

BULGARIA: EPP CONGRATULATES BORISOV FOR ELECTION AS CHAIRMAN OF GERB

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The President of the European People's Party (EPP), **Wilfried Martens** and also the EPP Secretary General, **Antonio López-Istúriz**, congratulated today the Bulgarian Prime Minister, **Boyko Borisov**, for his election as President of the GERB party, a full member of the EPP, replacing **Tsvetan Tsvetanov**.

"Prime Minister Boyko Borisov and GERB are playing a key role in the development of Bulgaria and dealing with many challenges such as the fight against corruption. Needless to say, Prime Minister Boyko Borisov will reinforce this work also in his new capacity as President of GERB, for the benefit of all Bulgarian citizens", Martens underlined.

"I am looking forward to supporting Boyko Borisov as President of GERB in order to strengthen Bulgaria in the European project. GERB has become a very active member-party of the EPP and I am confident that in the same spirit Boyko Borisov will further enhance Bulgaria's political standing in the EU", the Secretary General stated.

The President and the Secretary General of the EPP also congratulated Tsvetan Tsvetanov, who has been elected Vice-President of GERB.

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