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UniCredit donates 120.000 EUR for the acquisition of mechanical ventilation devices for two hospitals and other medical needs

In the light of the national state of emergency generated by COVID-19 pandemic, UniCredit Bank will donate 120.000 euros to Zi de Bine Association, for the acquisition of two high-performance mechanical ventilation devices and other medical needs identified.

The two mechanical ventilation devices will be distributed by the association in two hospitals, depending on the needs and will be useful for the long term treatment of patients with acute respiratory failure. In addition, other medical needs generated by the COVID-19 pandemic, as identified together with the hospitals, will be covered by the donation made by UniCredit Bank.

„In times like these, it is important to stay together acting for the things that really matter. We are facing a collective challenge and the health of people is the top priority we all have. We decided that the best way to address this urgent need is by supporting the medical system provide vital care for the most affected“ declared Răsvan Radu, CEO UniCredit Bank.

This donation made by UniCredit Bank follows regional efforts - in Italy, the bank donated over 2 million euros for medical and protection equipment, research and patient care and in Germany, HypoVereinsbank has acquired two ventilators which it is donating to hospitals in rural areas and supported nationwide active organizations with a total donation of EUR 100,000 for the purchase of respiratory masks, disinfectants and food for people in need.

The health and wellbeing of the employees and clients is a key priority for UniCredit Bank. The bank will continue to monitor the situation closely and act in everyone’s best interest.