

## **Academician Borys Paton**

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Dear President Paton,

On behalf of the Czech Academy of Sciences, please accept my most sincere congratulations as you celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the foundation of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine as well as your important personal anniversary.

Marking such a significant event in the life of your Academy shows what an important role the scientific research has played in the progress of your society and your country.

I would also like to appreciate your longstanding and devoted work as the head of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine, with which the Czech Academy of Sciences has traditionally had good relations and a fruitful scientific collaboration.

I wish you good health and happiness and your Academy and Ukrainian researchers a continued success in meeting the challenges in the years to come.

I do hope that the tradition of well-established scientific relationships between our Academies will continue to develop in the future.

Sincerely yours,