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Office of the Prime Minister Congratulates Archbishop-elect Wright

Belmopan, November 13, 2025.

Prime Minister Hon. John Briceño extends the warmest congratulations and blessings to the Most Reverend Philip S. Wright, Bishop of Belize, on his election as the new Archbishop, Primate, and Metropolitan of the Church in the Province of the West Indies.

This milestone is a moment of pride and distinction for the Anglican Community in Belize and the rest of the Caribbean. Respected among his peers across the globe, Archbishop-elect Wright is recognized as an influential figure who promotes meaningful engagement between the church and state on critical matters, such as education, social development, and justice.

Prime Minister Briceño and the Government of Belize wish Archbishop-elect Wright, his family, and the Anglican Diocese of Belize a smooth transition as he prepares to assume leadership of the church in the Province of the West Indies.

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