



Your Excellency, Madam the Ambassadors of New Zealand in France,

Following the islamophobic terrorist attacks that occurred in two mosques in Christchurch on March 15th in which fifty of your compatriots died, we are deeply devastated and would like to offer our condolences to you and to the people of New Zealand.

We firmly condemn those barbarous terrorist attacks that have targeted believers who were freely living their faith and whose religious liberty is wonderfully guaranteed by your country.

We are all the more shaken by these attacks as the terrorist became more radical after he visited our country, France. Obviously, he was inspired by the speeches of French ideologues and some media that have spread an anti Muslim ideology leading to deadly thoughts.

We sincerely ask you on behalf of the people that have cried for such tragic events, to convey our compassion and deep solidarity to the victims' families and to the entire population of New Zealand.

Despite facing the horrors of terrorism and the crude display of violence, New Zealand has shown an admirable sense of unity and gave the rest of the world a lesson on human leadership through your Prime Minister.

Yours sincerely.

CRI, Coordination contre le Racisme et l'Islamophobie.
(Coordination against Racism and Islamophobia)

CJL, Comité Justice & Libertés Pour Tous
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