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29th June, 1965

Michael Holman

Dear Mike,

Enclosed is a carbon of the list of vols. for DDR, and a copy of FDJ's recent letter, which agrees exactly with the Vereinbarung of 22nd April, with a few helpful details. The list of vols. cannot be sent to FDJ yet because of the missing passport numbers, but if you have time to drop in and give them the carbon-copy and say the other one (completed) follows soon, it would be a friendly gesture. However, it is NOT necessary. Please let me have your address in DDR, so that I can write to you if necessary.

PARIS. To check :

1. Reservation of accommodation night of 28th, all 29th, day of 30th, for 17 people at least (vols. plus you and 1 other).
2. Reservation of tickets / places for 10 vols. leaving Paris night of 30th arriving Marienborn 31st about 4.00 p.m. (I hope all 15 will travel together, but 1 or 2 may not be able to).

I NEED this information (confirmation of arrangements proposed to Etienne) for FDJ and an inf. sheet to vols.

3. Ask Arthur Gilette if he is interested (UNESCO tel no. is in French office) speaking at the Seminar, and Daniel Boncher - but please butter up Etienne adequately before doing this, so that he does not feel things are being organised over his head or behind his back. Please say you wanted to discuss all this when he was here but couldn't, etc. Henri Majewski might be helpful too - please give him my 'amitiés' if you call him. You will know other suitable bods.
4. Get the French branch to supply passport numbers à toute vitesse for their vols. Please tell them you are prepared to see to last-minute visa problems on your return.
5. Sort out admin. responsibility for the Seminar - Etienne may take on less than in past years : you will have to play this by ear - I'm no longer sure what he wants, more or less responsibility.

After reading this, please note any points you consider important for action between now and the Seminar for me to deal with. Alles gute in Leipzig, and greetings to Dorothea. Thanks for your help !!!

Amitiés,