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Dear Oscar,

I appreciate the comments in your fax of January 12th about **Desert Bloom**. I had presumed and now I have confirmation of your great knowledge and expertise in the field of agriculture.

Actually, it was my thought that Saudi and the Gulf states were an excellent potential for the water saving product, and I still believe this is the case. I would like to propose that we experiment with the product. If you would ask your friends Messrs. Unifert if they would consider trying the product at no cost to them to see for themselves how it would productively work. We would send to them one box of Desert Bloom which would contain four gallons to cover about eight acres which they could have one of the farmers apply in Saudi or where else he might think useful. They could then see if it works to their advantage. I say that especially in light of the Saudi article I sent to you in late December where the Kingdom was on a course to conserve water.

Let me know what you think of this proposal. In the meantime, my very best to you.

Sincerely,

Victor Atiyeh