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Thai Environmental Mutagen Society

As the vice-president of Thai Society of Toxicology (TST), and the president of Thai Environmental Mutagen Society (TEMS), it gives me much honor and pleasure to convey my hearty welcome to all distinguished speakers, guests and participants on coming to the 2nd National Conference in Toxicology at Miracle Grand Convention, Bangkok.

It is good news that many organizations expressed their passion to organize this 2nd NCT. Besides TST, the additional organizers include the Thai Society of Clinical Toxicology, TEMS, Department of Medical Science, Ministry of Public Health and Center of Research and Technology Development in Livestock Production, Faculty of Veterinary Science, Chulalongkorn University. The commitment of this annual meeting is to bring together the best minds and latest knowledge in various aspects of toxicology for achieving excellence in education and research of the country.

Environmental mutagens are known to be the genotoxic substances that can bring about the negative effects to human health, ecosystems and food chains. They therefore must be in a great concern to be avoided and protected. TEMS has been established in 1979 from the leading of Professor Dr. Sumin Samutakupta in gathering the members whom attended The 1st Southeast Asian Workshop on Detection of Environmental Mutagens, Carcinogens and Teratogens (EMCAT Workshop). The society has run a number of activities locally and internationally since then. Regarding to the mission and vision of the society for stronger operation, we proposed to jointly work with TST, TSCT especially in organizing the conference. TEMS is now a member of Asian Association of Environmental Mutagen Societies (AAEMS) and International Association of Environmental Mutagen Societies (IAEMS). From December 15 to 18 of next year, TEMS in cooperation with National Cancer Institute (NCI) and Faculty of Pharmacy, Mahidol University will organize The 2nd Asian Conference on Environmental Mutagens (ACEM) in Bangkok - Pattaya.

While joining the 2nd NCT, hope the experience from this Conference will bring you more brilliant ideas and result in more linkages with each others. Besides, will look forward enthusiastically to your participation and support to our conferences always. Thank you.

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President