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Rome, 14th April 1972

To all Superiors General  
 To all their delegates for Sedos  
 To all members of the Sedos Group

1. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING (p.271/3)

APPENDIX A: Report of Executive Secretary (p.274/7) - As the statutes demand, the Committee examined the secretary's quarterly report. The present orientation of Sedos towards the collective study i) of the roles of the missionary in the local church - ii) of the new ministries demanded by the expanding cities - iii) of the long-term openings of Mission (Buhlmann/Tonna Project) were confirmed. The various services were also reviewed.

APPENDIX B: List of study groups (p.278) If you have joined one of the study groups on the first topic, you will find your name on the lists attached and so check who your 'travelling companions' are. If you have not... you can still join any group. Please call us and advise! Tel.No. 57.13.50.

2. THE CENTRAL EDUCATION OFFICE - FSC - its facilities and their use (p. 279/80)

We thought all Sedos should know of the sterling services being rendered by the FSC education office. We are sure that, as usual, they will be able to answer many of your questions on the school apostolate.

3. LIST OF PERIODICALS RECEIVED (p.281/5) BOOKS RECEIVED (p. 285/6)

4. NEWS FROM AND FOR THE GENERALATES (p. 287)

5. DOCUMENTS OF SPECIAL INTEREST (p. 288)

6. DEVELOPMENT WORK GROUP REPORT (p. 289/90) The group is making its own original way towards insight into the Lord's plans for the cities of the Third World.

7. DIARY (p. 291)

8. COMING EVENTS

Overseas Miss. in Loc.Church (Eng.Gp.2)	April 17th	- 4.00	- SJ Curia
Miss. Etrangers dans l'Egl.Locale (Gp.Fr.2)	Avril 18	- 16.00	- SJ Curia
Miss. Etrangers dans l'Egl. Locale (Gr.Fr.1)	Avril 26	- 16.00	- SJ Curia

DEVELOPMENT Work Group	April 19th	- 4.00	- SEDOS
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\* FOR YOUR INFORMATION: The Secretariate will be OPEN Tuesday 25th APRIL \*  
 \* and CLOSED Friday 28th April \*  
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 \* Le Secrétariat sera OUVERT mardi 25 avril et FERME vendredi 28 avril \*  
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Yours sincerely,  
 P. Leonzio Bano, fscj

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Executive Committee of SEDOS was held on March 16, 1972 at 4:00 p.m. at the Secretariate. The following were present: Sr. M. Th. Barnett scmm-t, Bro. P.M. Basterrechea fsc (for Bro. C.H. Buttmer), Sr. A. M. de Vreede scmm-m (for Sr. Jane Gates), Fr. W. Goossens cicm, Sr. M. Danita McGonagle ssnd, and Bro. G. Schnepf sm.

In the Chair: Fr. Th. Van Asten pa, President  
Secretary : Fr. B. Tonna, Executive Secretary

1. The Minutes of the last meeting (21 February 1972, SEDOS 72/142ff) were read with the following comment:

a) SEDOS 72/142, Item 3,: The "sending" and "receiving" Churches should receive different treatment.

2. Agenda Item 1: (SEDOS 72/185) - Quarterly Report of the Executive Secretary (SEE APPENDIX "A") : Fr. Tonna highlighted the two main concentrations of effort by the Secretariat:

a) Servicing the (3) studies undertaken by the Sedos Group ("The Role of the Overseas Missionary in the Local Church", "The Urban Mission", and The Survey and Evaluation of the Mission Today).

b) Refining the system of supplying the Generalates the information they really need.

The Executive Committee made the following observations on the report:

- It would be useful to convoke an assembly at the SVD Generalate in order to give members a direct introduction to the system of documentation as it now exists. This would also encourage the Generalates -- especially the Councils -- to use it more frequently. In the meantime, the Secretariat would concentrate on providing information as requested by using the same system.

- The usefulness of the Community Card File was reconsidered, and it was agreed that there was no special need to provide some of the details -- such as the name of the local Superior which changes frequently. However, it was very useful to have at least the addresses and the list of activities of each of our member Institutes' commitments.

- Re 4.iii) (APPENDIX "A"), Sr. Danita and Fr. Tonna communicated to the Executive Committee the following conclusions of the Development Working Group on the project of sponsoring an evening course in coop praxis for ecclesiastical students in Rome:

(1) Sedos could morally sponsor the project on the conditions that

- it does not draw people from the Third World to Rome, but focuses on the Third World people already here.
- these people be trained to reinforce initiatives of this type in the Third World itself.
- a Sedos representative sit on its Board.

It was noted that since Propaganda Fide and a Rome University were practically assured as sponsors -- and after carefully considering the conclusions of the group -- it was agreed that there would be no point in Sedos officially assuming this role.

- It was also agreed that membership of the Working Groups should be restricted to persons representing the Generalates rather than other organizations.

- Re Social Communications Working Group - It was with sincere regret that the Executive Committee noted the resignation of Fr. Périgny as Chairman of this group, and appreciation was expressed for the valuable contributions he has made. The Group will be asked to meet soon in order to elect a new Chairman.

The Executive Secretary's Report was then accepted.

