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Dear Indian JSPS Alumni Association

I would like to express my deepest gratitude for your generous contribution to the "Tohoku University Earthquake Disaster Relief Donations".

The Great East Japan Earthquake of March 11th caused severe damage to some buildings, research and educational facilities, and medical equipment at Tohoku University. However, our staff united to work towards the maintenance and swift restoration of the university's functions, and we welcomed our new students in May and resumed basically our educational and research activities.

As a core university based in the disaster area, we will devote all our efforts to contributing to the local and global society and we will gather our collective wisdom to assist with the restoration and regeneration of the region. Moreover, we intend to play a leading role in the future of Japan by engaging systematically and strategically in research and transmitting and putting our research results into practice.

Your kind donation will go towards the restoration of damaged buildings, repair/replacement of damaged facilities/equipment, and the educational support of those students affected by the disaster.

Once again, I would like to thank you for your generous contribution and to ask for your continued support for us tackling the challenge in the future.

Yours sincerely,

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