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Dear Dr. Durbak,

Thank you for your letter of 11 February 2008 to the Secretary-General, in which you invite him to provide a message to the 17th International Conference on Health and Environment: Global Partners for Global Solutions, to be held at UN Headquarters from 23 to 24 April.

I regret to inform you that while the Secretary-General appreciates your support, he will be unable to meet your request. Please allow me to thank you for your interest in the United Nations.

Yours sincerely,

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Your Excellency,

The Board of Directors of World Information Transfer would be very honored if Your Excellency could send a greeting to our 17th International Conference on Health and Environment: Global Partners for Global Solutions on April 23rd and 24th. This Conference has been held at the UN Headquarters in New York for the past 17 years. This year our Conference, co-sponsored by the Government of Ukraine, will focus on two major issues prevailing on the world agenda: "Youth Communication" and "Post Traumatic Stress Disorder."

Your Excellency's support for these very important issues dealing with human health and environment would lend a great impact to the need to address these subjects on the international level and propose action to safeguard future generations.

Please accept, Your Excellency, the assurance of our highest consideration.

Christine K. Durbak

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