CONSULATE OF FINLAND 525 LAKE AVENUE SOUTH DULUTH, MINNESOTA 55802

TEL. (218) 727-8871

February 7, 1975

Secretary of State Room 180 State Office Building St. Paul, Minn. 55155 Attention Ms. C. Dion

Dear Ms. Dion:

Enclosed are the documents which you requested per telephone conversation of February 6, and February 7.

If there is any further question, please don't hesitate to write or call.

Sincerely,

Susan Haburt, Secretary to Donald G. Wirtanen, Consul

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The Ministry For Foreign Affairs

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The Republic of Finland

hereby makes known

that to promote the friendship and commercial relations existing between the Republic of Finland and the United States of America, it has been determined that it is good and desirable that Mr. Donald Glen Wirtanen should act as Consul of the Republic of Finland

in Duluth

and for that reason by virtue of authority vested in me by the Government of the Republic, I name and appoint him to that position. I ask that Consul Wirtanen in the country in which he is stationed be accorded credibility and good will, and that particularly the local Government officials accord him all the help which he requires in the performance of his official duties, and that they will accord him the privileges and courtesies which his official position calls for and which are accorded to the Consuls of other States.

Helsinki 30th day of May 1974

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Dear Mr. Wirtanen,

I have the pleasure to inform you that the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Finland has appointed you as Honorary Consul of Finland at Duluth, Minnesota.

In order to obtain official recognition of your appointment through the Department of State, kindly fill in the enclosed Notification of Status forms in triplicate and return them together with three photographs to the Embassy at your earliest convenience.

I am pleased to avail myself of this opportunity to congratulate you on your appointment.

Sincerely yours,

Arto Tanner Chargé d'Affaires, a.i.

Mr. Donald G. Wirtanen President 525 Lake Avenue South Duluth, Minnesota 55802

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September 12, 1974

Dear Mr. Wirtanen,

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Referring to the Embassy's previous letter of July 19, 1974, I am pleased to inform you that by the note of the Department of State dated September 5, 1974, official recognition has been accorded you in your consular capacity as Honorary Consul of Finland at Duluth, Minnesota, for the State of Minnesota, as of May 30, 1974.

I wish to congratulate you on my behalf and I look forward to a pleasant and prosperious co-operation between this Embassy and your Consulate.

Your Certificate of Appointment is being sent to you under separate cover.

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Q nen Leo Tuominen

Leo Tuominen Ambassador

Mr. Donald Glen Wirtanen Consul of Finland 525 Lake Avenue South Duluth, Minnesota

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ja senvacksi. Tasavallan Hallituksen minulle antaman valtauden nojalla, numlän ja määrään hänet lähän toimeen Minä pyydän, että konsuli **Wirloselle** eleskelumaassa esoitellaisien luollamusta ja suopeulta ja että erittäinkin paikalliset virunemaiset tarjoisevat hänelle kaikkea sitä apua, jota hän virantoimitaksessaan voi tarvita, sekä seisivat hänelle ne etuadet ja oikeadet, joita hänen virka-asemansa adellyttää ja jotka muiden Tallioiden konsuleille on myönnetty.

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