New Zealand Historic Places Trust Pouhere Taonga

Patron: His Excellency The Hon Anand Satyanand, PCNZM Governor General of New Zealand



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## TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I am writing to support the Christchurch Heritage Awards Charitable Trust in their application for funding and sponsorship for the inaugural awards to be held in Christchurch in October 2010.

The champion of these Awards, Anna Crighton, is personally known to me through our association as members of the New Zealand Historic Places Trust Board. I recommend her as being reliable, conscientious and committed to all forms of heritage retention, protection, conservation, education and promotion. Her role in the Awards will ensure that they will be successful and provide an innovative approach of presenting the importance of heritage to the general public.

I would recommend this event as being well worth supporting and request that you look favourably upon it. Should you wish to contact me further, please do so. My contact details are:

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Yours sincerely

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