3. Agenda Item 2: The Study on "The Role of the Overseas Missionary in the Local Church"

a) It was agreed that the next step would be the appointment of an Agenda Committee to prepare the Discussion Outline for the Small Group Sessions. Fifty-eight members from 30 Institutes had volunteered to serve in these Groups, which have been divided into (2) English-Speaking and (2) French-Speaking sections. (SEE APPENDIX "B" TO THIS REPORT).

b) As agreed at the Assembly Meeting of February 29, the Executive Committee appointed the following as members of the Agenda Committee, as well as Chairmen of their respective groups:

English-Speaking Group No. 1: Fr. E. Biggane sma, Chairman  
Sr. M. Luke Baldwin ssnd, Alternate

English-Speaking Group No. 2: Fr. Agostoni fscj, Chairman  
Fr. Georg Lautenschlager cmm, Alternate

French-Speaking Group No. 1: Sr. F. Avonts sa, Chairman  
Fr. A. Bundervoet msc, Alternate

French-Speaking Group No. 2: Sr. C. Rembouts icm, Chairman  
Fr. V. Poggi sj, Alternate

c) The Executive Secretary was asked to arrange a meeting of the (4) Chairmen which Fr. Van Asten would also attend.

d) The Discussion Outline will take into consideration the points raised at the "Brainstorming" session (11 February 1972, SEDOS 72/138-140), the "Main Topics and Methodology of the Study"...Proposed by the Executive Committee for discussion at the 34th Assembly of Generals (SEDOS 72/141), and the results of such discussion by the Assembly (SEDOS 72/186 ff).

4. Agenda Item 4: Fr. Moody's request for clearance for coming issues of "Joint Venture":

a) It was agreed to accept Fr. Moody's suggestion that the central theme of the June issue be "Courses on Ongoing Formation in Mission Areas and in Home Countries"; for September, "Interfaith Dialogue", and for December, the "Annual Review".

b) It was also agreed that his suggestion for an issue devoted to "Communication in the Local Church" would be most useful at the conclusion of our on-going Study, "The Role of the Overseas Missionary in the Local Church".

c) The Executive Committee once again expressed appreciation for the creativity and dedication of Fr. Moody in rendering this important service.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

SEDOS 72/273

5. Other Matters:

a) The Executive Committee considered the letter dated 16 February 1972 from Sr. Barbara Hendricks mm and agreed to the proposal.

b) The Financial Statement for February was reviewed and it was decided that:

(1) Adveniat would be kept separate.

(2) Use of the photocopier would be kept to a minimum.

(3) Bro. Schnepf would meet with the Burser of the White Fathers to discuss the matter of interest on investments.

6. The Executive Committee will meet on THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 1972 at 4:00 PM.

B. Tonna  
Executive Secretary

APPENDIX "A"

QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

1. In the first quarter of 1972, the Secretariat was progressively becoming more oriented towards servicing the (3) studies undertaken by the Sedos group in the following priority:

- a) "The Role of the Overseas Missionary in the Local Church".
- b) "The Urban Mission"
- c) The Survey and Evaluation of the Mission Today (Buhlmann/Tonna project)

In connection with the above, the following describes in part what was done:

a) "The Role of the Overseas Missionary in the Local Church"

i) A "brainstorming" session was organized and held February 11. A summary was made of the results. At the request of the Executive Committee, a working paper was compiled for the Assembly's discussion and approval at their February 29th meeting.

ii) Relevant documents have been collected -- and are being collected. Those considered of special importance have been published in the Weekly Bulletin -- i.e., Fr. A. Bundervoet's paper on the theological basis of the study (presented in French and translated into English), and a synthesis of some experts' views on the subject, titled "The Changing Image of Missionaries" (SEDOS 72/203 ff).

iii) The organization of the small Study Groups agreed on by the General Assembly is currently in process.

iv) Ways and means for obtaining "feedback" from the representatives of the local churches are being developed.

b) "The Urban Mission"

i) The Development Working Group has made considerable headway in recording the reactions of a number of General Councils on the points raised by the study -- especially in connection with the Working Paper prepared for the Working Group by the Executive Secretary, titled "Urbanization and Mission -- Mission to the Cities of the Third World".

ii) The Secretariat has made contact with the "People and Cities" Conference of Coventry and with AMECEA (which has an on-going study on the Urban Mission in East Africa).

iii) The Working Group is planning direct contacts with urban mission projects in Rome.

c) The Survey and Evaluation of the Mission Today (Buhlmann/Tonna)

i) A representative panel was organized to offer guidance on the first phase of the project. It met on January 31, 1972.

ii) The Executive Secretary is working on recording the current needs and trends of the Third World as they become known from the reports and studies of the United Nations and other Agencies.

iii) Fr. Buhlmann is collecting material on the theological and pastoral aspects of this study, and is working on the design of the book (which will be one of the products of the study).

