Dear Military Medical Science Letters readers,

For the last 7 years I have served as an editor of our journal - Military Medical Science Letters (MMSL, formerly Vojenske Zdravotnicke Listy). This journal is a unique open access periodical which covers all aspects of military health research. For years, lots of Czech scientists and also foreigners have published numerous original or review articles in our journal. All published articles were well reader-accepted and several of them have already been cited on Web of Knowledge. Therefore I dare assume thatour journal has attracted attention of many scientists from the community of military health world-wide.

It is the end of year 2016. In the course of this year, a lot has occurred in my professional life. I have become the rector of the University of Hradec Kralove. This position is connected with many responsibilities, so that I have to give up on several of my commitments. Based on this new appointment of mine, I am not able to serve as Editorin-Chief of our journal anymore and due to that, as of this issue, I am quitting my function as MMSL Editor-in-Chief.

I am going to remain in contact with the new editor and editorial board members to help with the improvement of the journal's quality. Personally as a scientist, I will for sure submit new manuscripts to this journal as well.

I thank you for the opportunity to be a member of MMSL family.

And I wish all the best to MMSL in the future!

Prof. Ing. Kamil Kuca, Ph.D.

