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Talawa Form

Talawa ~~1979/01~~

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International Women's Tribune Centre Inc.
305, East 46th Street Sixth Floor
New York, NY 10017, U.S.A

Dear Madam,

I am the Secretary of the Newest branch of the Women's International League of Peace and Freedom. We have organised a lot of activities for I.W.P.F. We have organised a circle to enable working women's to leave their child at our centre for this purpose S.C.F. (a work camp organization to which we too belong) collaborated to build a mud and rubble hall, attached to our centre. We understand that children form 1 to 5th develop rapidly and their future life depends on treatment meted out to them at this age.

We therefore wish to teach our members (which include a few men too) about bringing up their children to develop their creative talents initially, but there are many other subjects that need to be tackled.

The ~~present~~ ^{MS} president of Colombo branch is ^{MS} Kusala Abayawardhana who gets the International Women's Tribune Center I.W.P.F. Newsletter most of her old copies have been taken away by ~~International~~ interested people and not returned.

We have are longing to read them as we had a brief glimpse of copy. I which she refused to part with our first request is that you send us all they past newsletters if you are able to do so.

Looking forward hearing you.

yours faithfully,

Matilda Jayasinghe

(Mrs) Matilda Jayasinghe

Secretary Talawa Branch.

c.c. Ms. Kusala Abayawardhana
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I will answer if you
wish - send UN Fact
Sheet + refer to our
Newsletters where info
carried + send E Palmer
address - I'll tell her she
knows more than most!
(This Conference was
decided on in 1975!)

MP

Send copy of cover
letter for proposal
& mid year
report -