Dear Professor Moritz!

We would like to congratulate you on behalf of the scientists and employees of the Moscow State University of Geodesy and Cartography (MIIGAiK) with the 80th anniversary on such a significant day of your life and express you our warmest and heartiest feelings.

An anniversary like that is a fine paramount allowing everyone to estimate the way covered. Let this way be a vivid example of service to Science, devotion to the humanistic ideals chosen. You represent a successful combination of an outstanding scientist, talented teacher and an organizer of science.

Your name is widely known in our country. Your scientific results have become classical. Your selfless service to science, rectitude and high responsibility, wisdom and wide thinking have got to you the deserved respect of your colleagues and friends all over the world!

We are proud that such an outstanding scientist and humanist like you is the Honorable Doctor of our University. The only journeys worth taking in life are those that test us to the very core. You have passed this test. Your life journey can be praised to the sky!

Assuring you of our highest esteem, we would like to wish you, of course, good health, happiness, new remarkable successes in science and your humanistic activity!

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