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Dear Fr McGinnity,

For the mother whose child will survive acute malnutrition, *thank you...*

For the doctors and nurses in our Trócaire-run health centres in Somalia, who will have the resources to help one more family, one more daughter, one more son, *thank you...*

For your compassion, for your caring, and for your humanity this Lent, *thank you.*

Your incredibly kind Lenten gift of **£16399.060000000001** to Trócaire is right now on its way to helping prevent tragic loss of life and bringing hope to Nasteha, her beloved family, and so many others who are holding on with all they've got through Somalia's drought and hunger crisis.

And now – *right now* – your kindness is bringing emergency food baskets, to rush relief. Urgent medical care, for those most vulnerable. Fresh, safe water. Hope for the future.

At Trócaire we believe everyone should live a life free from poverty, violence, and injustice, and since 1973, people across Ireland just like you have stood together as a steadfast support and an enduring source of love and inspiration on this mission.

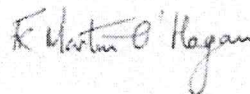
Only by working together can we ever achieve a truly just world. And in this, Trócaire's 50th anniversary year, I am more grateful than ever to have you beside us.

Thank you, Fr McGinnity, and the people of Ballymena (Kirkinriola) Parish for being our Trócaire family.

With all my gratitude,



Caoimhe de Barra
CEO, Trócaire



Very Rev Martin O'Hagan
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