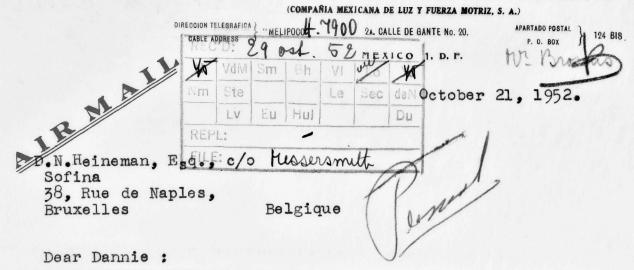
## THE MEXICAN LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY, LIMITED



I have your letter of October 15 stating that you appreciate my keeping you informed on problems of the Company either through letters addressed directly to you or through copies of correspondence to Toronto, the World Bank, etc.

You state that these letters do not always indicate to whom we are sending copies thereof and therefore it is not always possible for you to determine to what extent we are keeping Brussels informed, and that you would appreciate if you were informed, when such documents are sent, whether we send copies to Brussels.

You know that it is our practice to send copies of correspondence concerning the Company's operations which we believe will be aseful to Sofina (in connection with the service contract and the services performed thereunder), to Brussels. As you know it has been our practice, in addition, to keep you and Toronto informed of all developments in connection with the Company and its operations and factors which may affect the Company, in a very full way. We do not always send copies of these letters to Sofina. Your letter raises a delicate question which we have discussed from time to time and which I do not wish to go too fully into in correspondence. We recognize the interest which Sofina has in all that concerns Mexlight because of Sofina's direct or indirect holdings of Mexlight securities, including those through subsidiaries and associated companies. In view of the broader interest in the Company's securities and many problems which have arisen more particularly in recent years, we have to exercise proper precaution and prudence in giving out information concerning the Company which is not generally available to all those interested therein.

You will also appreciate that many of the letters which I addressed to Toronto or to you contains information which in