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2. The "Information Cooperative" -- for which the groundwork was laid during the latter part of 1971 -- was launched January 1, 1972. The responses to the first request for titles of new documents received at the member Generalates during January was very encouraging. A report analysing and summarizing the information received was published (SEDOS 72/181 and 182). Connected with this effort:

i) The Executive Secretary is reviewing the Sedos list of descriptors. It is probable that this list will be adopted by a number of Generalates to classify their missionary information by subject. The same descriptors could be used to code requests to the Secretariat for information by individual Generalates and by Sedos Groups. It seems that this will be the crucial issue of the months ahead: How to refine the system of supplying Generalates the information they really need.

ii) The "Formation Facilities" project has now been completed for Africa and will be published in the Bulletin at an early date.

iii) The "Community Card File" project is progressing, with approximately 3,000 out of an estimated 10,000 cards completed, identifying specific addresses of the presence of Sedos Members in Africa, Asia, Latin America and Oceania.

3. The regular services of the Secretariate have continued -- secretarial services to the General Assembly and the 3 meetings of the Executive Committee; the Weekly Bulletin; organizing and following up the meetings of the permanent Working Groups; and organizing special meetings (e.g. "Reorganizing Generalate Secretariat Systems") as needs become known, or as requests are received from member Institutes.

#### 4. The Permanent Working Groups

##### a) Development Working Group

i) A new Chairman, Fr. J. Schotte cicm has been elected.

ii) As mentioned above, the Urban Mission project is making good progress.

iii) At the request of the Executive Committee, the Working Group is studying the feasibility of an evening course in coop praxis for ecclesiastical students in Rome.

##### b) Social Communications Working Group

i) Two meetings have been organized with experts Babin and Healey.

ii) Fr. Aguiló's manuscript on "Who's Who in Latin American Communications" has been presented. The Executive Secretary is currently negotiating publication terms.

##### c) Health Group

i) An open meeting was organized on the "Health of Missionaries" on Feb. 22.

ii) Plans are being considered for a seminar in November, 1972 on "Change in Health Care".

iii) Sr. A.M. de Vreede scmm-m represented the group at the CMC in Geneva on January 9, 1972.

d) China Group

i) The group is seeking to bring the Centres already at work for China the thinking and the services of the member Institutes.

ii) The group is promoting the establishment of a coordinating centre (for China projects) run by Chinese.

5. GENERAL

a) Two members resigned -- the CFX and the SDS -- and one Institute, the Holy Missionary Family (MSF) joined Sedos as "observers".

b) The means of obtaining legal status for Sedos are being explored.

c) At the request of the General Assembly in December, "Joint Venture" was reviewed by a special committee and the recommendations reported to them on Feb. 29 (SEDOS 72/135-137)

d) During the first quarter there were 20 visitors to SEDOS (members and non-members) who came to give, share or request information. These included:

- Fr. Schmitt svd - Director of a Pilot Project on land ownership and housing in Manila.
- Fr. Connors svd, Secretary of the National Mission Council of the USA
- Fr. Patrick McPolin cmf, Secretary-Treasurer of the Centre of Development in Faith, California, USA
- Fr. Hanrahan, Superior General of the Mill Hill Fathers, London
- Jos. van Hees of Pro Mundi Vita

e) A survey of the distribution of Sedos Staff time for the first quarter was made, with the following results:

Distribution of time by operations:

Base of percentage: 100% = 1,000 (= average no. of hours per month dedicated by the 5 full-time and 3 part-time staff)

<u>Editing and producing Weekly Bulletin</u>	<u>17%</u>
<u>Servicing Groups</u>	<u>16</u>
<u>Correspondence</u>	<u>9</u>
<u>Documentation: storage and retrieval</u>	<u>8.5</u>
<u>Individual requests</u>	<u>6</u>
<u>Community Card File</u>	<u>7</u>
<u>Scanning documents</u>	<u>5.5</u>
<u>Study</u>	<u>5.5</u>
<u>Reception</u>	<u>4</u>
<u>Staff Meetings</u>	<u>4</u>
<u>Accounts</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>Translations</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>Information Cooperative</u>	<u>1.5</u>
<u>Formation Facilities File</u>	<u>7</u>
<u>Others</u>	<u>3</u>

The responsibilities of the staff were divided as follows:

<u>Coordination, study and documentation</u>	<u>B. Tomna</u>
<u>Assistant to the Executive Secretary and</u> <u>Sedos "Information Cooperative"</u>	<u>G. Tierney</u>
<u>Weekly Bulletin and documentation</u>	<u>L. Bano fscj</u>
<u>Formation Facilities files</u>	<u>A. Ibba sx</u>
<u>Accounts, services to French-speaking</u> <u>groups, and Community Card File</u>	<u>A. Fernandez</u>
<u>(NOTE: After January, all members of the</u> <u>staff work on the last project)</u>	
<u>Services to English-speaking groups</u>	<u>A. Ashford</u>
<u>Production of Weekly Bulletin, mailing, and</u> <u>general clerical</u>	<u>A. Trezzini</u>
<u>Documentation</u>	<u>Sr. Agnetta SSps</u>



EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

A P P E N D I X "B"

STUDY GROUPS FOR "THE ROLE OF THE OVERSEAS MISSIONARY IN THE LOCAL CHURCH"

(All meetings will be held at the Jesuit Curia, Borgo S. Spirito 5)

