Dear Zonal Chairs, Om Sri Sai Ram.

Please circulate this letter to the Central Coordinators, Deputy Central Coordinators and all officers, members of the Sathya Sai International Sai Organization including the Sathya Sai Centers and groups.

Dear sisters and brothers,

Greetings of Loving Sai Ram to all of you from Prashanthi Nilayam.

We witnessed the glorious 87<sup>th</sup> birthday celebrations of our loving Lord Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba in Prashanthi Nilayam. Devotees from around the world participated in the festivities and experienced the Divine presence.

I would like to share an important announcement with all of you.

During the meeting of the directors of the Sri Sathya Sai World Foundation on 24<sup>th</sup> November 2012 in Prashanthi Nilayam, Mr. Gary Belz was appointed as Chairman of the Sri Sathya Sai World Foundation effective 24<sup>th</sup> November 2012 by the unanimous decision of the directors of the Sri Sathya Sai World Foundation. He serves as a Director of the Sri Sathya Sai World Foundation and served as secretary of the Sri Sathya Sai World Foundation. Mr. Gary Belz owns and operates recording studios in Nashville, Memphis and Los Angeles. He has served on many boards including the Board of Regents of Columbia College of Chicago, Convention and Visitors Bureau of Memphis and several music industry associations. He was a founding member of the Clinton Global Initiative and was on the White House task Force for South Asia during the Clinton years. He has been an ardent devotee of Swami for more than two decades and has been a member of the USA Council of Sri Sathya Sai Organization. We pray to Swami to shower His choicest Blessings on Mr Gary Belz and give him guidance and strength to discharge his new responsibilities for the highest good.

Dr. Michael Goldstein, our past chairman of the Sri Sathya Sai World Foundation, has carried out his extensive duties over many years with an intense dedication to please our Lord Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba. Dr. Goldstein remains an inspiration to devotees for his one-pointed focus on Swami. We thank him for all those years he was available to devotees around the world to help and guide them on many policies of the Sathya Sai International Organisation. We all remember his intense love, dedication and devotion to Swami and His mission. We look forward to being the beneficiaries of his ongoing advice, insight and wisdom.

Let us resolve to move forward in His Divine Mission and work in unity with love and harmony. Let us practise His message of love all and serve all in our daily life and reach the summum bonum of our life.

Jai Sai Ram.
With loving regards,
Dr. Narendranath Reddy
Chairman, Prasanthi Council
Director, Sri Sathya Sai World Foundation