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Dear Bridge Colleagues,

It is our pleasure to let you know that a long cherished dream of duplicate bridge players in this country became true when an organization by the name of HUNGARIAN BRIDGE FEDERATION /HBF/ has been called into being, ^{with nationwide} jurisdiction, under the auspices of the Ministry of Culture.

This marks a milestone in the progress of the game in Hungary, through the fact that the Government has now recognized it as an enjoyable and intelligent form of leisure occupation, ^{during the last 40 years} ~~by not suppressing it any more.~~

The membership comprises that of the Budapest Bridge Association which has been simultaneously wound up, furthermore every duplicate bridge-organization in the country which cares to join.

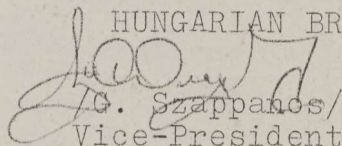
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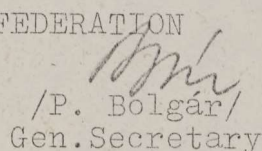
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In the hope for fruitful future bridge cooperation,
very sincerely Yours

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