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PRESIDENTIAL VISIT

The Prime Minister, Mr. Harold Holt, has sent the following telegram to each of the Premiers of New South Wales, Victoria and Queensland :-

"ON MY WAY TO MY MANILA ASSIGNMENT I TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO SEND YOU A PERSONAL MESSAGE OF WARMEST APPRECIATION FOR THE MOST WILLING AND EFFICIENT WAY IN WHICH YOU, YOUR GOVERNMENT AND YOUR OFFICIALS AT ALL LEVELS CO-OPERATED WHOLEHEARTEDLY WITH US AND ASSISTED US IN RELATION TO PRESIDENT JOHNSON'S HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL VISIT. AS I CONFIDENTLY EXPECTED WITH MINOR EXCEPTIONS THE PEOPLE OF YOUR STATE RESPONDED MAGNIFICENTLY. GOOD ON YOU MATE."

CANBERRA,
23rd October, 1966.