

## Proclamation of opening by His Majesty the Emperor of Japan

it gives me great pleasure to welcome you all here again for the session of the international Olympic Committee at this auspicious time coinciding with the Seventieth Anniversary of the Founding of the Committee.

May this occasion, by your efforts, result in

an enhancement of those radiant ideals of the Olympic Movement, so steeped in tradition, and may they further contribute to the cause of peace for all mankind.

I now declare this sixty-second session of the international Olympic Committee duly opened.

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