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The Council of Asian Liberals and Democrats (CALD) extends its heartfelt support to the Taiwanese people as they reel from the impacts of the 7.4 magnitude earthquake yesterday, 3 April 2024. As the nation attempts to recover from the strongest earthquake experienced in 25 years, we trust that the DPP government, led by President Tsai Ing-wen and with the support of President-elect William Lai, will continue to stay hands-on in coordinating fast and efficient disaster response, and in offering immediate assistance to the families of victims.

Our heart also goes out to Taiwan's biggest county, the beautiful Hualien, where CALD organized one of its recent electoral missions. Hualien is located very near the epicenter of the earthquake, and appears to have borne the brunt of this natural disaster. Amidst the loss of lives and property, we remain in solidarity with Taiwan during this difficult time. CALD believes that Taiwan will rise up from the shadows of this tragedy and remain on course in rebuilding the nation.



