Resolution Condemning the Inappropriate X Post by Xue Jian, Chinese Consul-General in Osaka

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On 8 November 2025, Xue Jian, Consul General of the People's Republic of China in Osaka, posted an extremely inappropriate comment on his X account that gravely lacks the dignity expected of a diplomat, citing media reports on Prime Minister Sanae Takaichi's Diet response regarding Taiwan contingency and survival-threatening situations. The comment stated: "That filthy neck that barged in on its own- I've got no choice but to cut it off without a moment's hesitation. Are you prepared for that?" Subsequently, he made further inappropriate posts related to this matter, including references to "the path to death chosen by certain dim-witted politicians," some of which remain un-deleted at this time.

This Consul General has repeatedly made inappropriate statements, including interfering in Japan's domestic affairs.

During the recent APEC Summit in South Korea, the first Japan-China summit meeting between Prime Minister Takaichi and President Xi Jinping was held. This reaffirmed the broad direction for Japan-China relations: comprehensively promoting a "Mutually Beneficial Relationship Based on Common Strategic Interests" and building "constructive and stable Japan-China relations." It also confirmed the importance of dialogue between the leaders themselves, and of multilayered communication across a wide range of fields between Japan and China.

That such statements were made immediately afterwards constitutes an insult not only to the Prime Minister of Japan, the head of the Cabinet and the President of the Liberal Democratic Party, but also to Japan and its people, and severely damages Japan-China relations. The Liberal

Democratic Party cannot possibly overlook this. We lodge the strongest protest with the Chinese government and strongly urge the Chinese side to take appropriate action of its own accord to resolve the issue and make efforts to advance Japan-China relations.

Should such efforts not be made, the Liberal Democratic Party will strongly urge the Japanese Government to take appropriate and resolute measures, including declaring the Consul General persona non grata in accordance with relevant international law.