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**Central Committee
Communist Party of Brazil**

Dear Comrades,

15th National Congress

The Central Committee of the Communist Party of Sri Lanka, with profound feelings of fraternity and solidarity sends its warmest revolutionary greetings to the 15th National Congress of the Communist Party of Brazil (CPB).

We are fully conscious of the most extraordinary conditions under which the 15th National Congress of CPB is being held.

The COVID – 19 pandemic emerged with the dawn of year 2020, at a time when neo-liberalism has run into crisis. So, the ongoing economic crisis was deepened, bringing misery to the people with increased poverty and unemployment. The ongoing crisis is escalating far beyond Global Financial crisis of 2008 and even great desperation of 1928-33. It is not a general crisis, but a structural crisis of imperialism.

Against the background of the structural crisis of capitalism, the international situation remains characterized by great instability and uncertainty. The main feature of the situation are signs of deterioration in the economic and financial situation and 'announcements' of a new peak of crisis, used as a pretext for the intensification of a policy of exploitation and attack on fundamental democratic rights.

The international situation is one of aggravation and expansion of disputes, tensions and confrontations under the responsibility of the USA, which tries in every way to prevent other countries from sovereignly and freely choosing the path of cooperation, peace, economic development and social progress. The situation in several countries and regions in the world is worsening as a result of imperialism's offensive that continues and intensifies its policy of interference, aggression and promotion of "Regime Change" operations in dangerous actions.

The main characteristics of the troubled transition underway are the relative decline of the US superpower and the emergence of new poles of economic, political, diplomatic and military power. The phenomenon that is most representative of this trend is the prominence of socialist China as a power, and the recovery of Russia's national power. The increasingly closer comprehensively strategic partnership between China and Russia has become a factor of peace and stability in the world.

The Communist Party of Sri Lanka is aware of the ongoing COVID-19 situation in Brazil and resulted socio-economic situation. We are confident that your deliberations at the 15th National Congress will provide you with the opportunity to evaluate the situation and map out an appropriate strategy to face up to the impending challenges.

The Communist Party of Sri Lanka wishes great successes to the 15th National Congress of Communist Party of Brazil.

We, the Communist Party of Sri Lanka once again express our Fraternal and Revolutionary greetings to your Congress.

Long live the Communist Party of Brazil!

Long live the International Communist Movement!

With Revolutionary Greetings,



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