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May 18, 1986.

Att: Joan Broughton,
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Dear Joan:

On May 3, 1986, we at the London U.N.A. had the good fortune to hear Mr. Maxime Fâille and Mr. Seth Klein of S.A.G.E. (Students Against Global Extermination) give a presentation and discussion of the National Film Board's production of "If You Love this Planet." In a provocative and coherent manner, the S.A.G.E. representatives led what was, in the opinion of the participants (according to the evaluations submitted by the participants) the best presentations of the 1986 U.N.A. Youth Conference.

Using the film as an effective means of stimulating interest and debate, Maxime and Seth engrossed the participants in a two hour question and answer session. Not only were their answers thought-provoking and well-grounded, but because of similar interests and age with the audience, they had an affinity which promoted an easy rapport. The participants were so overwhelmed by these speakers, that almost half remained to continue the discussion until 4:00 a.m., long after the official debate had ended. Seth and Maxime clearly illustrated their commitment by actively and enthusiastically volunteering to explore the issues in greater depth. Also noteworthy, they generated a substantial amount of interest in the participants to start their own peace groups.

We highly recommend these young people and the group with which they are associated in any similar endeavour. Both of these young men have learned to analytically, creatively and sincerely express and convey an enormous amount of material in a meaningful and thoughtful manner. Please accept this letter of recommendation, and feel free to contact us for any further clarification. Until then, I remain

Sincerely yours,

Cheryl Balsillie

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President of the U.N.A. London Branch.