



SOCIALIST INTERNATIONAL

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To:

Georgi Anastasov

President of Bulgarian Social Democrats

Dear Georgi, dear comrades of the Bulgarian Social Democratic Party:

I'd like to wish you a big success for your mayoral and municipal Counselors candidates in the upcoming Local Elections in Bulgaria next weekend.

Municipalism stands as a cornerstone for social democratic parties, as it empowers them to enact tangible, people-centered policies that directly impact their communities, fostering social equity and inclusive progress.

The Bulgarian Social Democrats have consistently demonstrated their commitment to the values of the Socialist International, advocating for enhanced social policies, justice, and solidarity among all people.

We are confident that Bulgarian Social Democrats will continue to serve as an inspiration for the broader progressive political family by expanding your influence in additional municipalities and districts with newly elected mayors and municipal councilors, offering a model of governance rooted in social democratic principles.

Pedro Sánchez Pérez-Castejón

President of the Socialist International