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ON THE CELEBRATION OF THE 41<sup>st</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE CAMEROON PEOPLE'S  
DEMOCRATIC MOVEMENT (CPDM) ON 24 MARCH 2026,

**The Secretary General of the Central Committee**  
TO ALL

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**

- **Members of the Political Bureau and Central Committee;**
- **President of the National Executive of the WCPDM;**
- **Vice-President of the National Executive of the YCPDM;**
- **Heads of the Permanent Regional and Divisional Delegations of the Central Committee;**
- **Presidents of the CPDM, WCPDM, YCPDM Basic Organ Executives;**
- **Fellow militants.**

Theme: *“Let us prepare to further consolidate the strength and position of the Party behind the National President.”*



On this 24 March 2026, as we celebrate the 41<sup>st</sup> Anniversary of the Cameroon People's Democratic Movement, our foremost duty shall be to pay a respectful and well-deserved tribute to the **National President, His Excellency Paul BIYA**, for his inspired, farsighted and enlightened leadership over the years.

Thanks to his wisdom, his selflessness, profound sense of duty and unwavering patriotic commitment, the CPDM continues to strengthen its position as the leading political party in Cameroon. Year after year, it consolidates its political maturity, benefiting from the growing support and confidence of our compatriots from all regions of the national territory and from every social stratum — the elites, the working classes, as well as men and women of modest means.

Today, we also celebrate the President of the Republic, **His Excellency Paul BIYA**, the winner of the presidential election held on 12 October 2025, which was conducted with transparency and distinction. His project, "**Greatness and Hope**," which outlines Cameroon's development path for the next seven years with ambition, clarity, and realism, won the support of the vast majority of our compatriots.

The CPDM candidate prevailed following a remarkable election whose intensity and competitiveness reflect the undeniable progress of democracy in our country. This was achieved despite the unjustified hostilities orchestrated afterwards by self-proclaimed democrats — social media agitators who paradoxically speak endlessly about democracy while rejecting its fundamental rules.

Alongside other well-meaning compatriots who love peace and progress, the militants of the Cameroon People's Democratic Movement played a decisive role in President Paul BIYA's resounding victory at all stages of the electoral process, through their remarkable mobilisation and discipline, despite the countless and unsuspected traps set by our opponents, who were supported by external forces.

All the campaign teams deserve congratulations, thanks and encouragement. The world has welcomed and continues to welcome this wonderful gift of an unparalleled victory, with which President Paul Biya has graciously opened the year 2026, to the great joy of his people, crowned by total control of all regions through the leadership of all regional councils in the country.

It is therefore with immense joy, coupled with a sense of pride and legitimate satisfaction at a fully accomplished electoral mission on 12 October, that we celebrate this 41<sup>st</sup> anniversary of the Party with total jubilation. Today more than yesterday, and why not even more tomorrow, in line with the prospects and projects set out in the Great Expectations programme, the CPDM presents itself as the political party chosen by the Cameroonian people. It continues to stand proudly behind the National President, providing an intangible arm for peace, solidarity, coexistence and progress.

In other words, while the 41<sup>st</sup> Anniversary of the President of the Republic's magnificent victory is a cause for celebration, we must also redouble our vigilance and agility to ensure that no force or weakness jeopardises the CPDM's opportunities. The Party must clearly and responsibly identify the strategic priorities to be implemented in order to consolidate its achievements and secure new electoral victories within the given timeframe.

Clearly, the national political arena, which is constantly changing, is becoming increasingly competitive. In addition, the electorate is becoming more complex and increasingly demanding, particularly due to demographic changes, multifaceted influences, and the significant impact of social media. This is particularly true of young people and women, who together form a critical mass within the electorate. Their specific needs are, as you know, a constant and fundamental concern for the Party and its illustrious President.

Our goal now is to strengthen the institutional safety net around the President of the Republic's project of Grandeur and Hope so that it can be implemented without hindrance or obstruction. Thus, after the CPDM's large majorities in the Senate and Regional Councils, we must imperatively achieve the same results in the legislative and municipal elections. Hence the theme chosen for the celebration of the 41<sup>st</sup> anniversary of the CPDM: *“Let us prepare to further consolidate the strength and position of the Party behind the National President.”*

If this has not already been done, this is the place to prescribe openness within each political unit – Permanent Regional and Divisional Delegations, Sections, Sub-sections, Branches and Cells – within the framework of the Party's statutory meetings and forward-looking reflections on the upcoming legislative and municipal elections.

In a nutshell, the aim is to **think together locally** about the best ways to prepare for and achieve important victories in all constituencies tomorrow. This process shall ensure that no aspect is overlooked, and that the National President's commitments to empowering young people and women, sharing, new figures, sociological diversity, and people with disabilities are taken into account. This must be done while bearing in mind the requirements of loyalty, militancy, persuasiveness, popular support, and

discipline. The time has therefore come to mobilise the troops as effectively as possible while bearing in mind the Party's fundamental values, foremost of which is **discipline**. This is the essence of the festivities marking the celebration of the 41<sup>st</sup> anniversary of the CPDM.

As is tradition, the CPDM Section Presidents shall organise the celebration of this 41<sup>st</sup> anniversary in each political unit. They shall work alongside the WCPDM and YCPDM Section Presidents, as well as comrades who are members of Government or ranking as such, parliamentarians, and members of the Central Committee and National Executives of the WCPDM and YCPDM. They shall also collaborate with comrades who are members of municipal and regional executives, not to mention local activist elites. The Heads of the Permanent Regional Delegations of the Central Committee shall supervise the event, and the Heads of the Permanent Divisional Delegations of the Central Committee shall provide guidance.

This shall also be an opportunity to emphasise the importance of registering all militants, from cells to sections, as well as grassroots committees, sub-sections, and all duly identified friends, supporters, and voters of the Cameroon People's Democratic Movement, on the electoral rolls.

**Happy Anniversary.**

**The Secretary General of the Central Committee,**



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