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Invitation to represent Sri Lanka at the Botanical Art Worldwide 2025 India exhibition

Dear Maria,

I am pleased to inform you that India will be participating in the global exhibition, Botanical Art Worldwide 2025 (BAWW 2025). Over thirty countries are expected to be a part of BAWW 2025, and our inclusion will be India's first country-level participation in a global contemporary botanical art event!

BAWW is an initiative by the American Society of Botanical Art (ASBA) to build partnerships and associations between artists, institutions, scientists, and the public across the world and to raise awareness about botanical art.

I am writing on behalf of the Agri Horticultural Society of Western India, which oversees the Empress Garden in Pune, a botanical garden where the exhibition is to take place. I would like to extend an invitation to you to represent Sri Lanka at BOTANICAL ART WORLDWIDE 2025 INDIA. The exhibition will be held from 17-24 May, 2025, at the Rupa Rahul Bajaj Centre for Environment & Art, which is situated within the Empress Garden Pune.

The theme of this exhibition is Crop Diversity. BAWW has decided that "the second Botanical Art Worldwide Project will focus on and celebrate biodiversity in the crops that have been closely associated with the human species over thousands of years."

We believe your botanical art will greatly contribute to the success of this prestigious event. Your participation will not only showcase the rich botanical heritage of Sri Lanka but also strengthen the global connections within the botanical art community.

We would be honoured to have you represent Sri Lanka at BAWW 2025 and look forward to your positive response. Please let us know if you have any questions or require further information.

Thank you for considering our invitation.

Warm regards,

Mrs. Anupama Barwe

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