

April 30, 1990

Dear Dr Vivendra Kumar,

Uttarakhand

Many thanks for your letter of April 19, 1990 and for kindly sending me a copy of the proposal for the Centre and a copy of the Project Report on Chamoli Biosphere written by you. I have read them with much interest.

Indeed it is a matter of great pleasure for me too to have discovered your exact address, and there is a good occasion again after LokTale studies to involve ~~myself~~ in a good research programme. It will be a pleasure to extend to you all cooperation in evolving a structure for the Centre.

I continue to be involved in writing a book on Man/Plant Relationships in Time & Space since the last three years commenced initially with financial help from the ICRR. My involvement with the American Project on Excavations in Gujarat Harappan sites continues. As a botanical Advisor to this project I am planning to prepare a Seed Atlas for the Gujarat State. This will be followed by a monographic work (a joint enterprise with American colleagues) on the plant remains discovered.

The above are some of the activities

that continue to keep me busy
ever since ^{one after} my superannuation.

Looking forward to receiving
your letter in connection with structural
development of the Centre.

With kind regards

Sincerely yrs

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