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Ms. Beatriz Vivas, Consul General
Consulate General of Argentina in Chicago
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Dear Consul General Vivas:

As Attorney General of the State of Illinois, I would like to send my best wishes on the anniversary of Argentinian independent from the Spanish crown.

The series of events that began with the May Revolution and ended with the formal declaration of independence from the Congress of Tucumán on July 9, 1816 ended Spanish rule and established what is today the Argentine Republic.

Since independence, Argentina has transformed itself into a highly-advanced democracy that can boast a diverse economy and robust population.

I am thankful for the Consulate General's daily assistance to residents and visitors alike and for your continued presence in our world-class City of Chicago. I look forward to additional collaborations in the future.

While this year's celebration is no doubt different than in year's past, it is my hope today's virtual ceremony still conveys the importance of honoring the anniversary of Argentinian independence and I send my best wishes for a successful and spirited event.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "K Raoul", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Kwame Raoul
ATTORNEY GENERAL