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Dear President Yudhayana,

I congratulate you on the successful raid by the Indonesian Police that led to the demise of Noordin Mohammad Top. This is a significant achievement that will make Indonesia and the region safer.

Although terrorist groups linked to Noordin Mohammad Top will be weakened by his death, they still pose a threat to our countries and the region. Singapore will continue to work closely with Indonesia and other regional governments to combat terrorism. I am confident that under your able leadership, and the professionalism of the Indonesian Police and security agencies, Indonesia will score more successes against terrorists in future.

Yours Sincerely

His Excellency Dr Susilo Bambang Yudhoyono President Republic of Indonesia