



18 December, 2003

Dear Mr. de Portugal,

On behalf of Secretary-General Kofi Annan, I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 18 November 2003 and enclosed document on Christianity and Islam, which were recently referred to this office for reply.

Thank you for sharing your thoughts, which have been read and duly noted. I must advise you that any proposal to be considered by the members of the United Nations must first be presented by an official representative of a Member State, duly inscribed on the Organization's agenda and voted by the Membership. You may therefore wish to redirect your proposal to your country's representative office before the United Nations: Permanent Mission of Spain to the United Nations, 345 East 46<sup>th</sup> Street, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, New York, NY 10017 U.S.A. I hope this information is helpful to you.

Thank you again for your interest in the United Nations, and for taking the time to write to us.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dawn Johnston Britton", enclosed within a large, loopy oval scribble.

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