



Dear IPF Member Federations, dear powerlifting family around the world,

The whole IPF family is shocked at the situation in Ukraine.

In order to support our friends from the Ukraine Powerlifting Federation, the IPF will establish a development fund for the UPF and its lifters. This will stand above powerlifting federations, personal and political affiliations and prejudices. And so, we ask all our members and the whole powerlifting community to donate to the development fund. You have the option to donate via

**PayPal: <https://www.paypal.com/paypalme/fundukraineipf>**

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**International Powerlifting Federation**

**AID FUND UKRAINE:**

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When donating, please mention "Support Ukraine" to identify the donation.

Support will be given in three areas:

- 1 The IPF will support all Ukrainian lifters who originally qualified for the World Games. Those athletes who were able to leave the country and will be in good enough physical condition to participate at the Games in Birmingham will receive full IPF support in terms of flights, accommodation, and all other related costs. Also, the IPF and its partners will provide personal equipment and training options to help them prepare for the Games.
- 2 The IPF will support all Ukrainian lifters who can participate in any international powerlifting event like European or World Championships. The IPF will pay all related costs to the championships such as transport, accommodation, entry and doping fees, as well as providing equipment and options to train to prepare for the championships.
3. As soon as the Ukrainian people can return to their country, the IPF and its partners will support the national federation and its lifters in rebuilding the infrastructure, both financially and with training equipment (powerlifting racks, bars, weights, etc.) and personal equipment (bench shirts, squat suits, singlets, knee sleeves, belts, etc.)

The IPF EC unanimously believes that we all have a responsibility to show our solidarity and help for the athletes in Ukraine and urges you to support this fund.

On Behalf of the IPF Executive Committee and the whole IPF Family.

Gaston Parage  
IPF President