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Dear Dr Kettemborough

THE DECREE OF EXCELLENCE

It goes without saying that you have been honoured by many organisations world-wide throughout your illustrious career. However, I often hear that an honour bestowed by the International Biographical Centre from its headquarters near to the world renowned University City of Cambridge has that extra degree of validity and universal worth.

It is my pleasure, therefore, to honour you with **The Decree of Excellence**. This accolade is bestowed on those individuals who have fulfilled a standard of merit in the eyes of their peers that is beyond the ordinary. As a symbol of personal achievement for the common good it is a lasting tribute to that which can be achieved by a very select few for the benefit of the many.

As a recipient of The Decree of Excellence, Dr Kettemborough, you are eligible for the magnificent plaque illustrated on the enclosed brochure. I am confident that this is one of the finest examples of the craftsman's art that has ever been produced in the long and illustrious career of the International Biographical Centre. To start with it measures an eye catching 16" x 11" and is printed in full colour on original cream parchment. The scrolling to the side compliments the wording with the liberal use of gold ink. Each plaque is, of course, personalised with your name, chosen citation as well as your country of origin or domicile. It bears a personal number and can, if you wish, be illustrated with your own photograph. It will be further personalised by being signed by no less than four Officers of the IBC, including myself and my resident Deputy. Each plaque will be offered under the hand and seal of the IBC and will be presented on a fine wooden base ready for instant wall hanging. Many hours of work will go into the preparation of each plaque and it will arrive with you in a stout carton for ultimate protection in the mail.

I can think of no better way to honour your achievements and I urge you to reply by the date shown or at your earliest convenience.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Nicholas S. Law Director General

P.S. What is more, once I have heard from you with your acceptance I will arrange to send you a Media Announcement that will enable you to notify Civil Leaders and local media of your Award from the IBC

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