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General Igor B. Evstafiev  
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Dear General Evstafiev,

I wish cordially to invite you to send an expert from the Ministry of Defense to participate in the 18th Workshop of the Pugwash CW Study Group "Antichemical Protection, its Potential, and its Relation to the Spread of Chemical Weapons and their Elimination", to be held at El Escorial, Spain 5-7 August, 1991. Of course we would be delighted if you yourself chose to attend. A formal invitation from the Pugwash Secretary-General, Professor Francesco Calogero, and more detailed information regarding the workshop will be sent to you from Geneva, but I am sending this letter ahead so as to get the information to you earlier.

The workshop will begin at 0900 hrs on the morning of Monday 5th August and end at mid-day on Wednesday 7th August. Preceding the workshop there will be an informal reception on the evening of Sunday 4th August.

Thanks to the generosity of the Complutense University of Madrid, hosts of the workshop, we are prepared to cover the economy-class air-fare from Moscow to Spain as well as all costs of accommodation, meals and travel in Spain. Further information regarding arrangements in Spain will be sent to you from Madrid.

The workshop will bring together approximately 25 experts in an informal atmosphere to discuss the history and present state of anti-chemical protection in both its civil and military aspects. We are particularly interested in discussing the implications of antichemical protection for international efforts to prevent the spread of chemical weapons and to achieve their elimination worldwide

Please let me know your FAX or telex number for future communication. My FAX number (617) 495-8308.

Sincerely,

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