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Madam,

It is with deep regret that I acknowledge the demise of Dr. M.S. Swaminathan. Passing away of such an eminent scientist, who spearheaded the Green Revolution in India, is an irreplaceable loss to the country.

The Embassy had worked closely with Dr. Swaminathan and the M S Swaminathan Research Foundation on the topics for food security and climate resilience.

I, personally and on behalf of the Embassy, wish to express my sincere condolences and deepest sympathy to the family, as well as to you and Dr. Swaminathan's colleagues.

Sincerely yours,

Ambassador of Switzerland to India and Bhutan

Ralf Heckner