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DECR chairman sends greetings to His Beatitude Patriarch Daniel of Romania on the 14th anniversary of his enthronement



Metropolitan Hilarion of Volokolamsk, chairman of the Moscow Patriarchate's Department for External Church Relations, greeted the Primate of the Romanian Orthodox Church with the 14th anniversary of his enthronement. The text of the message is given below.

**His Beatitude DANIEL
Archbishop of Bucharest
Metropolitan of Muntenia and Dobrogea
Patriarch of Romania**

Your Beatitude,

I am sending you my heartfelt greetings on the occasion of the 14th anniversary of your Patriarchal enthronement!

Performing your Primatial ministry with spiritual wisdom and zeal for the Lord, by the example of your

own pious life you inspire the archpastors, clergy, monastics and laypeople entrusted to your care that *they might walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God* (Col. 1:10).

On this day of celebration, I prayerfully wish you peace, good health and inexhaustible help from above in your Patriarchal labours.

With respectful love in the Lord,

**/+Hilarion/
Metropolitan of Volokolamsk
Chairman
Department for External Church Relations
Moscow Patriarchate**

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