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Message from Nick Clegg MP

I'm delighted to give my support to the APPG on Pneumococcal Disease Prevention in the Developing World's efforts on the occasion of World Pneumonia Day.

I know that 2 million children die from this disease every year – even though it is entirely preventable. Each death is a scar on the conscience of all of us. World Pneumonia Day is a real opportunity to raise awareness of the impact of this illness and to remind the developed world of its responsibility to act.

It's fantastic that many governments have pledged support for research into vaccines which could save millions of lives – and I welcome efforts to bring this issue to the forefront of our minds. I wish you all every success in marking the occasion – and in working to end this terrible scourge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Nick Clegg".

Nick Clegg MP

Leader of the Liberal Democrats