President Toomas Hendrik Ilves sent a letter of congratulations to Andrzej Duda, the President-elect of Poland.

"My warmest congratulations as well as my best wishes for Poland and its people on your election," wrote the Estonian Head of State.

"Relations between our two countries have been extremely close for years. In advancing the security interests of our region and contributing to the unity of NATO, Poland has the leadership role. During these turbulent times it is our priority to stand firmly for our common values and our joint interests and to further deepen our already steadfast cooperation," said President Ilves.

"One of my foreign policy goals during my 8,5 years in office has been developing seamless relations between Poland and Estonia," the Estonian Head of State confirmed.

President Ilves expressed his wish to meet Andrzej Duda in the near future and invited the President-elect to visit Estonia.

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