ENGLISH-SPEAKING GROUP NO. 1

Sr. M. Keenan rscm  
Sr. M. Luke Baldwin ssnd (Alternate Chairman)  
Sr. Th. Barnett scmm-t  
Fr. E. Biggane sma (Chairman)  
Fr. W. Cagney omi  
Sr. A.M. de Vreede scmm-m  
Sr. A. Gates sa  
Fr. Denis Keoch ofm-cap  
Fr. G. Linssen cicm  
Fr. F. P. Moody pa  
Fr. G. Peeters msf  
Sr. X. Rowntree osu  
Bro. G. Schnepp sm  
Sr. E. Soetens icm  
Fr. F. Westhoff msc  
Fr. O. Sina fscj  
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ENGLISH-SPEAKING GROUP NO. 2

Fr. Agostoni fscj (Chairman)  
Fr. J. Correia Afonso sj  
Sr. J. Burke snd-n  
Sr. J. Clysters scmm-t  
Sr. B. Flanagan sfb  
Sr. Henriette Hoene ssnd  
Fr. Georg Lautenschlager cmm (Alter.Chrm)  
Fr. H. Mondé sma  
Sr. A.M. Oosschot scmm-m  
Fr. F. Peeters cicm  
Fr. J. Power sma  
Fr. Ch. Rühling svd  
Sr. E. Ryan snd-n  
Fr. T. Walsh mm  
Bro. V. Gottwald fsc  
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FRENCH-SPEAKING GROUP NO. 1

Sr. F. Avonts sa (Chairman)  
Sr. C. Brandt icm  
Fr. W. Buhlmann ofm-cap  
Fr. A.L. Bundervoet msc (Alter. Chrm)  
Fr. Colombo fscj  
Sr. M. J. Dor sa  
Sr. M. Duarte fmm  
Sr. J. Dumont sfb  
Fr. V. Gaudet omi  
Fr. W. Goossens cicm  
Fr. J. Hardy sma  
Fr. J. Urquia sm  
Bro. Lammelin fsc

FRENCH-SPEAKING GROUP NO. 2

Fr. Bartolucci fscj  
Fr. Bouchaud cssp  
Sr. G. de Thélin rscj  
Fr. K. Houdijk cssp  
Fr. F. Kapusciak cm  
Fr. L. Kaufmann pa  
Fr. L. Kuntz sma  
Fr. N. LeMire sm  
Sr. J-M Lohisse sa  
Fr. V. Mertens sj  
Sr. A.M. Moraes crsa  
Fr. K. Muehlfenzl msf  
Fr. V. Poggi sj (Alter. Chairman)  
Sr. C. Rembouts icm (Chairman)

20 March 1972

THE CENTRAL EDUCATION OFFICE - ITS FACILITIES AND THEIR USE

(BROTHERS OF THE CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS - Via Aurelia 476 - ROME 00165)

The Central Education Office puts its materials (in pedagogy, education, teaching, catechesis, etc.) entirely at your use. It will be happy to receive you, to provide such information as is possible, to make recommendations and to give you what help it can in your research.

In order to make these services possible it asks your attention to the following:

a) You may use the facilities any time the CEO is open. The card index (in 3 languages), the use of which will have explained to you (it has certain purely local peculiarities), will tell you where the materials you seek are located.

b) You can save time and secure better service if you use the sheets provided for giving advance notice to the CEO. If you allow a couple of days, and indicate as precisely as possible the subject of your research, we can have the materials ready for you on the day you indicate. This service is obviously limited by the resources of the CEO.

c) These documents (periodicals, reports, dossiers, etc) are not, as a general rule to be removed from CEO premises.

d) The same goes for the books in the CEO library. However, in unusual cases, loans may be arranged for several days to those living at 476 Via Aurelia. Excluded from such an arrangement are general reference works, dictionaries, encyclopedias, etc.

These regulations have in mind the usual purposes behind all library regulations, i.e., to avoid loss (often of irreplaceable items), and to enable the CEO to have access to such materials in case of urgent need.

e) Works on education, teaching, catechesis, etc., in the General Library are available under the regulations which obtain there. However, many of these works were originally purchased by the CEO, and occasionally it seeks access to them. This may explain a possible request to you to return such a volume before you have finished using it.

f) The usual method of obtaining a document in the CEO is to fill out the cards available for this purpose and give them to one of the members of the CEO staff. (You will probably prefer that one who speaks your language, but preference establishes no obligation).

g) Documents you receive for your research can be reserved -- kept together -- for several successive occasions if you need several to complete your study. However, this service must be requested.

h) Forms for requesting the various services of the CEO are available there. They will also be available in the Lasallianum and in the CIL. Until a box can be provided at the entrance of the CEO, please deposit the completed forms in the postal box of the CEO.

F S C - CEO (continued)

DAYS AND HOURS

It is always best to phone the CEO - No. 59 - to know if it is open. Save yourself a trip!

In general the CEO is open every day from 9:30 to 12:45 and from 15:30 (3:30 PM) to 18:00 (6:00 PM). It is closed on Sundays, feast days, holidays and THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

Brother J. Robert Lane is usually in the CEO from 13:30 to 16:15 except on the above days of closure and on Saturday afternoons.

