



Interior Health

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National Assembly Square 2
1169 Sofia
Republic of BULGARIA

Your Excellency President Rosen Asenov Plevneliev
And
The Right Honourable Prime Minister Boyko Borissov

Dear Sirs,

My name is David Kermociev and I am writing from Canada where I work as a public servant for Her Majesty's British Columbia government in the capacity of clinician within a public health authority.

My wife and I were vacationing in the Varna, Black Sea area of your great country after visiting relatives in the Blagoevgrad City area.

It was on either September 2nd or September 3rd, 2015 while on the beach in Varna, that my wife and I witnessed an older gentleman in obvious distress, having swum too far out in the rather dangerous waters that day on the Black Sea.

Without hesitation two male life guards: Yanko Hristov and Christian Hristov swam out to rescue this man and helped navigate him safely to shore. Without the assistance of these two brave young men, I am convinced this man would have perished.

As a former retired member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, I recognize that the two life guards were doing their job; but I also recognize their bravery and quick response and the potential risk to their own lives.

I wanted to bring this heroic action of these two gentlemen to your attention.

I did ask for both their mailing addresses which they provided.

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Respectfully yours,

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