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DATE : 21 NOVEMBER 1997

TIME :

TO: PROF DR RUBEN UMALY

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FAX : 044 254 049

FROM : Siripen Nuchachatpong

RE: YOUR REQUEST FOR LINKAGES WITH UNIVERSITIES IN MINDANAO

Number of pages including cover sheet:

Message

Please see attached memo to Australian universities. Bob Goddard, Director of International Relations at AV-CC, is now looking after responses from those universities. This is to confirm your request has been taken up.

Regards,

Siripen Nuchachatpong

Personal Assistant

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Attn: เกษมศักดิ์

Fm: ชลบุรี

กรรมการบริหารโรงเรียน Prof. Dr. Ruben Umaly

ขอเรียน ว่า ขอเชิญ = 21 ตุลาคม 1997 ณ โรงแรมสุโขทัย

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The Honourable Phil Honeywood, MP

Minister for Tertiary Education and Training

Victoria, Australia

invites

..... Prof. Ruben C. Umaly

to attend an **Official Dinner**

hosted by the **Victorian Tertiary Education Mission**

to be held on **Thursday, 30 October 1997 at 6.30 pm**

at the **Sukhothai Hotel**

13/3 South Sathorn Road, Bangkok

RSVP by 23 October

Australian Embassy, Bangkok

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29 OCT 1997



Attn: คุณสุภาวดี

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Dear

You are cordially invited to attend a seminar hosted by the Victorian Government's Tertiary Education and Training Mission. The theme for the Seminar will be *Education and Economic Development*.

The seminar is a major activity of the Mission, which aims to enhance regional educational links and to introduce the Victorian tertiary education system to education and business leaders in Thailand.

Mission members include representatives from Victorian Universities, Institutes of Technical and Further Education, Private Providers and senior officials from the Department of Education. The seminar will provide the opportunity for information exchange and exploring links between Thailand and Victoria.

The seminar will be conducted at the Sukhothai Hotel on Thursday 30 October from 4-6 pm, with registration from 3.30 pm. A buffet dinner will be served at the conclusion of the seminar.

It would be greatly appreciated if you could respond to this invitation by contacting the Education Section, Australian Embassy, Bangkok, telephone: 02 287-2680 extension: 5527/5536 or facsimile: 02 287 1892 by Thursday 23 October, 1997.

I look forward to your attendance at this special event.

Yours sincerely

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Prof. Dr. Ruben C. Umaly
Director, Centre for International Affairs
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111 University Avenue,
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October 14, 1997

Dear Prof. Ruben Umaly,

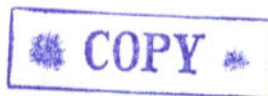
Thank you for your letter seeking linkages with the Philippines. I have contacted the Vice Chancellors' Committee and asked them to follow up your request. I am sure you will receive interested responses in due course. If you don't receive such responses please contact me again.

On a personal note, I hope we can meet again very soon. Please come and visit next time you are in Bangkok.

Yours sincerely,

Diané Ranck
Counsellor, Education Training and Employment

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29 September 1997

Ms. Diane Ranck
Education Counsellor
Australian Embassy
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Bangkok 10120

FAX: 02.287.2029

RE: POSSIBLE LINKAGE WITH THE PHILIPPINES

I have recently visited Mindanao, Philippines on invitation of Dr. Angel Alcala, the Chairman of the Commission on Higher Education of the Philippines. The latter is the equivalent of the Ministry of University Affairs in Thailand. Dr. Alcala also has a cabinet rank.

They have a number of programs in the Mindanao Advanced Education Project (MAEP) including those in Peace Studies, Languages, Environmental Biology, Marine Biology, Mathematics and Agriculture. One of the strategies for the human resource development and research components of the project is international networking or linkages. I have been requested to help and immediately my thoughts were on Australia universities.

In this connection, I would be most grateful if you could give me a short list of universities which may be interested to partner with the universities in Mindanao in any of the above mentioned fields (Kindly specify the universities for each field). CHED has some funds for scholarships but it would be most helpful if assistance through AUSAID could be sought by the Philippine universities in cooperation with their counterpart universities in Australia.

