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Rome, June 26th, 1989

Dear Tambo,

as already communicated from October 23rd to 28th, 1989, UIL will held its 10th National Congress in Venice.

It wi 11 take place in a particular political time, characterized by important international events. First of all the speeding up of the European Common Market establishment (with the progressive realization of the Single Act for 1992), to which the European Parliament's recent elections gave a particular impulse.

Together with this international process, the debate on the social dimension of the Common Market has developed. The social aspect seems to be complicated and difficult with problems linked to employment, the Charter on Social Rights, regional and sectorial unbalances and to the environment.

Furthermore, the present changes in Eastern Europe are creating a completely new climate in favour

of peace and better relations between West and East Europe.

Finally, it is not possible to postpone any longer a solution to the gap between North and South and to the foreign debt of developing countries.

For all these reasons the UIL 10th Congress will

give relevant attention to international issues, also because many qualified foreign delegations will be present.

During the Congress, therefore, debate initiatives will take place on the following issues:

- a) European Common Market and linked social and trade union problems;
- b) changes in East Europe;
- c) international development and foreign debt.

Moreover, considering the growing importance of the Mediterranean and Southern Africa and of the Middle East, the Congress will discuss such subjects.

I therefore invite you again to participate at least to some initiatives of our Congress. Due to a limited hotel receptivity in the Lido of Venice, please let us know as soon as possible the date of arrival and departure of your delegate in order to avoid the need of accomodation in the outskirts of Venice.

The arrival of foreign participants to the Congress is for Sunday October 22nd and departure scheduled for Saturday October 28th.

Later I will send you the detailed programme of the Congress.

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Fraternal greetings,

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Dear Mr. Benvenuto,

We have received, with deep appreciation your letter of June 26, 1939 inviting our President, to participate in the 10th National Congress of UIL to be held in October.

Indeed the issues to be debated at this Congress are of vital importance for development and world peace. The African National Congress will certainly participate in this important Congress.

Unfortunately, due to confined engagements, the President will not be able to attend in person. We shall soon send you the name of a suitable substitute.

Fraternal greetings.

ANTHONY MOHGALO

SECRETARY FOR PRESIDENTIAL AFFAIRS