aszlo & Associates, Inc.

To: Prime Minister Bird

Asot Michael
From: Jennifer Laszlo
RE: Late payment

Date: July 30, 1998

I have many times billed and contacted you for expenses directly related to work done for you — work that was agreed to and accepted in accordance with our contract. The contract specifies that you will cover all atriare, meals, hotel, faxes, phones, etc. incurred while working on these projects. I have submitted receipts and bills for all of these expense, and now Mr. Michael is telling me I overcharged. Let me re-iterate — I did not charge for anything that was not agreed to specifically in our contract. There were no cost over-runs.

In attempts to collect these fees and complete work, I suffered repeated unwanted sexual advances, harassment and threats from your then senior advisor, Mr. Hartley Henry. He several times indicated to me that if I did not have a sexual relationship with him, that I would not get paid and that he would claim that I had overcharged. I had and will never have a sexual relationship with Hartley Henry. Now it is being claimed that I overcharged, and I have not been paid. This leaves me suffering from unpaid bills, a liabled reputation, and the pain of ongoing inappropriate sexual harassment by your then senior advisor. It also leaves the appearance that the threats of sexual harassment were more than threats.

Mr. Michael has informed me that one of your key supporters thinks I should sue. I do not wish to do so, but keep in mind that this is a significant amount of money for work that was done at the exact price quoted in a contract which also includes a provision that holds you legally liable for any legal fees incurred in collection of those fees. I want to avoid legal action, however, as what would be at stake is an item of significant potential embarrassment to your government — and this is not something that I wish to have happen.

Following is yet another invoice, along with wire transfer information for payment. Thank for your attention to this matter.