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Dr. Jawad Hashem, President
Arab Monetary Fund
Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates

Dear Jawad:

I greatly enjoyed having a chance to see something of you during our recent visit to Abu Dhabi. You have done a remarkable job in building the Arab Monetary Fund into a significant international agency which is now recognized as playing an important role around the world. We are happy to have been able to provide you with some assistance, both technically and through our mutual friend, Nemir Kirdar. I certainly hope these good relations will continue to grow in the future.

It was very kind of you to have given the dinner for my colleagues and me in your home following our Chase reception. You included in the dinner an exceptionally interesting group of people as a result of which I had a number of very stimulating and useful conversations. I am convinced that only through this frank and open dialogue will we be able to find solutions to the highly sensitive and difficult problems which confront us all in the Middle East.

I must thank you also for the very handsome dagger which you were kind enough to send me. It is quite different from others which I have seen, and I am delighted to have it.

With warm good wishes and renewed thanks,

Sincerely,

Arab Monetary Fund
President's Office

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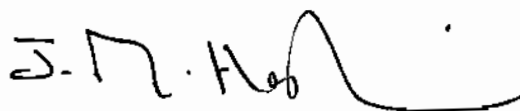
Dear David,

Many thanks for your kind and gracious letter of February 21, 1981, and indeed it was a distinct pleasure for me to be able to welcome you to Abu Dhabi and see you both at the Arab Monetary Fund and at my residence.

Very much like yourself, I am a firm believer that through cooperation, interaction, and dialogue mutual interest can best be achieved and I have been an admirer of your many outstanding accomplishments in building bridges of goodwill and understanding with this part of the world. One definite example of your contribution, which I sincerely appreciate, is the support that you and the Chase have given to the Arab Monetary Fund since its inception. The secondment of Nemir Kirdar, this past year has been most invaluable. We have benefitted a great deal from his ideas on International Monetary Affairs, and in particular I would like to mention his unfailing efforts in promoting the development of Arab Financial Markets, which as you are aware is one of the basic objectives of the AMF.

Looking forward to seeing you in Abu Dhabi again, over the many years to come. I remain with every good wish and personal regards,

Sincerely,



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