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A message from the Head of Corps to former serving members.

I write to former serving members of the Corps at an important time in our history. Ongoing conflict in Ukraine and the Middle-East, and great power competition in the Indo-Pacific are reminders of the need for our serving members to adapt to new challenges.

Many of you would be aware of the significant change outlined in *National Defence: Defence Strategic Review 2023*. The shift from a balanced force to a focused force is driving significant change in the Department, Army and our Corps. I recently wrote to our serving personnel reminding them that our people have always been embracers of change.

Our success will be measured by how well we can adapt to meet future requirements. I asked our serving personnel to remember the importance of learning from history and encouraged engagement with the broader Signals community, especially those who have served before us. We have an opportunity to learn from your experiences.

As we prepare to mark the Corps' centenary in 2025, we have an opportunity to celebrate the Corps' achievements while fostering our community. Plans for national centenary events are well advanced and regional and unit activities are progressing. Concepts for a Corps sculpture and painting are well developed, and the refurbishment of the Corps Museum and associated displays are progressing well thanks to many volunteers and the support of the Army History Unit. We continue to seek photographs, stories and artefacts to capture our contemporary history. I call on anyone interested in supporting this work to engage through local units, the Corps Museum, RASigs Associations and the Certa Cito Foundation.

While the year ahead for serving personnel will be focused on preparedness and implementing the Defence Strategic Review changes, it is also a year where we will all work together to prepare for our centenary. The contributions made to the Corps by all who have served over almost a century are important to recognise. I seek your involvement in any capacity in the preparation for our 100th year. Wherever you may live, there is an opportunity for you to contribute.

I look forward to working with you all in preparation for Certa Cito 100!


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