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Dear Dr. Downer,

I am most grateful for your kind letter of 16 August reiterating your kind invitation for Dr. Gerry Schneider and myself to visit AIT. I must apologise for the delay in response as I was on mission to Hanoi, Vietnam from the 19th to the 23rd.

Unfortunately, Dr. Schneider will be leaving SUT in the evening of 29th and will proceed to Canada early morning of the following day. Thus, he will not be able to visit AIT on the 29th as I was tentatively arranging. He, however comes to SUT often as he is a member of the SUT- CUTC Project Review Committee and a visiting professor of Mechanical Engineering. I will keep you informed of his next visit.

I was informed by your Secretary that you are fully booked for the coming weeks and she suggested that my requested meeting with you be upon your return from the trip to Europe, i.e. in October. I myself will leave for Canada on the 9th of September that is why I was hoping to visit you before that date to discuss possible trilateral relations between SUT-AIT and CUTC specially on the planned university-industry seminar series.

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I shall be sending by separate post the latest Annual Report of SUT. I reported our short meeting to Prof. Dr. Wichit Srisa-an, the Rector of SUT and he would like to reiterate the invitation for you to visit SUT and the northeast region of Thailand. I would gladly wait for your notice of availability.

Looking forward to continued collaboration between SUT and AIT and the participation of AIT in the Association of Universities in Asia and the Pacific (AUAP) of which SUT is the Secretariat and Dr. Wichit is the President. I hope too that I could continue being a resource person of CEC-AIT and AITCV.

With best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

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