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The level of detail and analysis in the articles varies greatly because of the nature of the bulletin, which is intended to serve as a tool for both individuals and organizations acting at local level and for those carrying out activities on an international scale. However, we have included most of the articles as we consider that they may all serve, in one way or another, to raise consciousness regarding an issue that affects so many people in the world.

We have included the numerous sources of information on which the various articles were based in the References at the end of the book. Those who are interested in accessing these sources may do so through our web page, entering the "Bulletin" area and looking for the corresponding year and month of the article involved.

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