



GOVERNMENT OF TONGA

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## **“Prime Minister’s congratulatory message to ‘Ikale Tahī Rugby team”**

It is with utmost respect, on behalf of His Majesty King Tupou VI, the Government and the People of Tonga, to convey herein our heartiest congratulations, deep love and appreciation, to the Coach, Captain and respective Members of the ‘Ikale Tahī Team for their overwhelming diligent and divinely empowered triumph at their recent Rugby World Cup Game versus the United States. It is indeed a personification of national pride and solidarity, and inspiration for the generation of today and tomorrow".

**Respectfully,**  
***Dr. Pohiva Tu’i’onetoa***  
**Prime Minister of Tonga**

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