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On the occasion of the 15th anniversary of China-ASEAN strategic partnership, I wish to extend to you my warm congratulations and best wishes.

Since the establishment of China-ASEAN strategic partnership, our cooperation has deepened in the political, business and social areas. China-ASEAN ties have gone beyond the bilateral dimension and taken on regional and global significance, representing the most successful and dynamic example in Asia-Pacific regional cooperation.

As we mark the 15th anniversary of the strategic partnership, I would like to work with you to earnestly implement the important consensus reached between our leaders, take our relations to a new high with new breakthroughs, and build an even stronger China-ASEAN community with a shared future.

Long live China-ASEAN friendship!

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