Dear Mr. Tsatsarov:

Thank you for your letter of December 16, 2019, expressing gratitude for the collaboration between the U.S. Department of Justice and the Prosecutor General's Office of the Republic of Bulgaria during your tenure as the Prosecutor General. The close partnership of the United States and the Republic of Bulgaria on law enforcement and judicial matters is critical to the safety and security of our countries, and I appreciate the invaluable contributions the Office of the Prosecutor General has made to our joint efforts in making our countries safe and peaceful. We look forward to the continued successful cooperation and engagement of our two countries and the Prosecutor General's Office under the leadership of Mr. Ivan Geshev.

I also would like to congratulate you on your appointment as Chairman of the CIAF and wish you all the best in your new endeavor. Bulgaria continues to make great strides in battling corruption and strengthening its law enforcement institutions, and I am confident that your commitment to public service and the rule of law will continue to serve you well in your role as CIAF Chairman.

Sincerely,

William P. Barr

Attorney General

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