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Dear Dr. Scherrer,

Re: Proposed New IMIA Special Interest Group

Thank you for your Fax of July 2. I am very honoured with your proposal about the new IMIA Special interest Group devoted to "Health Informatics and Development".

It will be a pleasure and a very value experience to work very close of the EFMI WG 10 and Dr. Marcelo Sosa who has developmented an important activity in this subject.

I appreciate also very much the important support of Dr. Otto Rienhoff who has always been a very good friend of Argentina and D.C. community.

I will be very glad to attend the EFMI Council, the IMIA Board as well as the General Assembly at Copenhagen MIE'96 in order to present the intentions and proposed actions.

Looking forward to seeing you in Copenhagen,

Yours Sincerely,

Nora Oliveri

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Dear Dr. Oliveri,

Proposed New IMIA Special Interest Group

Thanks to Dr. Marcelo Sosa, I take the liberty of writing to you with the intention of asking you to take on the Chairmanship of a new IMIA Special Interest Group devoted to "Health Informatics and Development", to replace the former IMIA WG 9 that was cancelled at the last IMIA AGM in Vancouver.

Recently, I had the opportunity to discuss this whole question with Prof. Otto Rienhoff, President of IMIA, and he enthusiastically agreed with this proposal and thought it ideal if you could handle this new SIG Chairmanship. This takes into account that the European Branch of your SIG will be the new EFMI WG 10, in charge of the same issues, for which Dr. M. Sosa has been proposed as new Chairman and whom I understand you know very well.

I also heard that you will, most probably, be attending the Copenhagen MIE 96 and hence may be able to attend the EFMI Council, the IMIA Board as well as the General Assembly, in order to present your intentions and proposed actions.

I am at your disposal for any further discussion and send you my very best regards and I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

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Dear Prof. Scherrer, thank you very much for your kind fax of reference, with respect to the establishment of EFMI WG 10: Health Informatics and Development and the comming Workshop at MIE '96. Things are progressing quite well, with new, valuable colleagues willing to join and provide their support to the group. The Workshop Web Page is linked now to the MIE'96 Web page, and everything seems to be marching smoothly. I look forward to joinin you in Copenhage for the EFMI Council Meeting; thank you again for the opportunity you offer us. Best regards

Marcelo

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Dear Colleague,

Proposed New EFMI Working Group 10

I was very pleased to talk to you recently regarding your proposal for setting up a new EFMI Working Group devoted to "HEALTH INFORMATICS AND DEVELOPMENT", under the heading of EFMI WG 10. Your initiative is a very sound and enterprising one and I am ready to fully support you as the best suited Chairman. Apart from this, and thanks to your suggestions, I am sending a letter to Dr. Nora Oliveri, President of FIM, Buenos Aires, Argentina, with the request for her to jointly participate in the activities of your new Working Group and to set up at the IMIA level a new SIG (possible SIG II), devoted to the same objectives but taking into account the EFMI WG10 as one of its main components.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you most sincerely for all the efforts you have already invested in the preparation of this Working Group proposal. I wish you all the very best for your forthcoming presentation of the whole project and future plans before the EFMI Council in Copenhagen, Denmark on Sunday, August 18, 1996 and where I expect to get the favourable support of all Council Members. I look forward to seeing you again soon in Copenhagen.

With best wishes,

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