



PRESS RELEASE

Interchange raises more than CZK 40,000 for the 'People in Need' organisation through its public collection boxes at Václav Havel Airport Prague.

Prague, 18th July, 2017: The International Interchange Group ('Interchange'), one of the leading foreign exchange providers in the world, and in the Czech Republic with 40 local branches, is pleased to announce that it has raised more than CZK 40,000 for the 'People in Need' organisation that it supports through its collection boxes at Prague Airport. This amount has been raised in just the first three months of the boxes being available, and will go to support disadvantaged children in the Czech Republic.

Interchange installed eight collection boxes at its various different exchange offices at Prague Airport at the beginning of April, and five of them were filled up within just three months, with the amount raised totaling CZK 42,196. The boxes are now back at the exchange offices and it is hoped that even more money will be raised over the coming months, with Prague Airport being at its very busiest at this time of the year.

All monies collected in the collection boxes within the People in Need's public collection "Better School for All" are intended for programs focusing on social integration especially in the education of children living in the Czech Republic in difficult conditions. Through this programme, People in Need organizes tutoring in families individually or in groups, and also encourages parents to supervise their children and ensure that they do their homework.

Talking about this first collection Jiří Krejča from Interchange, said:

"I am very pleased that we have extended the cooperation between the 'People In Need' organisation and Václav Havel Airport Prague by adding new collection boxes in both terminals. On the recommendation of the CEO of the International Interchange Group, Alastair Holberton, we agreed with the People in Need that the money from our collection boxes will be given to a useful project such as the 'Better School for All' initiative, and big thanks go to all of our anonymous donors!"

For more information on Interchange, go to www.interchange.cz. To find out more about the Better School for All project, go to www.lepsiskolaprovsechny.cz.

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About Interchange

The Interchange Group is one of the world's leaders in currency exchange and money transfer for both private and corporate customers.

Established in 1990, the Group operates more than 130 foreign exchange branches, including 40 in the Czech Republic, and over 1200 Western Union agencies in 14 countries on four continents.

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