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Mr. **KIRBAŞ** - TSE Director General  
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(TSI)  
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Brussels, 15 February 2023

Subject: Solidarity with Türkiye earthquake victims

Dear Mr **ŞAHİN**,  
Dear Mr **KIRBAŞ**,

CEN and CENELEC have been shocked by the devastation and terrible loss of life from the earthquake in Türkiye the 6 February. On behalf of all the CEN and CENELEC community, all the Members, and we personally, express our solidarity with all those who suffered because of this disaster.

We send our condolences to TSE for all the Turkish citizens who have lost so much at this tragic time. In this extremely difficult period, we are with you and support you wholeheartedly, wishing a speedy recovery to the injured, and safety and healing for those affected by this painful disaster, which requires all of us unity and human solidarity.

Yours sincerely,

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CEN President

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CEN and CENELEC Director General

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CENELEC President



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