

World Leaders Express Condolences to Victims of Yunnan Earthquake

A 6.5-magnitude earthquake hit Ludian County, Yunnan



Province on August 3, 2014, causing heavy casualties. The international community extended condolences to victims and expressed their willingness to help the quake-hit area. UN Secretary General Ban Ki-moon expressed condolences to the Chinese government and the bereaved families. He emphasized that the UN stands ready to provide assistance in carrying out humanitarian aid and mobilizing international support. Thailand's Princess Maha

Chakri Sirindhorn made a personal donation of RMB 200,000 to disaster relief. Over a dozen countries and several international organizations also sent messages of sympathy and support.