The CEO may be opened on one of the above days of closing if an appointment is made for that purpose. This will not be a general practice. Inquire first as to the possibility of such an arrangement for a given day. During the summer vacation, above all during the month of August, the above schedule does not always obtain.

(December 11, 1971)

(Traduction en français disponible au Secrétariat du SEDOS)

LISTS OF PERIODICALS RECEIVED DURING FEBRUARY compiled by Sister Agnetta S.Sp.S.  
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A. List of issues of periodicals received during February:

<u>Issue:</u>	<u>Name of Periodical (External)</u>
No. 2	ADRIS Newsletter
Vol. 7, No. 1	Contacts (AGEH)
Nos. 1588-1595	Agenzia Internazionale FIDES Informazioni
Vol. 8, No. 1	BIT Informations
Nos. 3 and 4	Brothers Newsletter
Vol. 4, No. 1	Bulletin (Institute of Development Studies)
Vol. 6, Nos. 1-5	La Chiesa nel Mondo
No. 3	Ching Feng
No. 34	CONDOR
Nos. 17-71	Documentation and Information for and about Africa
February 1972	ELEP FLASH
November 1971	FAO Documentation
No. 11	IDOC Catalogue of Documents
Vol. 7, No. 2	Impact (Philippines)
No. 4	In Via ACISJF Bulletin
No. 2	Informatiedienst
Nos. 401-402	Informations Catholique Internationales
No. 401	Japan Christianity Activity News
No. 60	Journalistes Catholiques
January 1972	MARC Newsletter
No. 75	Mensaje Iberoamericano
No. 227	Messages du SecOURS catholique
No. 1	Migration News
No. 26	MISEREOR Aktuell
No. 12	Mission Intercom
No. 3	Newsletter (Ghana)
Vol. 2, No. 2	Newsletter (WCCU)

<u>Issue:</u>	<u>Name of Periodical (External)</u>
February 1972	News Notes (AFPRO)
Nos. 29-31	Nostro Impegno
No. 11	Notiziario (FAO)
January 1972	ODI (Overseas Development Institute)
No. 42	Omnis Terra
Nos. 6-7	One Spirit
Supplement No. 7	Orientamenti Pastoralì
No. 49	Panorama
Nos. 7-8	Pastoral Orientation Service
No. 39	Pro Mundi Vita (English edition)
No. 5	Quarterly Record
Nos. 5-6	Scienza, Tecnica e Organizzazione
Vol. 18, No. 4	Social Compass
Vol. 17, No. 2	Spiritual Life
Nos. 6868-6871	The Tablet
February 1972	This Month

<u>Issue:</u>	<u>Name of Periodical (Internal)</u>
Nos. 160-161 and Index 1971	AIMIS (FSCJ et al.)
Vol. 52, No. 4	Bulletin (FSC)
No. 422	Chronica (CICM)
Nos. 2-3	CITOC Documentation (OCarm)
01/72	CMM News
Nos. 8-9	Communications (SM) (English and French)
No. 24	CSSP Newsletter (English and French)
No. 49	Echos de la rue du Bac (MEP)
No. 248-250	Famiglia Comboniana (FSCJ)
No. 2	Hello? Frascati! (SA)
Vol. 40, No. 5	The Master's Work (SSpS)
2/72	MD -- Missionsdienst (SVD)

<u>Issue:</u>	<u>Name of Periodical (Internal)</u>
February 1972	Missioni OMI
June-December 1971	Le Mois en Asie (MEP)
January 1972	Monde et Mission (CICM)
February 1972	Mondo e Missione (PIME)
February 1972	Nigrizia (FSCJ)
Vol. 6, Nos. 1-2	Notiziario Cappuccino (OFMCap)
5/72	OMI Communications--Information (English and French)
No. 627	Petit Echo (PA)
February 1972	Piccolo Missionario (FSCJ)
November - January	Sharing (RSHM)
No. 12	SJ Information (English and Spanish)
No. 14	SJ Documentation (English and Spanish)
No. 46	SMM Intercontinent (SCMM-M)
Supplement No. 18	Verbum (SVD)
1/72	MSC General Bulletin (English and French)
Nos. 1-3	Columban Intercom

B. New periodicals received during February:

Name of External Periodical and country in which it is published

The Bulletin (Agricultural Missions) (U.S.A.)  
 Rural Missions, (Agricultural Missions) (U.S.A.)  
 Notiziario della Pontificia Commissione per l'America Latina (Italy)  
 Quick Communication Service (IDOC) (Italy)  
 Spiritual Life (U.S.A.)

