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To Whom It May Concern

**LETTER OF COMMENDATION – MR. R. A. K. SHAKYA RANATUNGA**

This is to testify with huge appreciation that Mr. Ranatunga Arachchige Kaushika Shakya Ranatunga (Sri Lanka Passport No. N 7323037) of No.19/12, 1<sup>st</sup> Lane, Old Road Nawala, Sri Lanka manufactured a Drone under the approval of this Authority issued on the 01<sup>st</sup> October 2018, which was physically inspected by a Panel of Experts of this Authority through a demonstration to the satisfaction of the Panel and accordingly registered under Reg. No. CAASL/DR/0613.

This Drone was approved for Educational & Research Purposes only, without any Data Capturing Capability and with a Flying Range upto 300m height, at a speed of 70 km/h and an Endurance of 3 to 4 minutes.

Being a student of Colombo International College, Sri Lanka, as per our records at this Authority, Shakya has created history to become the very first student in the country to have completed the manufacturing of a Drone upto obtaining the successful Registration by Civil Aviation Authority of Sri Lanka.

It is our great pleasure to learn that Shakya is keen on an undertaking to read for a Degree in UK in the sphere of Engineering related to Aviation such as Aerospace, Aeronautical and/or Aircraft Design/Manufacturing/Maintenance and take this opportunity to wish him well to be highly successful in his higher studies in this field wherein he has already shown a promising potential.

Wishing all success in Shakya's future endeavors in the field of Aviation.

*[This letter was issued at the request made by Mr. R. A. K. Shakya Ranatunga]*

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