

PRESIDENT REPUBLIC OF SINGAPORE

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H.E. Nguyen Minh Triet
President
Socialist Republic of Vietnam

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I am deeply saddened to hear about the widespread destruction and loss of lives caused by Tropical Storm Kammuri in many provinces in northern Vietnam.

I am confident that your Government will be able to mobilize all resources to quickly bring relief to those who are suffering in the aftermath of Kammuri and pursue such reconstruction efforts as the situation calls for. Our thoughts are with your people who have been affected by this natural calamity during this very difficult period of their lives.

On behalf of the people of Singapore, I would like to express our deepest sympathies to the people of Vietnam who are affected by Kammuri. We hope that all your efforts will successfully enable them to recover from this calamity soon.

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Yours Smalely