
SUPPORT FOR PEACE

On the occasion of the third meeting between the supreme leaders of the United States and the Soviet Union, Messrs. Ronald Reagan and Mikhail Gorbachev, and the signing of the treaty reducing nuclear arsenals on 8th December 1987, the IOC President sent them a message affirming the total support of the whole Olympic Movement: *“The hundreds of millions of individuals throughout the world who share the Olympic ideals of brotherhood, friendship, understanding and peace, are convinced that real and significant progress will be made along the road towards world peace during this meeting. The Olympic Movement is fully aware of the importance of this historic event which will strengthen its own position within this sphere, and consequently wishes to express its warmest and sincerest wishes for success.”*