AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT UNITED STATES A. I. D. MISSION TO BRAZIL e/o American Embassy - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil OFFICIAL BUSINESS April 29, 1966 Mr. John R. Bartelt American Consul American Consulate Belém, Pará Dear Mr. Bartelt: Attached is a copy of a letter from Dr. Anderson of the Population Council. I am sure either Dr. Pease or Dr. Anderson would do all they could for us but I believe they are now receiving so many requests that it is becoming difficult. In any event, I see no particular difficulty if the representatives of the various companies could get together there and place an order for the loops, I am sure you would have no difficulty receiving them. If I can be of additional assistance please let me know. Sincerely P. Campbell, Chief Health Division USAID/Brazil - HROH EPC/mj CONSULATE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA RELEM. PARA, BRAZIL

THE POPULATION COUNCIL 230 PARK AVENUE CABLE: POPCOUNCIL NEW YORK NEW YORK, N.Y. 10017 MURRAY HILL 9-1057 April 20, 1966 Dear Gene: Your letter of March 31 arrived just as Cliff was leaving the country, so a reply has been left to me. We would like very much to be helpful but I'm afraid that we could not provide loops for companies, missions, etc., which desire to initiate programs for the wives of their workers and others. As you know, practically all the modern types of IUDs are patented, and the basic patent for the loop is now held by Ortho Pharmaceutical Company. In view of our previous support to research on the loop and our previous agreement with Dr. Lippes, we have been granted the right to distribute loops for research projects and for governmental family planning programs. We do not, however, have the right to give loops to other organizations or to private individuals, clinics or hospitals. I'm afraid, therefore, that in such cases IUDs will have to be obtained through commercial sources. In this connection I am enclosing a memorandum giving sources of commercial supplies. I regret very much our inability to be more

helpful. With personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Eugene P. Campbell Chief, Health Division c/o American Embassy Rio de Jameiro, BRAZIL

Enclosure

Madan Ever Richmond K. Anderson, M.D. Director, Technical Assistance

THE POPULATION COUNCIL

230 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, N.Y. 10017 CABLE: POPCOUNCIL, NEW YORK

Date

Re: Your Recent Request for Information and/or Supplies of Intrauterine Devices

In reply to your recent inquiry about sources of supply of intrauterine devices, we suggest that you direct your inquiry to one of the following suppliers who are currently manufacturing these products, as follows:

Birnberg Bows
I.C.D. Corporation
191 Ocean Avenue
Brooklyn, New York 11225

Lippes Loops/Margulies Coils Ortho Fharmaceutical Corporation Raritan, New Jersey

Ayerst Laboratories 685 Third Avenue New York, New York

SAF.T.COIL Julius Schmid, Inc. 423 West 55th Street New York, New York

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AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT UNITED STATES A. I. D. MISSION TO BRAZIL c/o American Embassy - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil OFFICIAL BUSINESS April 4, 1966 Mr. John R. Bartelt American Consul

American Consulate Belém, Pará advice is not, for the present, bothy recoming, Dear Jack: Many thanks for your note of March 24, 1966 with a request for "plastic birth control devices". I have given your note to Dr. Campbell who talked with you about this matter back in November. He has already made some inquiries and will be in touch with you in the near future. Sincerely, William A. Ellis Deputy Director

DEED STATES A. S. D. MERICA TO STATE elo Acedero Soviency - Ric de Sancies, Branit American Consulate, OFFICIAL INFORMAL Belem, Para, Brazil, March 24, 1966. UNCLASSIFIED Dear Bill: Consul 1. The Consulate has had some inquiries regarding the obtaining of "plastic birth control devices". Could you assist in this regard? 2. Certain companies, missions, etc., desire to imitate programs for the wives of their workers and others, and request assistance in obtaining the gadgets. Doctors trained for the insertion procedure are available here, to a limited extent, so techinical or training advice is not, for the present, being requested. An early reply would be appreciated. 3. 4. of With kindest regards, s could get together there and place as order for the loops, I am sure you would have no difficulty receiving If I can be of additional assistance please let me know. Sincerely, John R. Bartelt American Consul William A. Ellis, Esquire, Deputy Director, USAID, American Embassy, Rio de Janeiro. UNCLASSIFIED