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**H.E. M.R. Sukhumbhand Paribatra**

Governor of Bangkok

Thailand

Dear Gov. Sukhumbhand,

The Council of Asian Liberals and Democrats (CALD) would like to extend to you its sincerest congratulations for being elected Governor of Bangkok. Your victory is very much a victory for the growing liberal family as much as it is for the people of Bangkok.

We are proud of your achievements as an exceptional and honest public servant and trust that you will be able to put in place sound policies for good governance. We believe that as former chair of CALD, you will continue to be involved in carrying out CALD's mandate of fostering the growth of societies based on personal liberty, personal responsibility, social justice, the rule of law and free market economy.

We are optimistic that with your vision and dedication, the democratic values that CALD upholds will coincide with your vision for the future of Bangkok.

Once again, our very best wishes and felicitations. We look forward to seeing you again in future CALD events.

Sincerely yours,

**Dr. Neric Acosta**

Secretary-General and interim Executive Director  
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