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**THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF NIGERIA COMMISERATES WITH  
JAPAN OVER THE TRAGIC DEATH OF H.E. SHINZO ABE  
ON 8TH JULY, 2022.**

The Federal Government of Nigeria is saddened by the tragic death of His Excellency, Shinzo Abe, former Prime Minister of Japan on 8th July, 2022 and expresses sincere condolences to the family and Government of Japan over the loss of an illustrious leader and statesman.

The late Shinzō Abe will be remembered as a substantial and influential figure who engaged enthusiastically with fellow leaders from around the globe to promote economic cooperation and development.

*Signed*

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