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MINISTER FOR COOPERATION,  
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
NEW DELHI.

Dated, 10th May, 1957.

My dear Shrimati Devika Rani,

It was very nice of you to have sent me a copy of the Film Seminar Report of 1955. I am sure it will make interesting readings.

Mr. Roerich saw me this afternoon and I hope to give him whatever information I can by tomorrow.

We shall be very happy to take advantage of your invitation to visit you along with my wife some time in the future. I hope it will not be very long before we do this, but looking at the work I have to get through, I am not very optimistic of having this pleasure in the very near future. Nonetheless we thank you most heartily.

With kindest regards from both of us,

Yours sincerely,

sd/- P. S. Deshmukh.

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MINISTER OF COOPERATION,  
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

New Delhi. August 28, 1957

My dear Mrs. Roerich,

I thank you for your letter dated the 22nd August, 1957. On enquiry I learn that Mr. Roerich was requested by my Ministry on the 20th May, 1957 to send his Scheme on the Extension of Linaloe Plantations urgently. A copy of this letter was also sent to you by my Private Secretary on the 6th June, 1957. Dr. Roerich, it seems, has not yet sent his scheme to my Ministry and so a reminder was sent to you on the 24th August, 1957. This is how the matter stands at this end. I hope this is not unsatisfactory. I will always remember your delicious lunch with tiny chillies in the highly exhilarating surroundings. My wife and I are well. The weather is showing signs of relenting at this end also.

*With kind regards from us both*

Yours sincerely,

*P. S. Deshmukh*

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