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The countries of the Bolivarian Alliance for the Peoples of Our America - Peoples' Trade Treaty (ALBA-TCP) greet the Cuban people and government for the election of the Engineer Miguel Mario Diaz-Canel Bermudez, as the new President of the Councils of the State and of Ministers of the Republic of Cuba.

The election of the new President of Cuba, within the framework of the 9th Legislature of the People's Power National Assembly of this country, is a clear message to the international community on the maturity and continuity of the Cuban revolution and its principles.

The ALBA-TCP countries recognize the work undertaken by Commander Raul Castro as President of Cuba since 2008. Over these ten years, President Castro has fought and worked in favor of the defense of the integration of Latin American and Caribbean countries, particularly in the framework of the Community of Latin American and Caribbean States (CELAC); the ALBA-TCP and PETROCARIBE.

The ALBA-TCP congratulates the Cuban people and government for this new election and reiterates to President Diaz-Canel the support and solidarity of our peoples and governments with Cuba and the Cuban Revolution, as well as it wishes the greatest success in the exercise of his duties.

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