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Ambassador Hirayama's Visit to Guyana
(26th to 29th of September)

During the period September 26-29, His Excellency Tatsuo Hirayama, Ambassador of Japan, visited Guyana to attend the completion ceremony for a grant aid project funded by the Government of Japan. The grant is funding the improvement of the electric power system of GPL by installing the compensators in Canfield Substation in Region 6. Ambassador Hirayama also met officials from the Government of Co-operative Republic of Guyana during his visit.

On September 27, at the completion ceremony in Berbice, the Honourable Brigadier Mark Phillips, Prime Minister, and the Honourable Deodat Indar, Minister within the Ministry of Public Works, expressed appreciation to the Government of Japan for its support to Guyana, stating that the project is expected to improve the efficiency and sustainability of the power supply by reducing transmission losses and power outages in the region.

During the period September 28-29, Ambassador Hirayama paid a courtesy call to His Excellency Dr. Mohamed Irfaan Ali, President of the Cooperative Republic of Guyana. He also met with Honourable Brigadier Mark Phillips, Prime Minister, the Honourable Zulfikar Mustapha, Minister of Agriculture, the Honourable Hugh Todd, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, the Honourable Dr. Frank Stanislaus Anthony, Minister of Health, and the Honourable Vickram Outar Bharatt, Minister of Natural Resources, where Ambassador reaffirmed the friendly and cooperative relationships between Japan and Guyana, and discussed future cooperation in the areas of energy, measures against COVID-19 Pandemic, climate change and others.

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Completion Ceremony at Canefield Substation in Region 6 with Prime Minister and Minister in Public Works



Ambassador Hirayama with President Ali



With President Ali



With Prime Minister Honourable Mark Phillips



With Minister Todd, Ministry of Foreign Affairs



With Minister Mustapha, Ministry of Agriculture



With Minister Bharatt, Ministry of Natural Resources



With Minister Anthony, Ministry of Health