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Her Excellency,
Maria de Lourdes Pintassilgo,
Prime Minister,
Lisbon,
PORTUGAL.

Dear Madam Pintassilgo,

I can hardly tell you how pleased I was to read in our newspapers about your election to be Prime Minister of your country. I regard it as a great honour to have been associated with you in the work of the Executive Board of Unesco, even though only for a brief period.

I presume that the burden of your high office will preclude you from taking any further active part in the work of the Executive Board, but may I take the liberty of wishing you every success in your new exalted position. I will always remember with great pleasure that one of my colleagues has been chosen to occupy the highest office in her country.

I remain, with all best wishes,

F. Turnovsky.

Yours sincerely,

resp. 11/9/29