Name of Internal Periodical and Institute which publishes it

MSC General Bulletin (MSC)  
 Columban Intercom (SSC)

## C. Selected Articles:

<u>Code No.</u>	<u>Article:</u>
2.CICM	<u>Zaire National Seminary "Church and Development."</u> In CHRONICA, No. 422, 1972.
2.MEP	<u>Formose: Apres son retrait de l'ONU.</u> By Léon Triviere in INFORMATION MISSIONNAIRE MEP, December 1971.
2.MEP	<u>Formose: Quel avenir?</u> By Léon Triviere in INFORMATION MISSIONNAIRE MEP, October 1971.
2.MSC	<u>The Meaning of our religious life in the world today.</u> In MSC GENERAL BULLETIN, January 1972. Also in French.
2.PA	<u>Synthesis of the Plenary Council from September 1-28,</u> <u>1971.</u> In PETIT ECHO, No. 626, 1972.
2.SCMM-M	<u>New Deal offered to Christian hospitals.</u> In SMM INTER- CONTINENT, No. 46, 1972.
2.SCMM-M	<u>Statement on the Role of Religious Priests, Sisters</u> <u>and Brothers in the Philippines today.</u> By Major Religious Superiors (Philippines) in SMM INTERCON- TINENT, No. 46, 1972.
2.SJ	<u>Concerns of Jesuits.</u> In SJ INFORMATION, No. 12, 1972. Also in French and Spanish.
2.SSC	<u>Triviere's 'China and the Vatican': A Rebuttal.</u> By Ivar McGrath in COLUMBAN INTERCOM, No. 3, 1972.
2.SSC	<u>Rules governing the counting of votes according to the</u> <u>single transferable vote system.</u> In COLUMBAN IN- TERCOM, No. 2, 1971.
2.SVD	<u>Some thoughts on "Mass Media and the Missions."</u> By F. Eilers in VERBUM, Vol. 12, No. 4, 1971.
2.SVD	<u>Des Landes verwiesen. Bericht aus China.</u> By Heinrich Schmitz in VERBUM-Supplementum 18, 1971.
2.SVD	<u>Das Dilemma der Kirche in Indien und seine Gründe.</u> By R. Rossignol, MEP, in MD (DOKUMENTATION), No. 2, 1972.
5.BI(CERIS)	<u>O Exercício da autoridade.</u> By Affonso Gregory in BOLETIM INFORMATIVO, No. 3/4, 1971 (CERIS).

<u>Code No.:</u>	<u>Article:</u>
5.BN	<u>Report and Recommendations on community organization of the poor.</u> Conference of Major Superiors of Men (U.S.A.). In BROTHERS NEWSLETTER, Vol. 13, No. 3, 1971.
5.CF	<u>The Problem of Modernization.</u> By Yin Hai-Kuang in CHING FENG, Vol. 14, No. 3, 1971.
5.I(P.I.)	<u>The Present Situation in Korea.</u> Excerpts from the Pastoral Letter of the Korean Bishops, in IMPACT (Philippines), Vol. 7, No. 2, 1972.
5.I(P.I.)	<u>The Role of women in development.</u> By Lee Hyo Jae in IMPACT(P.I.), Vol. 7, No. 2, 1972.
5.ICI	<u>Madagascar: les chrétiens dans la crise politique.</u> In INFORMATIONS CATHOLIQUES INTERNATIONALES, No. 401, 1972.
5.JC	<u>Actes du Congrès (2<sup>e</sup> partie): Public Opinion within the Church: Africa and North America.</u> In JOURNALISTES CATHOLIQUES, No. 60, 1971. (In French and English).
5.L	<u>Violence and Non-Violence.</u> By Frei Evaristo Arns in LADOC, No. 21, 1971.
5.L	<u>What I saw in Cuba.</u> By Fernando Ariztia in LADOC, No. 21, 1971.
5.PM	<u>Korea: Perspectives on the Church in modernizing South Korea.</u> In PRO MUNDI VITA, No. 39, 1971.
5.SSRC-N	<u>Survey archive data banks.</u> By Frank Land in SSRC NEWSLETTER, No. 13, 1971.
5.TM	<u>The Jesus People: An Ecumenical Challenge.</u> By Albert van den Heuvel in THIS MONTH, February, 1972.

## D. List of books received during February:

Internal

<u>Code No.:</u>	<u>Institute</u>	<u>Title of Book:</u>
3.25	SX	Documenti Capitolari IX Capitolo Generale.
3.27	OCarm	Status Ordinis Fratrum B. Mariae Virginis de Monte Carmelo. Die 31 Decembris 1970.



External

<u>Code No.:</u>	<u>Author/Org./Publisher</u>	<u>Title of Book:</u>
6.147	Dimension Books, U.S.A.	Let us Proclaim the Mystery of Faith by Ronald A. Sarno, SJ.
6.148	Tipografia Poliglotta Vaticana, Vatican	Annuario Pontificio per l'Anno 1972.
6.149	Spiritus	Les Chemins de la Mission aujourd'hui; by Robert Ageneau and Denis Pryn.
6.150	Helicon, Dublin	The Official Nigeria Catholic Directory 1965.

