

Mr Igor Surkis
President
FC Dynamo Kyiv

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In memory of Leonid Kravchuk

Dear President,

It is with sadness that I learned of the passing of Leonid Kravchuk, first President of independent Ukraine.

Charismatic and respected leader, prominent politician, wise statesman and public figure, it was under his Presidency that the Ukrainian Association of Football became a FIFA and UEFA member. No doubt, Leonid Kravchuk contributed to the development of sport, and football in particular, in Ukraine.

One of the country's most prominent figures, Chairman of the board of trustees of FC Dynamo Kyiv since 1995, holder of several titles and decorations for his long-standing political and social engagement, his legacy and achievements, and in particular his personality, his popularity and his human qualities, will not be forgotten, and he will be truly missed.

On behalf of the international football community, I wish to extend our deepest sympathy to FC Dynamo Kyiv, to the Ukrainian Association of Football, to the Ukrainian government and, most importantly, to Leonid Kravchuk's family, friends and loved ones. Our thoughts are with all of you.

We hope that these memories and our words of support may help bring some peace and solace at this difficult time.

Yours sincerely,



Gianni Infantino