

Within these activities, Thailand and Canada are entering into a new era of closer and mutually beneficial economic relations. With Thailand's impending new 5 year plan, and with Canada's search for fresh international initiatives, we have much to look forward to for the future success of our bilateral relations. I have come to know your country better through this visit and through meeting so many people who are interested in expanding connections with Canada, not only in the economic areas but in political, social and cultural spheres as well. Let me say clearly that this interest is totally reciprocated by the Government and people of Canada.