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From: Nasser Kazeminy
Sent: Friday, August 28, 2020 5:19 PM
To: GOTO MIDORI – Cultural Affairs Specialist
Subject: Re: Best wishes for His Excellency's health and future

Your Excellency,

The news of your health issues and your decision to resign from your role as Prime Minister of Japan was immensely saddening. This will surely be an enormous blow to the Japanese people, but one for which you have prepared them during your historic 8-year tenure as Prime Minister. You are an icon of Japanese strength and success, and your fellow citizens will soldier on under your impressive example. I wish you peace and recovery during this period as your health and well-being are of the highest importance.

You have made such incredible progress in your time as Prime Minister. Your contributions and leadership extend far beyond the shores of Japan and have influenced the entire world. Few men share your level of sacrifice or have achieved the significant impact you have had on the world. History will remember you as a true leader and humanitarian.

I'm delighted we had the chance to honor you last September in New York City with our Ellis Island Medals of Honor Global Humanitarian Medal. You are worthy of our esteem and will remain an example of selflessness to which the rest of us may aspire. You are in my thoughts and I wish for your swift return to good health.

Sincerely,



From: GOTO MIDORI
Date: September 4, 2020 at 4:25:28 PM EDT
To: Nasser Kazeminy
Subject: RE: Best wishes for His Excellency's health and future

Dear Mr. Kazeminy,

First of all, I would like to apologize for the late response. Because of the security, we cannot access this account from outside of the office so could not get back to you earlier.

We appreciate your kind concern towards Prime Minister Abe of Japan. We will forward your letter to the Prime Minister Office.

Thank you again for your warm concern.
Please take care of yourself.

Sincerely,
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