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Dear President-Elect Tharman Shanmugaratnam,

On behalf of the Singapore Ceylon-Tamils' Association, it is with immense pride and joy that we extend our heartfelt congratulations to you on your historic victory in the Singapore Presidential Elections 2023. Your triumph is a momentous occasion, not only for you personally but also for our entire community and the nation as a whole.

Throughout your distinguished political career, which spans several decades, you have consistently exhibited a profound understanding of the issues that matter most to our society. Your tenure as Deputy Prime Minister, among other roles, has showcased your exceptional leadership skills and your ability to formulate sound economic policies and social initiatives that benefit all Singaporeans.

One of the most admirable qualities we have observed in you is your capacity to bring people together and foster unity among diverse communities. Your reputation as a unifying figure resonates deeply with our association's values of inclusivity and harmony. Your leadership style, characterized by empathy and a commitment to justice, has earned you the respect and admiration of citizens from all walks of life.

As you prepare to assume the responsibilities of the presidency, we have every confidence that you will continue to champion the principles of integrity, compassion, and social justice that have been the cornerstone of your career. Your vision for Singapore, one marked by progress, prosperity, and unity, aligns perfectly with the aspirations of our community and the nation at large. Your dedication to public service and your unwavering commitment to our citizens make you an exemplary leader, and we are confident that you will serve our nation with honour, dignity, and vision. Your election as the first President of Ceylon Tamil descent is a source of great inspiration to us all.

Once again, we extend our warmest congratulations to you. May your presidency be marked by prosperity, peace, and progress for our beloved Singapore.

From the Management Committees of:

- -Singapore Ceylon-Tamils' Association
- -Sri Senpaga Vinayagar Temple