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## **His Holiness Patriarch Kirill meets with the Chairman of the Imperial Orthodox Palestine Society Sergei Stepashin**

On 18 November 2009, the Primate of the Russian Orthodox Church met with Sergei Stepashin, the Chairman of the Imperial Orthodox Palestine Society (IOPS).

They discussed cooperation of the Russian Orthodox Church with the IOPS and the Russian Book Union, which Mr. Stepashin chairs, press service of the Patriarch of Moscow and All Russia reports.

Taking part in the meeting was Bishop Mark of Yegorievsk, Moscow Patriarchate Secretary for Institutions Abroad of the Russian Orthodox Church.

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