Mr. Adolf F. Sturmthal Chairman, Advisory Committee Underdeveloped Areas Conference Society of International Relations 351 E. Ohio Street Chicago 11, Illinois

Dear Mr. Sturmthal:

Thank you very much for your invitation. I shall be very happy to serve as Chairman for the panel on "Political Emplications of Economic Development," at the Conference on Research in Progress on Underdeveloped Areas next April 2h and 25.

I look forward to receiving additional information concerning the final program and persons who will serve as members of this panel.

Sincerely yours,

Wesley R. Fishel Professor

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