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Talking Points for Mr. James P. Grant Executive Director of the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) for Bulgarian National Day Event (3 March)

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TO: Mr. James P. Grant Executive Director

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SUBJECT: Talking Points - Bulgarian National Day Event

Following are a few suggested points for your brief remarks on 2 March on Bulgaria's National Day (3 March):

- 1) Congratulations on Bulgaria's National Day.
- 2) UNICEF is extremely grateful for the warm welcome our missions received, including the reception by the President and Prime Minister.
- 3) We are very pleased with the ongoing cooperation we receive from the Ministry of Health and the Bulgarian National Committee for UNICEF.
- 4) It should be noted that, of all the Central and Eastern European countries UNICEF has visited in the past year, Bulgaria is the first to complete its Situation Analysis on the children and women of your country.
- 5) For this, we want to especially thank Dr. Ivan Chernozemski, Minister of Health and chairman of the National UNICEF Committee, for his outstanding leadership.
- 6) With the support of the Florence office of UNICEF, we will be providing technical assistance to the Bulgarian National Committee in preparing a workshop later this spring on monitoring the ongoing situation of children and women.
- 7) We look forward to continuing collaboration in helping Bulgaria develop a Programme of Action, based on its Situation Analysis, in accord with the pledges at the World Summit for Children in 1990.

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