NEWS FROM AND FOR THE GENERALATES

1. A GUIDE TO HEALTH AND GOOD FOOD FOR THE FAMILY, by Cornelia van Schelven. Extension Aids, Ministry of Agriculture and Natural Resources, P.O. Box 250, Komba, Malawi.
2. SM SCHEDULE OF VISITS by the General Council:  
Starting from April 10 they will visit Switzerland (April 10-20), France (April 20-May 7), Austria (May 11-15), Japan (June 23-July 7), Korea, Argentina, Peru, Colombia, Canada, U.S.A.
3. Dr. Hellberg is in New Guinea for one year, working with the New Guinea government to help coordinating health services. Any group interested in contacting him could write to:  
Dr. Hellberg, M.D., Free Mail Bag, Geno Island, Port Moresby, Papua, NEW GUINEA.
4. SESSION INTERNATIONALE DE FORMATION AUDIO-VISUELLE - CREC, Lyon, France. Du 3 au 30 septembre 1972. Langue: français. Nombre de participants: 25 maximum. Frais d'inscription: tout compris: 450 dollars ou 2.250 F fr. Pour tous renseignements: CREC, Session AVEX, 19, rue de Chavril, 69 - SAINTE-FOY-LES-LYON, France. Tel. (78) 25.66.17.
5. Single sideband radio transreceivers designed for the missions. Simple to operate by untrained and non-technical personnel and extremely easy to service. Cost below 500 dollars. Producers: Celtic Industries, St. Joseph, Mich. 49085, U.S.A., from September 1972.
6. We received some copies in French of the report of the 16th session of the Population Commission, Geneva 12 nov. 1971 by the Information Centre of the International Catholic Organisations and the text of the resolutions. Any Generalate interested may apply for a copy.

DOCUMENTS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

1. THE IMAGE OF THE CHURCH AND PUBLIC RELATIONS, by John W. Barrett, OMI, pp. 11, in OMI DOCUMENTATION no. 39/72, March 10 1972, dealing with social communications and the Image of the Church (pp. 1-5) and Mass Media and PUBLIC RELATIONS.
2. PROCEEDINGS AMRSMP-AMRSWP 1971 - EXPOSURE OF CONVENTION DELEGATES TO THE CHANGING VALUES AFFECTING RELIGIOUS LIFE IN THE PHILIPPINES. 156 pp. A thorough study of the Association of Major Religious Superiors (male and female) in the Philippines.
3. ICVA News, Jan.-March 1972 published a 4 pp. list of COMING EVENTS (pp. 52-55).
4. Available at SEDOS Secretariat for consultation one copy in French of the ENCYCLOPEDIE ADMINISTRATIVE de l'INSTITUT INTERNATIONAL D'ADMINISTRATION PUBLIQUE of Paris (Editions Berger-Levrault, 5, rue Auguste-Comte, Paris VI<sup>me</sup>) for Senegal, Cameroun and Lebanon, and of the series ENCYCLOPEDIE POLITIQUE ET CONSTITUTIONELLE, série AFRIQUE for Mauritania, Senegal, Liberia, Ivory Coast, Cameroun, Madagascar, Ethiopia, Tchad, R.C.A., Dahomey, Mauritius, Burundi, Rwanda.

D E V E L O P M E N T  
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The Sedos Development Work Group met at SEDOS on 13th March '72 at 4.PM.

Present were: Fr. E. Biggane sma - Sr. Ines Braun fmm - Fr. J. Brossard omi  
Fr. A. Bundervoet msc - Sr. Joan Burke sndn - Sr. Margaret Conroy fmm  
Sr. Danita ssnd - Bro. V. Gottwald fsc - Fr. F. Moody pa

In the Chair: Fr. John Schotte cicm

From Sedos: Fr. Tonna and Ann Ashford

I. Report of last meeting (Bulletin 8 72/166)

Fr. Schotte had not stated that he would submit a paper on the pastoral situation in the Philippines, but that he would make available a copy of the sociological paper for study.

II. REPORTS ON OUTSTANDING ACTIVITIES

- 1) Meeting with Cardinal Malula - The Chairman reported that the Cardinal was willing to meet the group informally and a meeting could be arranged for the following week at the House of the Scheut Fathers. Awaiting further confirmation, the meeting was tentatively set for Tuesday - 21st March - from 4-6pm.
- 2) Visit with Indian Sisters - March 17th - Drafting of questions - The group were informed that two or three sisters would be willing to answer questions at the meeting. Suggestions were now invited.

- Could they give us the statistics on population in their slums?
- What are the major problems as they see them in their daily dealings?  
Overcrowding? Drunkenness? Religious practice? Communist penetration?
- What is their work and how does it relate to these problems?
- Do they see their work as a 'pastoral d'ensemble' or part of one?

Bro. Vincent agreed to pass these questions to the sisters prior to the meeting. A proposal to invite Mr. Basil, involved in the evangelisation of Moslems in French bidonvilles, was considered premature at this stage.

It was arranged that the group should meet at Sedos at 3.30pm. March 17th, and travel together to the sisters' home.

- 3) Bibliography for the Study of the Urban Mission - See next page, item III.
- 4) Meeting with Fr. Heynes on Tilapia - Fr. Brossard reported that Fr. Heynes was expected back in Rome in mid-May and would confirm his return one month previous. It was agreed that non-Sedos members could also be invited to the meeting with Fr. Heynes.

III. DISCUSSION OF URBAN MISSION REPORTS FROM DIFFERENT GENERALATES

The Chairman commented on the variety and richness of the reports. The DWG was now able to draw on material from several generalates and would give them feedback for their reactions. He then asked each member to summarise briefly the main points in his report.

