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Dear Professor Fishippor,

On behalf of London Metropolitan University, I send heartfelt congratulations to you, your academic and administrative staff and students on the occasion of 55th Anniversary of Peoples' Friendship University of Russia. We hope that your University will continue to prove itself as one of the leading higher educational institutions in Russia offering educational opportunities to students from all over the country and from more than 150 countries worldwide

Our Universities have been partners for six years now. Despite this relative short period of time, we have been able to establish important links and learn more about your outstanding colleagues and their excellent research. Let us continue to develop our cooperation for the benefit of our students and the academic fraternity.

We wish you all every success and many more exciting achievements.

Professor John Raftery

Vice-Chancellor