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ROMANIA –
VOIVODENI self-help

*Dear Friends and
Supporters,*



As most of SB Foundation's friends already know, we have introduced certain self-help projects in the village of Voivodeni in Romania, so that the people there can build small businesses and become self-sufficient. The Katona family recently came to the application committee in the village inquiring if SB Foundation might help them financially so they could start a beekeeping business. The Board of SB Foundation decided to grant them SEK 10,000, which should be enough for 5-6 good beehives. Romania is a country known for its excellent honey.

Both SB Foundation Board Members Gloria and Lena have met beekeepers in Romania who drive around the country with differently colored beehives in the back of their open trucks so that the bees can collect nectar in the areas where flowers are in full bloom. For example, Lena's friends drove every year with their bees from Bogdand in the northwestern part of the country to the Black Sea in the southeast – a distance of 850 km (531 miles) – where the

flowering began earlier and where there were lots of flowers for the bees.

We hope the bee keeping turns out well for the Katona family and wish them good luck.



A warm thank you for your gifts with greetings from **SB Foundation** and us on the board,
Arne, Elisabeth, Gloria, Ivar, Lena, Roger

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