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The Office of the Prime Minister,  
Government House, Bangkok,  
**THAILAND.**

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Dear Mr. John-Mary Kauzya,

The Office of the Permanent Secretary, the Office of the Prime Minister, Thailand, in its mission to evaluate the performance of government agencies nationwide, has organized an annual award competition to select outstanding administrative organizations which exemplify high quality of public services, initiate local innovation, and demonstrate effective professional management.

I am honored to inform you that Maepruk Sub-district Administrative Organization, Chiangrai Province, Thailand, has received the Local Administrative Organization with Good Governance Award 2019 for its quick and timely response to the handling and preventing of bushfire through business management principles and impressive technological skills. As a result, over 300 hectares of forest land has been preserved and harmonious community living sustained.

In this regard, I would like Maepruk Sub-district Administrative Organization to be considered for the UNPSA 2021, fulfilling the criteria of an excellent local innovation for solving problems and meeting the people's needs in community development. Should further detailed information be required, please do not hesitate to contact the Office of the Decentralization to the Local Government Organization Committee via e-mail address: suchitra.a@opm.go.th.

Thank you for your kind consideration in supporting public service organizations to be a role model and gain international accepted standards.

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Permanent Secretary

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