## National Day of Algeria

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## Algeria fetes 60 years of friendship and cooperation with Japan

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Algeria is celebrating on Nov. 1, 2022, the 68th an-

niversary of our glorious revolution that culminated, eight years after its start, in the recovery of our independence and national sovereignty.

On this occasion, I have the honor to extend my best wishes of happiness and health to Their Majesties the Emperor and Empress, the members of the Imperial family and His Excellency



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Prime Minister Fumio Kishida, as well as wishes of prosperity and well-being to the people of Japan.

On this memorable day, I would like to pay tribute to our parents and grandparents who paid with their lives for our people to enjoy freedom and prosperity. We are also very grateful to those who stood in solidarity with us, including here in Japan, in our struggle for independence.

Algeria has achieved significant progress since 2019 with the implementation of political, economic and social reforms initiated by our government, whose aim is to pave the way for a sound and coherent national development strategy. The priority for this year is to get our economy back on track, to recover from the fallout of the COVID-19 pandemic and to consolidate the

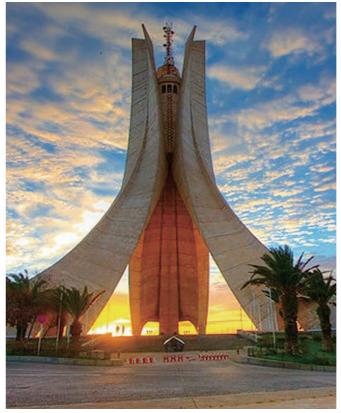
growth achieved during the last few years thanks to the bold actions taken by the government.

A new code of investment that was recently implemented will undoubtedly strengthen this positive dynamic. With many incentives granted to investors, the new regulations take into account their concerns by guaranteeing a fair, transparent and speedy treatment for projects submitted by potential investors to the national authority in charge of the promotion of investments.

This year's commemoration of our national day has a special meaning as it coincides with the celebration of the 60th anniversary of Algeria's independence and the establishment of diplomatic relations between our two countries. I am pleased to emphasize that the two governments are committed to consolidate even more the bonds of friendship and cooperation between our two peoples.

Concrete steps are being undertaken at the bilateral level to revitalize our economic cooperation, including the adoption of a set of legal instruments that will strengthen our dialogue on economic issues and provide incentives such as tax exemptions in addition to many others advantages inserted in the new code of investment.

It is my hope that Japanese companies, which have contributed significantly to the building of our economy for many decades, will maintain and expand their presence in the Algerian market.



Courtesy of the Algerian Embassy

The Maqam Echahid, or the Monument of the Martyr, was opened in 1982, on the 20th anniversary of Algeria's independence.

## **Congratulations**

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the People's Democratic
Republic of Algeria
on Their National Day



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