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MESSAGE OF H.E. NGOLE PHILIP NGWESE TO THE CAMEROONIAN COMMUNITY IN CANADA

Dear compatriots, Members of the Cameroonian Community in Canada,

I am particularly pleased to announce, while waiting the presentation of my Letter of credence and the Letter of recall of my predecessor in the days ahead to *Her Excellency the Right Honourable Mary J. May Simon, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Canada*, that I am now among you, by decision of His *Excellency Paul BIYA, President of the Republic of Cameroon,* who has done me the great honour of entrusting me with the duty of representing him in this friendly country.

As you know, the **Head of State** pays particular attention to the Cameroonian diaspora throughout the world, and in this regard is pursuing an all-out policy aimed at giving it its rightful place and closely involving it in the development efforts of our beloved and beautiful country.

I therefore humbly come to you as a servant of the State, to contribute to the strengthening of the excellent relations that exist between Cameroon and Canada.

I also come to you as a servant of the large Cameroonian community established in Canada, in a spirit of openness, of dialogue, respectful of the differences and divergences of opinion, but concerned above all to preserve a high image of Cameroon, in respect of the intangible principles of peace and unity which constitute, among many others, the cornerstone of our national life.

I look forward to working with you in this spirit!

I would like to salute the well-known dynamism of the Cameroonian community in Canada, while urging it to continue to honour our country, by observing Canadian laws.

I send you my warmest greetings!

