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CHIEF MINISTER & MRS PICARDO TO ATTEND OLYMPIC OPENING

The Chief Minister, the Hon Fabian Picardo MP and Mrs Picardo will attend the Opening Ceremony of the Olympic Games at the end of the month as a guest of the British Foreign Secretary, the Rt Hon William Hague. Mr Picardo will also attend a reception at the London Guildhall with Cabinet Ministers and other invitees.

'I am delighted and honoured to represent Gibraltar at the Opening Ceremony on 27 July which will be attended by other Overseas Territories leaders and other international guests of the UK Government,' said the Chief Minister. 'It gives me an excellent opportunity to show our national and my personal support for Georgina Cassar in the rhythmic gymnastics event and Nathan Stagno who will be a hockey umpire at the Olympics.'