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## Letter of Solidarity

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*Dear Friends, Brothers and Sisters,*

In the past few weeks we were shocked to learn that your country was severely hit by disasters: draught, typhoon and a severe earthquake has come to shatter your homeland. Our thoughts go out to you, to all your members who have harsh time rebuilding their workplaces, their homes: their entire life.

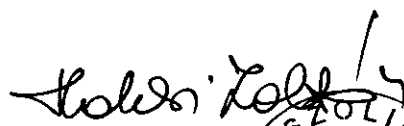
For my part I am very sorry for what happened to you, yet I feel honored to forward the decision of the executive board of VDSzSz Solidarity: our union granted 2 million Yens to JREU.

Of course we are all aware of the shortcomings of a move like this: it is merely a symbolic gesture as you are in far greater need of busy hands to give support to your members, comrades, fellow citizens, to the wounded and the families in great need.

Nevertheless solidarity remains the most important notion when it comes to trade unions. You showed us the right way. It was your union, the JREU that gave us support in the 90s. That meant life: we could survive. We are and will be forever grateful for your friendship.

From our point of view we see a bridge solid as rock stretching between our unions. I am sure this bridge looks the same from Japan.

In solidarity,

  
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president  
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