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Dear Dr. Milligan:

Khun Ratchata Lifetime (รัช) and Warisa Senawong (มรดก) – (sponsors) letters, of 20 September 2017, brings good news. Thank you for all of your humanitarian contributions to the Kingdom of Thailand in action and books.

Accordingly, I am pleased by this letter to grant you the honor described for articles and categories related to the **Order of the Direkgunabhorn, 'seventh class'**, a Thai *chivalric* order. People appointed to the order are categorised under the sub-category applicable to the highest grade they have achieved. Of which, the categories are:

- ✧ Knights Grand Cross of the Order of the Direkgunabhorn
- ✧ Dames Grand Cross of the Order of the Direkgunabhorn
- ✧ Members of the Order of the Direkgunabhorn
- ✧ Gold Medalist (Sixth Class) เหรียญเงินดิเรกคุณาภรณ์
- ✧ Silver Medalist (Seventh Class) เหรียญเงินดิเรกคุณาภรณ์

Based on your books and dedication through charitable events and humanitarian contributions, by virtue of The Thai Monarchy you have been awarded the:

ORDER OF DIREKGUNABHORN; consisting of a Silver Medal established under King Bhumibol Adulyadej “Rama IX” ภูมิพลอดุลยเดช, 9 June 1946 – 13 October 2016: House Mahidol (Chakri Dynasty).

Thank you so much for all you have done and by also bringing much needed attention to the matter of abuse.

Devotedly yours,

สุดารัตน์กนกวรรณ

Sudarat Kanokwan, President / Deputy

THAILAND KING BHUMIBOL RAMA IX ERA MEDAL ORDER OF THE DIREKGUNABHORN

Order - ๑ The Most Admirable Order of the Direkgunabhorn is bestowed upon those who have rendered devotional services to the Kingdom of Thailand. The Order consists of seven classes. Membership of the order can be gained via either "Devotional Service to the Kingdom", or by donation. Five years of devotional service to the kingdom. Outstanding service to the state, religion, and the people.

Service - ๑ Devotional service to the kingdom is deemed to be met via the following criteria: Five years of devotional service to the kingdom; Outstanding service to the state, religion, and the people; Act of bravery for the state, religion, and the people.

Precedence - ๑ The first decoration to be conferred is the silver medal or Companion, in case of extraordinary service. A deemed person may request the Silver Medal of the Direkgunabhorn be issued. Decorations of higher class can be attained through further years of excellent service, until the Knight Grand Cross class is reached.

Deemed person's - ๑ Person of Other Nationalities can attain Member and Companion; Researchers, Scientists, National Artists can attain Member and Companion; Authors and Humanitarians can attain Member and Companion. All Member and Companion recipients are considered only if their contributions support The Kingdom of Thailand.

Recommendations - ๑ Ministry of Social Development and Human Security, Krasuang Kan Phatthana Sangkhom Lae, Khwam Man Khong Khong Manut; Ministry of Culture, Krasuang Watthanatham; Ministry of Education, Krasuang Sueksathikan, and Ministry of Public Health, Krasuang Satharanasuk.



Awarded by



The King of Thailand

Status Currently constituted, Sovereign King Vajiralongkorn, Grades 1st – 7th Class