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Dear Prime Minister,

I was shocked to learn that the devastating floods have caused extensive damage to life and property in the state of Uttarakhand and other states in northern India. On behalf of the Government of Japan, I would like to express my heartfelt condolences to the victims and their bereaved families.

The Government of Japan decided to extend emergency grant aid of two hundred thousand US dollars through the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies today in order to help the people of India in overcoming this difficult period.

I sincerely wish the earliest possible recovery of the affected region.

Sincerely yours,

/s/

Shinzo Abe  
Prime Minister of Japan

His Excellency Dr. Manmohan Singh  
Prime Minister of India