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To

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty Elizabeth the Second,
by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great
Britain and Northern Ireland, and of Her Other Realms
and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth,
Defender of the Faith:

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTY:

I have the honour and high privilege to tender to Your Majesty on behalf of the peoples and Government of the Colony and Protectorate of Kenya our humble duty and heartfelt congratulations on the occasion of Your Majesty's Coronation.

We, in this Colony and Protectorate look upon the days of Your Majesty's visit to Kenya with H.R.H. the Duke of Edinburgh as the greatest honour that has been bestowed upon the territory. Many thousands of all races were inspired by Your Majesty's presence, and to their feelings of loyal devotion were added those of abiding affection and personal regard. It is our earnest hope that before long Your Majesty and His Royal Highness may once again find it possible to visit us.

The peoples of this Colony and Protectorate fervently pray that Almighty God will grant to Your Majesty many years of peace and happiness and that Your Majesty's reign may be marked not only by material prosperity but also by its spiritual achievements.

I have the honour to remain, Madam,
Your Majesty's most humble and obedient subject,

E. BARING,
Governor and Commander-in-Chief,
Colony and Protectorate
of Kenya.

Government House, Nairobi
2nd June, 1953