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Dear Paulo W Kundig

Thank you for your letter dated 24 April 2012, on behalf of

I have given careful consideration to your representations. I am granting Mr and Mrs residence as an exception to immigration instructions, subject to Mr meeting all requirements under the Skilled Migrant Category (SMC) except for the requirement to be no older than 55 years of age. Mrs , as a non-principal applicant in an SMC application, will also need to meet all applicable requirements, including those for health and character.

Mr should lodge a paper-based, residence application with a branch of Immigration New Zealand within four months of the date of this letter with all the information and documentation that would be required if he had been invited to apply for residence under the SMC. He should provide a copy of this letter with his application. He must pay the SMC fee and if his application is approved in principle. Mr and Mrs must also pay a sum equivalent to the migrant levy for an SMC application.

They may gain access to the form by going to the following web page:  
<http://www.immigration.govt.nz/smcapplicationform>

I cannot guarantee the outcome of Mr and Mrs 's application for residence.

Yours sincerely

Hon Kate Wilkinson  
Associate Minister of Immigration

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