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Dear Mr & Mrs Bob Finch,

On behalf of our staff and the refugees we support, thank you so much for your incredibly generous donation of £40,000 to UK for UNHCR. Your gift will immediately be put to use helping UNHCR teams deliver life-saving aid to people forced to flee their homes in Ukraine.

As well as helping children, women and men in need, such a significant contribution as this really does help to keep me and my team motivated and working hard to raise as much support as possible.

Your generosity will help us make sure that families who have had no choice but to leave everything behind, have access to essential items and vital support to survive such as emergency shelter, repair kits for damaged homes, tarpaulins, blankets for warmth and jerry cans for water. We are also helping set up transit centres for the newly displaced, providing cash assistance for the most vulnerable, as well as legal protection, psychosocial and mental health support to help with the effects of displacement.

The number of refugees and displaced people in and from Ukraine is rising daily and the situation is deteriorating quickly. As of the 18 March, UNHCR is reporting 3.3 million have fled the country and the needs on the ground are becoming more critical by the day. Your donation will help us to have a significant impact on the lives of those forced to flee at a time when they are most in need, bringing not only emergency support, but hope.

We know that we can achieve more together, which is why we are so grateful that you have chosen to contribute your gift to our £250,000 Match Fund. Once secured, this fund will be used to leverage donations from our community of individual givers,

online and by other means, hopefully raising £500,000 for our response in total – doubling the impact of your gift. We have found Match Funds to be a powerful mechanism for leveraging funds quickly.

My team and I would like to stay in touch, as we want to keep you up to date with the news of our Match Fund and our latest work on the ground, to invite you to join key briefings with senior UNHCR staff and share with you the impact your support is having. We will share these updates with you as they arise, but please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any questions.

I would also welcome an opportunity to speak over a phone call and learn more about the Generations Foundation. Please let me know if there is a suitable time during the next few days or weeks and I would be delighted to set something up. You can reach me directly on the details provided below.

Thank you for standing in solidarity with refugees and displaced people at this challenging time- we are so grateful for your financial and moral support.

With very best wishes,



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