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I am delighted to extend my warmest greetings to all those attending the Grand Opening Ceremony of the Sri Sharadamba Temple and Inauguration of the Adi Shankara Museum.

Located in our country's most ethnically diverse city, this building stands as a testament to Canada and India's proud traditions of pluralism. This place of worship is an impressive landmark and a fitting tribute to the Hindu community's place in Canada's cultural landscape.

Canada is fortunate to have a large and dynamic Indian community. The fabric of Canadian life continues to be immeasurably enriched by your contributions. I am certain that this new temple and museum will foster fellowship among Hindu Canadians in the Greater Toronto Area for generations to come.

On behalf of the Government of Canada, I commend the Sringeri Vidya Bharati Foundation of Canada and all those who helped bring this exciting project to fruition. Please accept my best wishes for an auspicious opening.

Sincerely,

The Rt. Hon. Stephen Harper, P.C., M.P. Prime Minister of Canada

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