

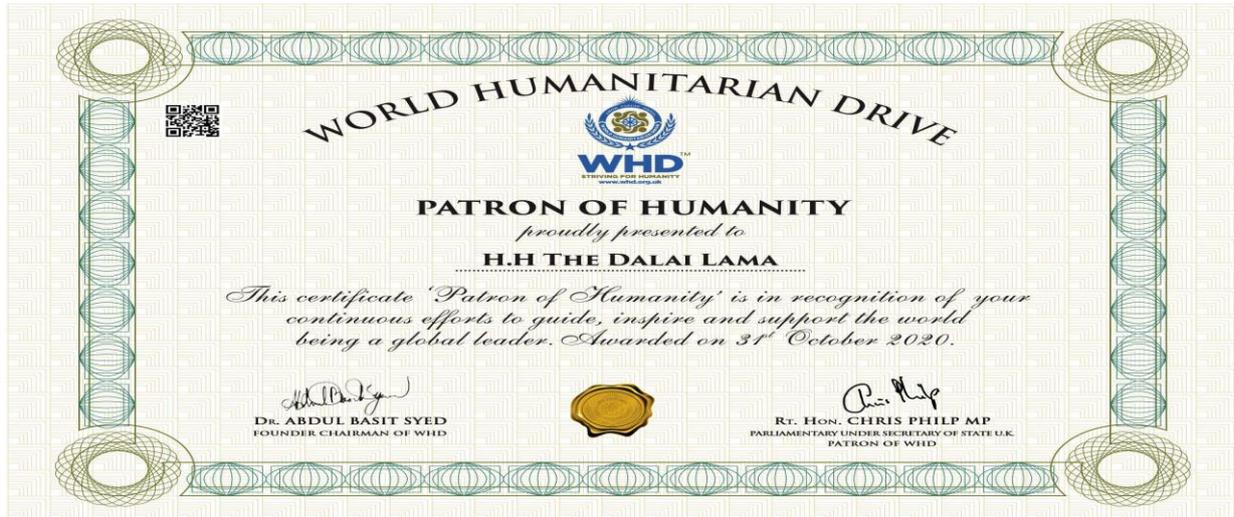
## Press Release

**His Holiness The 14<sup>th</sup> Dalai Lama**, the highest spiritual leader of **Tibet**, considered a living buddha receives the Title of Honour “**Patron of Humanity**” award presented by “**World Humanitarian Drive (WHD)**” a partnership organisation of “**Faiths Together in Croydon**”.

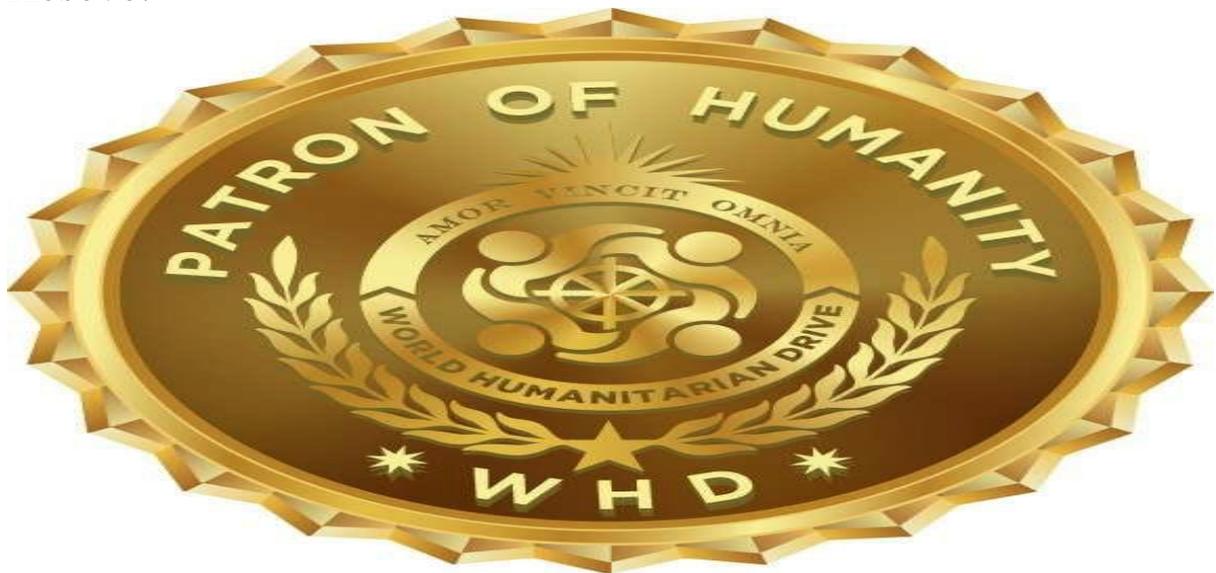
WHD is an International NGO with a vision to promote Peace, Education and Trade Harmony in world.



WHD Board of Directors unanimously announced and presented this honour for **His Holiness**'s lifetime achievements in serving humanity and in acknowledgement of **His Holiness** humanitarian service to mankind by contributing for harmonious solutions in trying to help individuals achieve peace of mind.



"**Patron of Humanity**" is the highest title, awarded by WHD in recognition for humanitarian services rendered to guide, support and inspire as a global leader. This is the most prestigious award globally in the humanitarian field and so far presented only to current or former Head of State by WHD. Previous recipients of this Title include **HE Anthony Thomas Aquinas Carmona SC ORTT** - 5th President of Trinidad & Tobago; **HE Madhav Kumar Nepal** - 34th Prime Minister of Nepal; **HE Fatmir Sejdiu**, 1st President of Kosovo.



The Founder Chairman of WHD, Dr. Abdul Basit Syed, stated “We are humbled and honoured to be presenting this prestigious title to **His Holiness** which will surely boost up the morale wellbeing and spread

positivity to all world leaders to work for peace by strengthening cooperation and stability in this world.”