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## **Japan Congratulates Prime Minister Oli**

Rt. Hon'ble Mr. Shinzo Abe, Prime Minister of Japan extended his heartfelt congratulations to Rt. Hon'ble Mr. K.P. Sharma Oli on his assumption of the office as the Prime Minister of the Federal Democratic Republic of Nepal.

In his message, Prime Minister Abe mentioned that Nepal is making a solid progress toward consolidating democracy following the first elections of the Federal Parliament and Provincial Assemblies held last December and this February under the new constitution and he sincerely hoped that the political process will proceed smoothly under Mr. Oli's strong leadership as the first Prime Minister in the new federal government. PM Abe further assured that Japan will continue support Nepal's efforts to consolidate democracy and to "Build Back Better" from the earthquake disaster.

Prime Minister Abe also delivered his message that he looks forward to actively cooperating with Mr. Oli to further develop the cordial relations between the two countries.

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