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Dear Jean-Claude

### **Hurricane Matthew**

In my role as President of the International Federation of Environmental Health, I write to send our organisation's condolences for the disaster caused by Hurricane Matthew. Each time we turn to the news media the death toll seems to have gone up. Firstly we heard three people had died and now we know that many hundred have been killed. It seems no time since the horrific earthquake in early 2010 and we know that besides trying to rebuild the nation's infrastructure, you have been tackling a major outbreak of Cholera. A disease which for most of us has been consigned to the history books.

We want you to know that all the members of the IFEH sympathise with the plight in which you and your colleagues find themselves. We hope that your professional skills can be utilised in dealing with the massive consequences brought by hurricane and in the rebuilding of the country.

You will know that the Jamaican Association of Public Health Inspectors is hosting the next World Academic Conference with the International Federation in October 2017. I hope we will have the possibility of meeting there.

Again, our very best wishes

Yours sincerely

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