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TIBETAN PARLIAMENT-IN-EXILE

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His Excellency Justin Trudeau
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Your Excellency,

On behalf of all the Tibetans in and outside of Tibet, the 16th Tibetan Parliament-in-Exile would like to sincerely congratulate your excellency on being elected as the Prime Minister of Canada for the second term.

Canada is a country defined and celebrated for its pluralism and most importantly, it has been a pivotal country of compassion for helping refugees all over the world and thus has been a great exemplary to the other countries.

We are genuinely grateful to the government and the people of Canada for the Tibetan Resettlement Project in early 1970s and 2007 by granting permanent resident status to needy Tibetans in exile. Beside that, we are also thankful to Canadian Parliamentary Group for Tibet for co-hosting 6th World Parliamentarians' Convention on Tibet along with Tibetan Parliament-in-Exile in Ottawa in 2012 and bringing Tibetan issue forefront on the world's platform.

Specially, we are honoured to the government and the people of Canada for presenting His Holiness the 14th Dalai Lama with Honorary Canadian Citizenship in 2006 and welcoming His Holiness to Canada several times. Moreover, we are gratified that His Holiness the Dalai Lama had an interaction with the then Prime Ministers and other dignitaries of Canada.

Therefore, over the years, Canada has constantly supported the cause of Tibet and hence, we remain indebted to you and your people.

We wish you success in your future endeavours and hope the support from both your government and the people to Tibetan cause will continue under your leadership.

Yours sincerely


Acharya Yeshe Phuntsok
Deputy Speaker
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