



PALACIO DE LA ZARZUELA
March, 13th, 2006

Your Royal Highness, my Brother.

I hope this letter finds you in good health. As I am sure your Royal Highness is well aware, I have been invited by His Majesty King Abdullah on an official visit to your Kingdom between the 8th and 10th of April 2006. I will be accompanied by an important delegation from Spain, focusing primarily at improving our political and economic bilateral relationship.

I look forward to seeing your Royal Highness during the relevant visit, in order to discuss certain specifics which would no doubt promote a closer relationship between our respective countries. Your advice and good counsel would be highly appreciated and most essential to our bilateral efforts.

I am sending this letter with a trusted person, Mrs. Shahpari Zanganeh, in order to coordinate privately the possibility of such an encounter.

Mrs. Zanganeh will also present to your Royal Highness an official letter from the Chairman and CEO of INDRA, one of our leading Spanish conglomerates, who would appreciate the opportunity to meet with your appropriately designated team of representatives in order to discuss the opportunity further.

I remain your Royal Highness
Good Brother and loyal friend.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Salman bin Abdulaziz Al Saud', written on a yellow background. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS PRINCE SULTAN BIN ABDUL AZIZ
Crown Prince of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
Minister of Defence
KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA