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PRESS STATEMENT BY THE UN SPOKESPERSON IN CYPRUS

Nicosia, 5 May 2025. Today, the Turkish Cypriot leader, Mr. Ersin Tatar, and the Greek Cypriot leader, Mr. Nikos Christodoulides, met under the auspices of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Cyprus/Deputy Special Adviser Colin Stewart at the Ledra Palace Hotel.

Mr. Christodoulides and Mr. Tatar welcomed the reappointment of Ms. María Angela Holguín Cuéllar as the Personal Envoy of the Secretary-General on Cyprus and looked forward to receiving her in Cyprus in the coming weeks.

The two leaders launched the Technical Committee on Youth. They welcomed the members of the Committee and encouraged the Committee to promote dialogue and initiatives that address youth-related issues.

Subsequently, they met and welcomed and appreciated the progress achieved for the restoration of cemeteries and tasked the Technical Committee on Cultural Heritage to proceed with the implementation of its work. They also agreed on new initiatives related to the environment and climate change. Discussions continued on demining, solar energy and crossing points.

The two leaders decided to continue to keep the issues under regular review and agreed to meet again soon.

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