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The first issue encouraging echo motivates further and provides self-confidence to all of the participant in the launching of journal *The Holistic Approach to Environment*, so to continue working with even more enthusiasm and ambition. A journal cannot be profiled and recognised internationally overnight, but direction we have chosen is undoubtedly a good one.

The environment is not only a material but a spiritual reality also. The environment is not only air, water and soil surrounding us, it is also the relationships we establish to the other existent beings present in the material and spiritual space. Accordingly, the environmental pollution is not constituted just of emission of SO<sub>2</sub> or CO<sub>2</sub> to the atmosphere; gluttony, greed, animosity and viciousness are equally dangerous, if not even more damaging to the environment than acid rain. Benevolence and closeness are as necessary for pleasant and sensible living as are pure water and clean air.

The material and spiritual dimension of environment is being destroyed in the modern world. Our is to be the voice of consciousness and reason. Sharp, unambiguous voice. The mission of this journal is to point towards pollution issues and offer models to solve those issues. Our requests for pure environment are based in ethics and reason.

True purification of environment must be holistic. In poisonous atmosphere of material world it is very hard to develop spiritual values of benevolence, understanding, freedom and love. It is equally hard to develop consciousness for protection against pollution of soil, water and air in the poisoned spiritual atmosphere. Our own actions pollutes or purifies the environment. Every individual is to define relationship to this reality by use of own free will. The morality of this responsibility correlates to the intellectual potential of an individual. In modern world sadly ethical responsibility is rarely and unparalely followed by legal responsibility.

It on the contrary happens that the ethic monsters prescribe the contamination of environment as a norm and rudely punish, within the bounders of their reigns, sometimes called the republics, all those that actively and even just in principle, speak primarily against spiritual and sometimes also material pollution. Scientists hold special responsibility and mission in the modern world, more than in any other time in human history. Usage of knowledge can significantly ease and improve people's lives and prevent the violence to animals and nature, while its abuse can make the lives of many humans and animals bitter and create evils and crimes against life and existence that are hard to envisage, with a purpose for a relatively narrow number of people to follow to fullness their primitive impulses towards power and richness.

We would like to give the message and to teach that other existences cannot be torn apart with fangs, that is neither nice nor smart, but we should decorate ourselves with beauty, creativity and benevolence. The existence is in the relationship, and our fellow being should

be an opportunity, not a threat. This world could be a beautiful, fresh and fragrant meadow with flowers, and not a smelling burrow. Human should not be human's wolf, but a butterfly. *Homo homini lepidoptera.*