

## IODE Canada By Teleconference

22 May 2020

To: Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTY:

The members of The National Chapter of Canada IODE, assembled for the 120<sup>th</sup> National Annual Meeting by teleconference due to the coronavirus 19 pandemic, wish to affirm their continuing and loyal devotion to you, our most gracious Majesty and Patron.

During these unprecedented times as a result of the Covid 19 pandemic, we appreciate your inspirational messages of support and encouragement as we continue our volunteer activities. Across Canada, our members are providing support to essential front-line workers, sewing non-medical facemasks and scrub caps, assisting food banks and caring for those isolated by the pandemic.

IODE members applaud the ongoing efforts of members of the Royal Family made through social media to maintain your connection to your charities. The special broadcast of your coronavirus speech on 05 April in which you addressed the nation and the Commonwealth was both encouraging and motivating.

We extend our sincere greetings to His Royal Highness, Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh.

Our sincere good wishes are extended to all members of the Royal Family. We extend our congratulations to Her Royal Highness Princess Beatrice of York on her upcoming marriage to Mr. Edoardo Mapelli Mozzi.

Your Majesty, as your loyal subjects, we congratulate you on your legacy of your 68-year reign and wish you life's blessing of peace, good health and happiness as you continue as our reigning Monarch.