Follow-up Action: A synthesis would be prepared at the secretariate and distributed to each member of the DWG for discussion at the next group meeting (ref: Document III). A copy of the initial general questions, the summary and the group's feedback on it would then be sent to all other Sedos generalates. It was also suggested that the synthesis be sent to key points in Africa, Asia and Lat. America, eg. to bishops who have shown their interest in the urbanisation problem, so as to draw from their reactions and gain an extra stimulus.

Bibliography - Fr. Moody had prepared and brought along a bibliography based on research activities relative to Urban Pastoral Action. Purely medical or sociological material was not included. There were five parts: General - Africa - Asia - Lat.Am. - Near East and other. The main sources of material had been the CMC (WCC), Geneva, ICUIS, Chicago, and FAO. It was decided that this initial list could be typed out at the secretariate and circulated to the DWG members for study. Other titles could be added progressively.

#### IV. FR. COUTINHO'S PROPOSAL

- 1) Each member had already received a copy of the report of the Task Force on their meeting with Fr. Coutinho.
- 2) Fr. Coutinho had been invited to meet the group and was now present to explain further details: lecturers, duration of courses and curriculum. He was also able to satisfy the group as to the NEED for such a course in Rome. He said the deans of the Soc.Sc.S.Instit. of St.Th.Aquinas and the Angelicum Universities already had students interested in the course. Its OBJECTIVE, he said, was similar to the Antigonish movement. It aimed at priests already staying in Rome eg. working on a doctoral thesis, who could be encouraged to assume responsibility in cooperative work and to promote cooperative managers and workers in their own countries. Fr. Coutinho pointed out that though there were some (though limited) FACILITIES IN THE FIELD, there were no experts to teach: they would first have to be trained here and could then operate the field facilities. The DWG were especially interested in the SCREENING PROCESS PRIORITIES. Father was able to assure them that first priority would be given to native clergy from the Third World already in Rome, though the idea of later accepting applicants directly from the field was not to be excluded.
- 3) The group agreed to recommend the project to Sedos Exec.Com. for moral sponsorship, provided that: - Sedos sit on the board of directors - the Institute did not become just another organism in the West for the Third World - and priority be given to students already in Rome. It was also decided that a study be made of existing facilities in the field. Fr. Tonna informed the group that Sedos had already drawn up a list of Formation Facilities in Africa, to be published in the bulletin before Easter.

#### V. EVALUATION AND FURTHER PLANNING OF THE URBAN MISSION STUDY

The Chairman distributed a memorandum on this subject, but discussion was postponed due to lack of time.

#### VI. CONCLUSION OF MEETING

The Chairman closed the meeting after setting the date of the next meeting.

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D I A R Y

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- Weds., 1 Mar. 1972: Fr. Tonna is visited by two Councillors of the FMM to discuss documentation of their next Chapter scheduled for later this year.
- Thurs., 2 Mar. 1972: Fr. Hanrahan, Superior General of the Mill Hill Fathers(England) comes to Sedos to discuss its services and expresses particular interest in the Study, "The Role of the Overseas Missionary in the Local Church".
- Mon., 6 Mar. 1972: A luncheon meeting of Fr. McCormack, Bro.T.More and Fr.Tonna is held to review the situation as regards Dev. Projects.
- Tues., 7 Mar. 1972: Representatives of AIMIS -- a press service for Missions in Italy -- meet with Fr. Tonna.
- Fr. Healy of the Social Communications Dept. of AMECEA highlights the importance of training managers of Social Communications (Press, Radio and TV).
- Weds., 8 Mar. 1972: The China Group meets at the SJ Curia.
- Thurs., 9 Mar. 1972: The Superior General and Procurator General of the Holy Family of Missionaries -- the new and very active "observer" members of Sedos -- visit the Secretariat.
- Mon., 13 Mar. 1972: The Development Working Group meets.
- Weds., 15 Mar. 1972: The Health Task Force holds its meeting.
- Thurs., 16 Mar. 1972: The monthly meeting of the Executive Committee takes place at the Secretariat.
- Fri., 17 Mar. 1972: A first-hand experience of the Development Working Group is had with the excellent and urgently needed work of the Indian Sisters of Mo. Therèse among the Rome "baraccati".
- Sr. Elvia Salazar rsc is welcomed as she joins the staff to assist in the Documentation Section.
- Tues., 21 Mar. 1972: Prof. Burkle of Munich stops at Sedos following a recent visit to Africa. The discussion centers on the Mission and the non-Christian religions, with emphasis on how the Third World can help the Western World with its insights -- Asian meditation, the African aesthetic experience, etc.
- Cardinal Malula meets with the Dev.Working Group and describes the Urban pastoral work being carried on in Kinshasa.
- Weds., 22 Mar. 1972: The first meeting of the Chairmen of the Study Groups on "The Role of the Overseas Missionary in the Local Church" is held with Fr.Van Asten at the FSCJ. Plans are made for the first group meetings, and a revised Study Outline is agreed upon.
- Thurs., 23 Mar. 1972: Sr. Thomas More of the Marists calls at the Secretariat before leaving for Calcutta.
- March 27 - 29, 1972: "Joint Venture" No. 6 arrives and is distributed. Again, hearty thanks to Fr. Moody (Editor)!!

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