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Dear Professor Vicens Vives:

We wish to invite you to become a member of the Advisory Board of HISTORICAL ABSTRACTS. As you know, we do not have a representative on the Board from Spain. There will be a vacancy for a nine-year term, beginning this year, and we should be most honored if you would consider accepting this invitation.

You may well ask what functions this would entail. Members of the Advisory Board ensure that the respective areas which they represent are covered bibliographically within the defined scope of HISTORICAL ABSTRACTS. That is, they advise and assist the central editorial office, when necessary, to get competent scholars and younger men in the field of history to collaborate. We will also appreciate if advisors will, as time permits, examine numbers of HISTORICAL ABSTRACTS critically as they appear, in order that the publication may benefit from their suggestions.

The above-outlined functions are mostly assured through the kind collaboration of the Centro de Estudios Historicos Internacionales with HISTORICAL ABSTRACTS, and the arrangement concerning reprint privileges we have accorded to each other. I want to use this occasion to tell you that I am very happy with the results, and I hope that your institute is equally satisfied.

You are, of course, familiar with HISTORICAL ABSTRACTS, but do not hesitate to ask any questions which you may have. I in form the members of the Advisory Board about significant developments with regard to HISTORICAL ABSTRACTS from time to time, and hope further to have the opportunity to see you personally in May, when I would like to pay you a visit in Barcelona. I will then be returning to Munich.

I look forward to hearing from you at your earliest convenience, and we would be honored to receive an affirmative reply. If it is possible to receive an answer before 10 April, we will still be able to cite your name on the first number of Volume 4 of HISTORICAL ABSTRACTS.

Thank you. Respectfully yours,

Eric H Boehm, Editor