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## Declaration of the Director of the Holy See Press Office, Greg Burke

In response to the invitation of the respective highest authorities of the Republics and of the Catholic Church, His Holiness Pope Francis will make an Apostolic Trip to Bulgaria from 5 to 7 May 2019, where he will visit the cities of Sofia and Rakovski, and to the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia on 7 May 2019, where he will visit the city of Skopje. The programme for the trip will be published in due course.