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I shall be most grateful for your kind advice and I hope collaboration can be established between some Phillippine and Australian universities. I shall countinue assisting CHED in this project while still working with SUT. This is part of the Thailand-Philippine MOU which was signed by the two Ministers of University Affairs last June.

Thnaks and best regards.

(Prof. Dr. Ruben C. Umaly)

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6 June 1997

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RE: AUSTRALIAN EDUCATION EXHIBITION, KHON KAEN

Dear Diane,

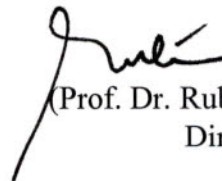
Thank you for your kind invitation for the above Exhibition. It is unfortunate that I received it only today as I was on mission to China with Dr. Wichit from the 1st of June. I am sure the Education Exhibition had been a great success. Incidentally, I was on the same plane from Chiang Mai with H.E. Ambassador Hogue and his wife one Saturday (24 May) and we had a short chat.

The Second Convention of the Association of Universities of Asia and the Pacific will be held on 8 - 10 December at the University of Tasmania with Prof. Dr. Donald McNicols as the host. He will be the incoming President of the Association as the term of Dr. Wichit as AUAP President will end in December. We are hoping a great number of the member universities would participate.

Once again, thanks for the invitation and I look forward to our next meeting on some other occasions.

With best regards.

Yours sincerely,



(Prof. Dr. Ruben C. Umaly)
Director



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Date	5 JUN 1997
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26 May 1997

Dear Prof. Umaly,

On behalf of the Australian Education Section of the Australian Embassy, I am pleased to invite you to the Official Opening and Luncheon of the Australian Education Exhibition '97 on Thursday, 5 June 1997 at 12:00 hrs, at the Sofitel Raja Hotel, Khon Kaen Province. I would be honoured if you could attend this occasion.

This year the Australian International Education Foundation (AIEF), Conference Australia, IDP Education Australia, and the Education Consultants Group of Thailand (ECT), in association with the Office of Civil Service Commission (OCSC) have combined to hold the Australian Education Exhibition.

I look forward to meeting you.

Yours sincerely,

Wipusara Pugnarakijkul

for Diané Ranck
Education Counsellor

RSVP: 287 2680 ext 4802, 5527



26 May 1997

Dear Sir,

On behalf of the Australian Education Section of the Australian Embassy, I am pleased to invite you to the Cocktail Reception of the Australian Education Exhibition' 97 on Wednesday, 4 June 1997 at 18:00 hrs, at the Sofitel, Khon Kaen. I would be honoured if you could attend this occasion.

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30 April 1997

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FAX: 662.287.1892

RE: UMAP

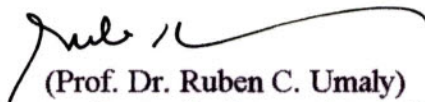
Dear Mr. Roney,

This is to acknowledge with great appreciation and gratitude your very quick response to our request for materials on UMAP.

It may interest you to know that the Second General Conference of the Association of Universities in Asia and the Pacific (AUAP) will be hosted by Prof. Dr. Donald McNicols, the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Tasmania at Hobart, Tasmania, on 8 - 10 December 1997. The Secretariat of AUAP is at Suranaree University of Technology and one of the agenda for the AUAP Conference is how to link AUAP student exchange program with UMAP.

Once again, thank you for your kind assistance. Please extend my regards to Diane.

Yours sincerely,



(Prof. Dr. Ruben C. Umaly)
Director, Center for International Affairs



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Date 25 APR 1997
Time 15:45

21 Apr. 1997

Khun Ruben Umaly,
Suranaree University of Technology,
Centre of International Affairs,
111 University Avenue,
Nakhon Ratchasima

Dear Mr. Umaly,

As requested I have duplicated some information about UMAP (University Mobility in Asia and the Pacific) Program, its history and the guidelines. I hope that this information is sufficient to give you the background information you seek.

