

*Prime Minister
Singapore*

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Dear *Prime Minister*,

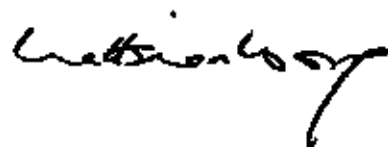
I was shocked and deeply saddened to learn of the great loss of lives and extensive damage suffered by the Myanmar people after Cyclone Nargis hit your country last Saturday.

On behalf of the Government and people of Singapore, I would like to extend our condolences to the families and friends of the victims, with the hope that they will find the strength to recover from their grief and loss.

I wish to inform Your Excellency that Singapore will contribute a US\$200,000 humanitarian assistance package to help the people of Myanmar tide over this difficult period. My Ambassador in Yangon will liaise with Myanmar officials on the handing over of this relief package. Singapore is also ready to despatch Disaster Assistance Rescue Teams (DART) and medical doctors if Myanmar thinks that they will be useful to your recovery and relief efforts.

Please accept, once again, our heartfelt sympathies on this tragic event.

Yours *sincerely*



His Excellency General Thein Sein
Prime Minister
Union of Myanmar