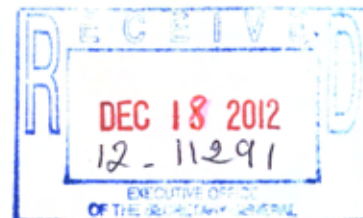




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Madame, *Dear Susana,*

I am so sorry that you were unable to attend our National Reception on 4 December 2012 to celebrate the 85th birthday anniversary of His Majesty King Bhumibol Adulyadej. The world's longest reigning Monarch, this year marks his 66th year on the throne.

Last year in 2011, His Majesty the King celebrated his 84th birthday or 7th cycle, which in Thailand and much of Asia is a very important occasion and significant milestone in a person's life. It is therefore with great pleasure that I present you with a commemorative coin minted in honour of that auspicious occasion.

Accept, Madame, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

Yours sincerely,

With warm regards,
Norachit

Norachit Sinhaseni
Ambassador and Permanent Representative

Ms. Susana Malcorra,
Under-Secretary-General, Chef de Cabinet
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