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His Majesty King Harald V of Norway

Your Majesty,

It is with grief that I have followed the news of the terrorist attacks against the government headquarters in the capital Oslo and the youth summer camp causing multitudes of deaths and injuries.

And while I condemn such a crime against Norway and its peaceful people, I would like to assert that Lebanon will stand by Norway's side to overcome the repercussions of this incident.

Furthermore, I look forward to strengthening our cooperation to combat violence and terrorism and to bolster the pillars of peace and justice in the world.

Finally, I pray God Almighty to grant the friend State of Norway his grace.

Wishing You good health and peace, and Your country security and prosperity.

General Michel Sleiman President of the Republic of Lebanon

