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## **CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE**

## on the occasion of

## THE 9th INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE AND CELEBRATIONS of the UNITED NATIONS DAY OF VESAK 2012 / B.E. 2555

## Venerable Sangha Leaders Dear Friends in the Dhamma

We, the undersigned representatives of the Dhamma Society Sweden, are very honored and much obliged for having been invited to this important and most significant gathering on occasion of year 2012 Vesak Day. The theme for the 2012 celebrations – **Buddha's Enlightenment for the Well-Being of Humanity** – is indeed very appropriate more than ever now in this time of stress and tension in many parts of this our world.

The main task of the Dhamma Society Sweden is to propagate the word of Buddha through the introduction of the First World Pali Tipitaka in Roman Script to the Swedish society. We feel it is very important that the wisdom of Buddha be known in Sweden by more and more people to help and support our society to strive for a better world.

We are very pleased and proud that we have been given the opportunity of participating in the Celebrations and Conference. By means of the seminars and dialogues with other participants we hope that we may learn and bring back to our country some of the wisdom we will witness.

We wish also to take the opportunity of sending our deepest felt congratulations to Her Majesty the Queen and to His Royal Highness the Crown Prince in regard of their respective Birthday Anniversaries. May the Triple Gem bless Their Majesties.

Sincerely yours, in the Dhamma

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