE PENSION HOUSE (Please prepare for the poor quality.)

DATE OF BOOKING : CHECK-IN _____ CHECK-OUT _____
TOTAL _____ NIGHT(S)

TYPE OF ROOM : TWIN ROOM _____ ROOM(S), SINGLE ROOM _____ (RROOM(S)

Note : This tentative form for your hotel reservation should be returned to the above address by Sep. 15, 1987. The final hotel reservation form will be forwarded to you in January 1988 with information about payment and dead line of final application.

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THE FORM FOR THE GUESTS
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DATE OF BOOKING : CHECK-IN _____ CHECK-OUT _____

TOTAL _____ NIGHT(S)

TYPE OF ROOM : TWIN ROOM _____ ROOM(S), SINGLE ROOM _____ (RROOM(S)

Note : This tentative form for your hotel reservation should be returned to the above address by Sept. 15, 1987. The final hotel reservation form will be forwarded to you in January 1988 with information about payment and dead line of final application.

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March 31, 1988

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We are happy to inform you that we are now ready to accept your OFFICIAL REGISTRATION FORM for the 1988 GENERAL MEETING OF THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY IN JAPAN.

Therefore, we would like to request your favor to do the following three things:

- (1) Please complete your OFFICIAL REGISTRATION FORM and send it back to us together with your check (or its equivalent) for the REGISTRATION FEE.

Even those, who have submitted to us the "Tentative Registration Form" before, must once again do the above.

- (2) If you wish to invite someone as a guest, please fill in the form and send it back to us. Those who have already done this before do not have to repeat the same procedure.

All the guests are subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

Please send the Forms for (1) and (2) in the above to:

Nishiyama Kenkyushitsu
5-15-18 Kamiuma
Setagaya-ku, Tokyo
JAPAN 154

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- (3) As to your reservations of hotels, please respond to the request of Our Travel Agent, Nippon Express Co., the documents of which are enclosed herewith.

You must send your request for the reservations for hotels, sight-seeing trips, etc. to:

Nippon Express Co, Ltd., the address and other informations of which are stated in their letter enclosed herewith.

We repeat that our office does not handle directly anything which concerns hotels, travels, or some such.

Looking forward to seeing you this September in Tokyo and Kyoto, I remain

Most cordially yours,


C. Nishiyama, Chairman of the Steering Committee

THE 1988 GENERAL MEETING OF THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

THE PROGRAM AND TIME SCHEDULE

General Theme : Toward An Open World Order

September 5, Monday

September 7, Wednesday

A M Presidential address: Prof. Dr. Herbert Girsh Keynote Lectures by Two Nobel Laureates (1) Prof. Dr. Milton Friedman (Tentative Theme) "What is an Open World Order?", or "How must an Open World Order be?", or some such. (2) Prof. Dr. James Buchanan (Tentative Theme) "The Public Choice Theory and an Open World Order," or some such. Note: The Two Nobel Laureates are to discuss the General Theme from their own points of views respectively.	A M THEME: THE INDIVIDUALITY OF NATION IN AN OPEN WORLD ORDER (Notes: The problems, which are to be discussed, are (1) Whether the individualities of nations are to be negated in an open world order, (2) Whether national sovereignties of nations are to be abolished in an open world order, (3) What significance nations are still to retain in an open world order, (4) and some such.) SPEAKERS: Prof. Dr. Douglas North (United States), Prof. Dr. Christian Watrin (West Germany), Prof. Dr. Chiaki Nishiyama (Japan). COMMENTATORS: Prof. Dr. Christian von Weizacker (Switzerland), Prof. Dr. Steffen Linder (Sweden), Prof. Dr. Mitsuru Konami (Japan)
P M Theme: ON THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY ORDER (Note: The problems, which are to be discussed, are (1) a broad ranging problem of the interaction between flexible exchange rates and domestic, fiscal, and trade policies, (2) a problem of the effect of international institutions such as IMF, the World Bank, etc, and (3) some other related problems.) SPEAKERS: Dr. Yoshio Suzuki (Japan), Prof. Dr. Pascal Salin (France), Prof. Dr. Robert Barro (United States). COMMENTATORS: Dr. Michael R. Darby (United States), Dr. Ann Krueger (United States), Dr. Shirley Kuo (Taiwan)	P M THEME: LAW AND ECONOMICS (Notes: The topics to be discussed are (1) The theory, regulation and governance of the large corporation, (2) Economics and the reality of the system of law which protects various arrangements for a closed economy, (3) The problem of protection against the "theft of intellectual property, (4) The problem of differences among nations in the scope given to private control of resources.) SPEAKERS: Dr. Canto Veljenovsky (United Kingdom), Dr. Henry Butler (United States), Prof. William Lande (United States). COMMENTATORS: Prof. Dr. Henry G. Manne (United States), Prof. Dr. Ronald H. Coase (United States), Prof. Dr. Yoshio Hirai (Japan), Prof. Dr. Oliver Williamson (United States).

