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Hon Speaker, Hon Deputy Speaker, Hon Premier, Hon Leaders of Political Parties, Members of this August House, on behalf of the United Christian Democratic Party, it is an honour to stand before you today, to address you as we are about to take a well-deserved break to be with our families and friends for the holidays.

We have been through challenges together, working as a team in this house, in the name of service delivery to our people. As we go back to our constituencies, may we be reminded of our commitment and obligations that will make a difference in the lives of our people. I need not remind you of the hardships facing those we represent in treating their situation as urgent, we will be giving them the due respect. Because, believe you me, there is a perception out there, that we take too long to respond to meeting, like coming late to a meeting, not making time to respond to queries, acknowledging receipt of correspondence. It may sound as much, but it really makes a world of difference. It may be the one thing that stops a disgruntled community from going up in arms.

In the coming year, let us take a resolution to take these small things I mentioned above to better our relations with our people. May our Almighty God Bless you and your families and keep you till we meet next year.

Wishing you Merry Christmas and a prosperous new year.

Hon Speaker, I thank you.