



Path to Greatness!

My Dear Fellow Citizens,

My vision is to empower the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) and lead it towards becoming a powerful and renewed nation, where peace, justice, equality, and prosperity are the cornerstones of our society. I am fully dedicated to working relentlessly to bring this collective dream to fruition. In pursuit of this vision, I hold a set of core values - rigor, discipline, excellence, ambition, transparency, and dignity - that will be the guiding principles of my leadership.

I envision a strong nation where each citizen has a voice, and where every Congolese benefits from the fruits of our economic growth. To achieve this vision, I have laid out a strategic roadmap that will guide every action I take.

Foremost, it is imperative that we prioritize the matter of security, recognizing peace and stability as the foundational pillars for our nation's future. I am unwavering in my commitment to the modernization of our armed forces and the professionalization of our police. Furthermore, I firmly believe that a well-considered economic response and an approach that embraces inclusive diplomacy will play a pivotal role in the restoration of peace in the Eastern region of our country, where armed conflicts continue to persist. Please be assured that this matter will receive our utmost attention.

To boost investment and expedite economic growth, I advocate an immediate nationwide infrastructure plan. This initiative, based on a cross-shaped development strategy, aims to achieve full economic integration, enhancing our modern transportation systems and establishing top-tier facilities for national education and healthcare. Together, we will foster a resurgent and forward-looking DRC.

It is equally important to reinvigorate the industrial potential of our country. This entails the creation of technology hubs centered around technological universities, the establishment of industry-friendly free trade zones, and the advancement of eco-friendly energy sources. This industrial aspiration will serve as a driving force for employment opportunities and an elevation of the social well-being of our fellow citizens.

The role of the State, as a strategic entity, should primarily serve the well-being of the Congolese people. Thus, it is imperative to reform public administration to optimize its performance. Drawing

from our experience in macroeconomic management, we will also focus on strengthening the coherence of exchange rate and domestic price stabilization policies. Upholding this rigor in the implementation of macroeconomic policies will preserve the purchasing power of the population, lay the foundation for economic progress, and promote national cohesion and social harmony.

The development of our human capital is at the core of our mission. It is crucial that we place our fellow citizens back at the center of our journey towards progress, whether it be through strengthening education, enhancing skills, or improving health.

Furthermore, as part of the social contract I am proposing, I am committed to promoting the coherent and respectful management of all our natural resources. I am fully aware of the incomparable wealth found in our soil and subsoil, and I am resolute in harnessing them to drive our country's development while respecting ecological balances.

Every step we take on this path towards a stronger and more radiant DRC will be guided by our vision and values. Every effort we make will bring us closer to the promising future that all Congolese people, both present and future generations, rightfully deserve.



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