

Statement of the Rio Group in Solidarity with Myanmar

Mexico City, May 8th, 2008.

The governments of the Rio Group member States join the international community in its condolences and expressions of solidarity with the people of Myanmar due to the thousands of dead, disappeared and displaced people, aside from the significant material damages, caused by typhoon Nargis, which hit the southern part of that country on Saturday, May 3rd.

The member countries of the Rio Group lament with grief the grave consequences produced by this natural disaster.

The Rio Group expresses, lastly, its wishes that Myanmar achieves a quick recovery from this emergency.

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