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H.E. Abhisit Vejjajiva

Former Prime Minister, Kingdom of Thailand Leader, Democrat Party Thailand

Dear Khun Abhisit:

We, your family in the Council of Asian Liberals and Democrats (CALD), would like to extend our deepest sympathies to you, the party, and the Thai people on the demise of King Bhumibol Adulyadej, the beloved King of Thailand.

Truly, it is difficult to accept the passing of a graceful leader who served as one of the world's longest reigning monarch. He was a leader who captured the hearts of the people. We saw how the King helped the people and reached out to them throughout his 70-year reign. He built roads to provide comfort and convenience, he forged unity and peace with communist insurgents, and he provided guidance amidst divisions and conflicts in the country.

As the people mourn for the Majesty, we hope that the country would find comfort in being united and in working together to build the country back on its track and to allow a smooth transition towards a more stable and inclusive democracy.

On our part, we will strive hard to defend and strengthen democracy to honour the legacy of the King. We stand with the people of Thailand during this difficult time.

Sincerely yours,

Oyun Sanjaasuren, MP

Chairperson, Council of Asian Liberals and Democrats Co-Chairperson, Civil Will Green Party of Mongolia