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Hon. Riina Sikkut Minister Ministry of Health Republic of Estonia

Dear Riina,

It gives me great pleasure to inform Your Honorable that a series of medical training projects organized by "Taiwan International Health Training Center (TIHTC)" under the Ministry of Health and Welfare will take place from October to November physically in Taiwan this year.

TIHTC was established in 2002 with the aim of providing professional courses in health insurance, medical management, clinical medicine, public health and nursing for foreign experts in fields of medical and health care. TIHTC also integrates the top medical teams and resources in Taiwan and provides continuing professional development training for healthcare professionals around the world.

Renowned for its expertise in crafting training initiatives tailored to meet the needs of their trainees' career development, the Center has trained over 2,100 healthcare professionals from over 80 countries, and signed partnership agreements in international healthcare development with 44 medical institutions in 10 countries. Now it provides training to more than 100 international medicals, healthcare, and administration personnel per year.

The 2024 TIHTC training projects include "Emergency Care & Burn Injuries Management" that targets medical professionals who work in emergency medicine, burn care or plastic surgery department and "Healthcare Management & National Health Insurance" that targets healthcare professionals who carry administrative responsibilities in healthcare institutions as well as in government health agencies.

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As global medical training and emergency aid have become a trend in global healthcare system. The said projects are ideal platforms intended for introducing Taiwan's experience in emergency care, burn injuries management, healthcare management as well as national health insurance.

On behalf of Taiwan's Ministry of Health and Welfare, I am writing to invite senior officials of your great government involving social welfare, medical or emergency care to participate in the said projects that are promising for developing bilateral medical cooperation with your great country.

Enclosed please find more information of the projects for your kind reference. Application should be made directly through TIHTC website (OR code available in the attachment) in due course. Please do not hesitate to contact me at +371-2327-1829; email:hclee@mofa.gov.tw, or my colleague Louie Liu at +371-2916-7080; email: psliu@mofa.gov.tw, should you have any further inquiries.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to you the assurances of my highest consideration.

Sincerely yours,

Andrew H. C. Lee Representative

Encl.: a/s

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- 1. Mr. Mati Murd, Director, Asia and the Pacific Region, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Republic of Estonia
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