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Excellency,

Thank you for your expression of condolences at the tragic loss of life following the devastating earthquake which struck Haiti on 12 January 2010. Your kind words are a source of great comfort at this difficult time.

As the United Nations family mourns its losses, we also remain committed to our mission in Haiti and to the recovery and reconstruction of the country. In that regard, the conclusions of the extraordinary meeting of the Foreign Affairs Council held on 18 January 2010, including its strong support for the central and overall coordinating role of the United Nations in the international relief effort, are most welcome.

Thank you again for your solidarity and support.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

  
Vijay Nambiar  
Chef de Cabinet

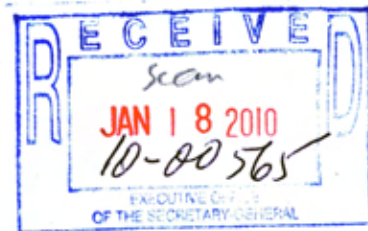
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New York, January 18, 2010

Excellency,

I was shocked and saddened at the news of how the catastrophic earthquake in Port of Prince impacted on the United Nations, and extends my own and my Government's heartfelt condolences at such an extensive loss of lives in the Organization's personnel.

We offer our solidarity not only to the people and Government of Haiti, but also to the Secretary-General for what is surely a very difficult personal moment for him.

Please accept, Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration and esteem.

  
Gert Rosenthal  
Permanent Representative



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