

# P R E S S R E L E A S E



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## **The German Ambassador to the Republic of Croatia, Dr. Gebhardt Weiss officially opens construction site at the kindergarten in Hrvatska Kostajnica, Banovina and Kordun**

The German Ambassador to the Republic of Croatia, Dr. Gebhardt Weiss visited Hrvatska Kostajnica on 27 May 2003 to inaugurate the start of works at the "Krijesnica" kindergarten. Dr. Weiss opened the construction site by symbolically removing the first tile from the roof of the kindergarten. The construction works at the kindergarten include the provision of a new roof.

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The kindergarten has been facing severe difficulties with the organization of normal classes due to the leaking roof. The total value of this investment amounts to € 19,000, out of which € 10,000 have been provided by the German Embassy and € 9,000 by the European Union.

As a token of their appreciation, the children of the kindergarten organized a play for the guests at the ceremony.



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