Pakistan - Main Messages

- CANADA IS PLEASED TO COMMEMORATE PAKISTAN'S 50TH
 ANNIVERSARY OF INDEPENDENCE WITH THIS FIRST VISIT OF A
 CANADIAN HEAD OF STATE.
- CANADA WELCOMES ITS RENEWED AND GROWING PARTNERSHIP WITH PAKISTAN, WHICH WAS BORNE OUT OF THE 1996 TEAM CANADA MISSION.
- OUR STRONG GOVERNMENT-TO-GOVERNMENT TIES, OUR INCREASED
 TRADE RELATIONS, AND CANADA'S VIBRANT PAKISTANI-CANADIAN
 COMMUNITY PROMISE EVEN GREATER COOPERATION AT THE
 BILATERAL AND MULTILATERAL LEVELS.
- CANADA RECOGNIZES THAT STIMULATING BILATERAL TRADE AND INVESTMENT IS ONE OF THE BEST WAYS TO CONTRIBUTE TO BUILDING PAKISTAN'S INFRASTRUCTURE AND TO SUPPORT THE CREATION OF JOBS AND PROSPERITY IN BOTH OUR COUNTRIES.