INVITATION

Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the International Scientific Center of Fertilizers I am pleased to invite you to our 11th World Fertilizer Congress in Ghent, Belgium. This is the first occasion that our Society will meet in Belgium and we are particularly grateful to Oswald Van Cleemput and Georges Hofman who have kindly offered to host the meeting.

During my private visit in 1994, I became convinced that Ghent, the capital of East Flanders, is one of the most beautiful cities in Europe and is the center for a wide range of educational, cultural and recreational activities. Located in the north of Belgium, in the Flemish speaking part of the country, the city abounds in buildings of historical interest. In addition to a medieval castle, there are several abbeys, numerous churches and many other historical buildings.

The venue for our meeting will be the Aula of the University of Ghent and we are assured of a warm Belgian welcome. I know this will be another memorable meeting for our Society and look forward to meeting with you in Ghent.

Prof. Dr. Chr. Hera President