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Governor Mauro Borges of state of Goias planning high-level seminar on Alliance For Progress in Goiania August 3 to 5 and would warmly welcome Bowles participation. I myself have long-standing commitment participate (other invitees include ex-President Kubitschek, Celso Furtado, Cardinal Motta of Sao Paulo, ex-Transport Minister Virgilio Tavora, and BNDE President Leocadio Antunes, plus representatives all Brazilian regions and of Congress) and believe Bowles presence would give important added prestige this worthwhile undertaking. Would also provide unusual opportunity Bowles hear at first-hand authoritative cross-section Brazilian views re problems of under-development.

If this idea acceptable to Bowles, would suggest he meet me in Brasilia August 3 and accompany me to Goiania for seminar and subsequently to Salvador in time for opening conference August 5.

While I do not plan to be in Rio August 2, Embassy could provide briefing and arrange courtesy calls to extend time permits.

Advise.

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