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Dear Professor Gao,

I wish cordially to invite you 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. 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 communicating with you now 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.

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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