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Message from the Prime Minister of Canada

It is with great pleasure that I join with Portuguese communities across Canada to mark Portuguese Heritage Month.



Canada is proud to be home to almost 500,000 individuals of Portuguese descent, making it one of the largest Portuguese diasporas in the world. Portuguese Heritage Month is an important opportunity to honour and recognize the immense contributions that the Portuguese-Canadian community has made and continues to make to our country every day.

As we continue to support each other during the COVID-19 pandemic, let us remember that Canada is truly a multicultural nation, made stronger and more resilient by our diversity.

On behalf of the Government of Canada, I offer my best wishes for a memorable Portuguese Heritage Month.

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