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PRESS RELEASE

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II (1926 – 2022)

The British Honorary Consulate in Bhutan announces with great sadness the death of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of The Faith.

Her Majesty died peacefully in the presence of Her Family at Balmoral Castle, Scotland, on 8th September 2022

On the sad demise of Her Majesty The Queen,
HRH The Prince Charles, Prince of Wales, immediately becomes
His Majesty King Charles III

**A FORMAL BOOK OF CONDOLENCES WILL BE
OPEN AT
THE BRITISH HONORARY CONSULATE,
KASHITANG VILLAGE, CHANG GEWOG, THIMPHU,
FROM 6PM ON
SATURDAY 10TH SEPTEMBER**

**All those who wish to express their condolences are invited to visit the
Honorary Consulate to sign the Book of Condolences between the hours of
10am and 8pm.**

The Book will remain open until the day of The Late Her Majesty's Funeral

**To reach the Honorary Consulate take a left turn onto a rough road
300 Metres past the Thimphu Welcome Press Gate.
It is signed.**