Yours sincerely,

Vance Roney,
for Diane Ranok, Counsellor, Education, Training and Employment.

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18 March 1997

MS. DIANE RANCK
Counsellor, Education and Training
Australian International Education Foundation
Australian Embassy
37 South Sathorn Road
Bangkok 10120

FAX; 2871892

Dear Diane,

This is to acknowledge with great appreciation and gratitude receipt of the materials on graduate programs in mathematics education. I have passed them on to the person requiring them. I hope he makes his decision soon as to the university he wants to study at.

I am pleased to let you know that SUT will have a graduate program in Environmental Biology with focus on Environmental Physiology, Environmental Toxicology, Ecological Genetics, Environmental Management (including EIA, EA, GIS, Env't. Economics), Ecology and Environmental Molecular and Cellular Biology. I am chairing the committee that is initiating this program. In this connection, I would be most grateful receiving again from your team a listing of universities in Australia that have the above mentioned graduate programs. Our graduate programs always include linkage with foreign universities specially for the research component. Thus, we would like to partner with some Australian universities. The only one I have direct contact with is the School of Aquatic Biology and Natural Resources Management of Deakin University.

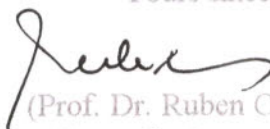
I am again in touch with UNE regarding the Agro-food industry project. I will continue communicating with them.

I am also sorry about the postponement of the trip to Australia by the Thai senators after all the preparations done. I was informed by our Rector's office that they will communicate with you directly that is why I did not write to you anymore after my dialogue with our Rector..

Once again, thank you for all your assistance.

With best regards.

Yours sincerely,



(Prof. Dr. Ruben C. Umaly)
Director, Center for International Affairs



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12 March 1997

Dear Prof. Umaly

Please find enclosed the information you requested regarding possibilities of PhD studies in Mathematics teaching in Australia. The brochures indicate which universities offer the program. Once you have decided on your course of action, I would be very pleased to provide you with any further assistance you may need. Please do not hesitate to contact me or my staff, Khun Ekjaree at the Education Resources Centre on ph 2872680 ext 5509.

On the matter concerning the Senate visit, I received an official explanation from the team leader and so that has been resolved. I am disappointed because the visit would have been a great opportunity for both sides. But, mai ben rai!

Meanwhile, I look forward to further cooperative ventures between Suranaree University and Australia. Please keep me informed as to the progress of your agro-industry development.

Yours sincerely

Diané Ranck
Counsellor, Education and Training

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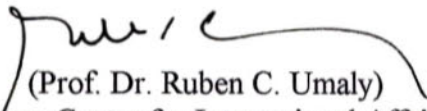
RE: PLACEMENT IN AN AUSTRALIAN UNIVERSITY

Greetings from SUT!!

One of the staff of the University has received from the government.
a study grant for a doctoral degree in mathematics education. In this connection, he is
presently looking for an appropriate university. Thus, we would be most grateful if you
could suggest some Australian universities good in this field.

Thank you for your kind attention and assistance.

Yours sincerely


(Prof. Dr. Ruben C. Umaly)
Director, Center for International Affairs

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10 January, 1997

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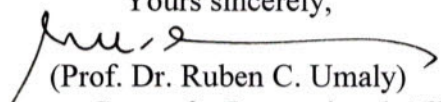
RE: VISIT OF THAI SENATORS TO AUSTRALIA

Greetings and best wishes for 1997.

I apologize for the delay in my confirmation regarding the date of the proposed visit to Australia of some Thai senators. Because of activities in the Senate they have suggested the postponement of the trip to March instead of February. Dr. Wichit has therefore requested me to inquire from your office for preferred or suggested dates (schedule) in March so that they can plan accordingly.

Once again, thank you for your kind assistance and I am looking forward to your response.

Yours sincerely,


(Prof. Dr. Ruben C. Umaly)
Director, Center for International Affairs