[2017 Spring Conferment of Decorations on Foreign Nationals]

The Government of Japan announced on 29 April that an Auckland-based New Zealand citizen has been awarded an honor in the 2017 Spring Conferment of Decorations on Foreign Nationals. The details of the recipient are as follow:

Mr. Brian M. Martin

Former Chairman, Japan New Zealand Business Council

Mr. Brian M. Martin has been awarded "The Order of the Rising Sun, Gold Rays with Neck Ribbon" for his invaluable contribution to strengthening economic relations and promoting mutual understanding between Japan and New Zealand.