September 8, Thursday

September 9, Friday

A M THEME: DEFICIT FINANCING AND AN OPEN WORLD ORDER (Notes: This session will explore (1) The ramifications for an open world order of governmental debts, both internal and external, (2) How to reduce these debts without causing recessions, (3) Whether governmental (international) financings can be replaced by private ones, (4) If another Great Inflation can be avoided, (5) some other related problems.) SPEAKERS: Prof. Dr. Rudiger W. Dornbusch (United States), Prof. Dr. Antonio Martino (Italy), Dr. Yusuke Kashivagi (Japan) COMMENTATORS: Prof. Dr. Gilbert Tixier (France), Prof. Dr. Martin Bronfenbrenner (United States), Dr. Isamu Miyazaki (Japan)	A M THEME: HUMAN CAPITAL FORMATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF AN OPEN WORLD SOCIETY (Notes: The topics are (1) Problem posed for an open society by the ownership, or lack of ownership, of trade marks, technical knowledge, and intellectual ownership, (2) How stepped-up efforts for the formation of human capital are to be made in a free society, as the need for such efforts are only increasing under technological innovation, information revolution, etc., (3) How the laws and customs of various societies resolve issues associated with the income, life styles, and opportunities of the elderly, (4) and some such.) SPEAKERS: Prof. Dr. Sherwin Rosen (United States), Prof. Dr. Finis Welch (United States), Prof. Dr. Motoo Kaji (Japan). COMMENTATORS: Prof. Dr. Gary S. Becker (United States), Dr. Rita Ricardo-Campbell (United States), Dr. John Raisien (United States).
P M THEME: FREEDOM AND PROSPERITY IN THE EAST AND THE WEST (Notes: The topics are (1) The examinations of the role of governments in promoting or obstructing freedom and prosperity in various regions of the world and especially in the East and the West, (2) The reasons for the strong performance of a small group of Asian Nations, (3) A consideration of questions raised by bribery as unofficial barrier to trade, about the use of embargoes for purposes of moral suasion, etc.) SPEAKERS: Dr. Alvin Rabushka (United States), Dr. Isamu Miyazaki (Japan), Dr. Arthur Seldon (United Kingdom). COMMENTATORS: Prof. Dr. Armen Archian (United States), Prof. Dr. Peter Bernholz (United States), Dr. Alberto Benegas Lynch (Argentina).	P M THEME: ON THE HISTORY OF THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY SPEAKER: Prof. Dr. R. M. Hartwell MPS MEETING

TIME SCHEDULE

	MORNING	AFTERNOON	EVENING
SUNDAY, SEPT. 4	Registration until 10p.m. because of the arrival times of all the flights in Tokyo		
MONDAY, SEPT. 5	Meeting in Tokyo	6:00	Welcome Dinner Banquet
TUESDAY, SEPT. 6	Move from Tokyo to Kyoto in the Morning by Shinkansen		5:00 Garden Party
WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 7	Meeting in Kyoto		Open or Voluntary Session
THURSDAY, SEPT. 8	Meeting in Kyoto		Open or Voluntary Session
FRIDAY, SEPT. 9	Meeting	MPS Meeting	6:00 Farewell Banquet
SATURDAY, SEPT. 10	Departure or Sight-seeing Tours Privately Arranged with Nippon Express Co., LTD.		

ATTENTION!!

Some of the Speakers and the Commentators are still tentative.

PROPOSED GUEST APPLICATION FORM

I, _____ would like the following individual to be considered for a guest invitation to the Japan General Meeting of The Mont Pelerin Society. (Each guest name proposed must be approved by the Executive Committee of The Mont Pelerin Society. Upon approval, a Registration Form will be forwarded to each guest.)

Name; _____

Title: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

(Please print)

Signature: _____ Date: _____

To ensure that it is forwarded to the Exective Committee,

please return to: Prof. Chiaki Nishiyama
5-15-18 Kamiuma, Setagaya-ku
Tokyo 154 JAPAN

* You would be free to produce copies of this form, should you wish to invite more than one guest.

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March 31, 1988

Dear Fellow Members & Guests

- (1) This is to correct the errors involved in the list of the Directors, which was printed in my previous letter. The list printed on the left-hand side of this letter is the correct one.
- (2) I am enclosing herewith a copy of the program; for the previous version contained also some typographical errors and missed some of the latest informations.

Most cordially yours,



Chiaki Nishiyama
The Chairman of the
Steering Committee

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The Mont Pelerin Society
Edwin J. Feulner, Jr., Treasurer
P.O. Box 7031
Alexandria, Virginia 22307 U.S.A.

March 30, 1988

TO: Mr. Ibanez

FROM: Ed Feulner, Treasurer

Annual dues of \$75 are due and payable for the fiscal year April 1, 1988 to March 31, 1989. According to the records, your account shows a balance due in the following amount.

