



Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela

Communiqué

The President of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Nicolas Maduro, on behalf of the Venezuelan People and Government, expresses his deep solidarity with the Guatemalan People and Government in the aftermath of the eruption of the Fuego volcano occurred yesterday, June 3rd, in various departments of this brotherly country, such as Sacatepequez, La Antigua Guatemala and Alotenango.

The Bolivarian Government of Venezuela regrets this brunt of nature in this country which has caused the death of at least 25 Guatemalan brothers, various material losses and a lot of fear and unrest in the population. The Bolivarian Government expresses its willingness to make available the most specialized staff and equipment who are prepared and vigilant before any request by the Guatemalan Government with regard to the necessary assistance.

The Government of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, loyal to its policy of solidarity, reaffirms all the necessary support to the Guatemalan Government and People. The Venezuelan Government and People are constantly monitoring this difficult situation and alert in order to assist the victims and contribute in the rescue and rebuilding works.

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