*In arrears by \$ _____. *If there is some error, please notify me.

TOTAL DUE \$ 75.

CHECKS SHOULD BE IN DOLLARS, PAYABLE TO: "THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY"

In order to credit your account directly, all funds should be sent to me at the address above.

An addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience. ALL CHECKS MUST BE SENT TO THE TREASURER. PLEASE BE SURE TO INCLUDE THE LOWER PORTION OF THIS STATEMENT PROPERLY FILLED IN WITH YOUR CHECK, EVEN IF IT IS SENT DIRECTLY BY YOUR BANK.

Additional contributions are always welcome, particularly to assist young academicians to participate in the Society's activities. All payments and contributions are considered to be deductible from U.S. federal and state income taxes.

PLEASE FILL IN, DETACH AND RETURN THE FORM BELOW

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Edwin J. Feulner, Jr., Treasurer
P. O. Box 7031
Alexandria, Virginia 22307
U. S. A.

Chy. 147 Royal Bank.
enr. 265-88
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Name and address as shown on our records:

Mr. Pedro Ibanez
Providencia 545
Santiago
CHILE

Annual dues	\$ <u>75</u>
Past dues	_____
Tax-deductible contribution	_____
Total enclosed	_____

IF YOU HAVE A NEW ADDRESS, PLEASE PRINT BELOW:

LETRA "O"

CORRESPONDENCIA ENVIADA

Santiago, May 7, 1981

Moto Kaji

Dr. Yukihide Okano
Department of Economics
Rikkyo University
Ikebukuro, Tokyo
Japan.-

Dear Dr. Okano,

I have pleasure in informing you that the Regional Meeting of the Mont Pelerin Society is to take place in Viña del Mar from 15th to 19th November 1981.

It is my pleasant task to invite you to attend this Conference and to ask you to present a paper on the subject "Should State Enterprises Exist"? Papers on this same subject are to be prepared by Alberto Benegas Lynch, Jr. and possibly by Alan Walters. We should be very glad to have you with us and to hear your enlightened views on the proposed topic.

In conformity with established custom your travelling expenses and the cost of your stay in Viña del Mar will be defrayed by the Regional Organizing Committee of the Conference.

Looking forward to your reply,

Yours sincerely,

REGIONAL COMMITTEE

PEDRO IRANÉZ
President

Introduction to
market economies:
an historical
view.

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on this subject there
will be 3 other papers
1. = Wolfgang Frickhöffer - Introduction to
2. a list paper on the subject
3. = a list paper on the subject

Introduction to
the Social & Economic
by Ludwig Erhard
in 1949

There is a
great interest
in the Japanese
information at hand
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These letters are
at hand
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Santiago, 20 de octubre de 1981

Señor
Juan Ignacio Oto
Forestal S.A.
Ahumada 11 - Of. 602
Presente.-

Estimado señor Oto:

Tenemos el agrado de informarle que entre los días 15 al 19 de noviembre se reunirá en Viña del Mar The Mont Pelerin Society.

Esta Sociedad, fundada en 1947 por el actual Premio Nóbel Friedrich von Hayek, ha congegado a distinguidas personalidades y a académicos en disciplinas políticas, económicas, filosóficas, históricas, etc. Entre ellos al Ministro de Economía y Canciller de Alemania Ludwig Erhard, al presidente de Italia Luigi Einaudi, a Wilhelm Röpke, Ludwig von Misses, Milton Friedman, etc.

La Sociedad ha sido centro de exposición y debate de las ideas elaboradas por sus miembros (menos de 200 en sus primeros años, y hoy día aproximadamente 400), pero ella no adopta acuerdos ni publica sus trabajos, a menos que lo hagan sus miembros como difusión de los pensamientos y doctrinas de cada cual.

Las reuniones de la Sociedad no tienen pues la finalidad de promover cursos de acción ni hacer propaganda a determinadas doctrinas. Pero, atendida la vasta

influencia de sus miembros y las líneas de pensamiento que comparten, se ha decantado con los años una concepción económica que encuentra creciente acogida en vastos sectores del mundo.

Con motivo de la reunión de noviembre próximo, cuyo programa adjuntamos, hemos recibido autorización para cursar un número limitado de invitaciones a personas interesadas en los debates de la Sociedad. Y en esta virtud, nos dirigimos a Ud. para invitarlo a participar en la reunión de Viña del Mar conforme al programa y demás antecedentes que acompañamos a esta carta.

Atendida la limitación ya mencionada, mucho le apreciaremos quiera Ud. hacernos saber, a la brevedad posible, su decisión o su imposibilidad de asistir.

Saludan muy atentamente a Ud.

THE MONT PELERIN SOCIETY

Carlos Francisco Cáceres

Pedro Ibáñez O.

R.S.V.P. fono: 497639
(desde 12 hrs.)