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Story: IOC President Thomas Bach praises Olympic Village construction ahead of Olympic Winter Games PyeongChang 2018

Date: 15th March 2017

Location: PyeongChang Olympic Village, Gangwon province, Republic of Korea

SHOT LOG & transcripts of soundbites:

00:02 Tilt shot of under construction apartment complex in PyeongChang Olympic Village, Gangwon province, Republic of Korea.

00:14 Aerial shot of IOC President Thomas Bach, PyeongChang representatives and selected Olympic athletes posing for media.

00:20 IOC President Thomas Bach greets executive director of PyeongChang Olympic Village and various construction workers.

00:25 IOC President Thomas Bach chats with PyeongChang worker
about construction progress.

00:29 - **SOUNDBITE:** IOC President Thomas Bach (English Language)

“I think it will be an excellent Village. I have seen the progress since being here last time, just six months ago. The apartments are looking friendly and spacious and I was happy to hear from the athletes accompanying me here that they also felt very comfortable”.

00:49 IOC and PyeongChang representatives continue their visit.

00:56 View of PyeongChang Olympic Village scale model.

01:02 IOC President Thomas Bach and visiting committee continue their tour of the Olympic Village.

01:08 A representative of PyeongChang Olympic Village shares a few words with the guests.
01:12 Wide of sports hall in PyeongChang Olympic Village.

01:20 IOC President Thomas Bach and visiting party are shown around the sports hall.

01:27 Representatives of Canadian Olympic Committee take a “selfie” photograph with IOC President Thomas Bach.

01:37 - SOUNDBITE: IOC President Thomas Bach (English Language)

“PyeongChang 2018 has all the ingredients to be excellent Games for the athletes; with compact venues and with a great Olympic Village. So I am really looking forward to the ninth of February when the games will start here”.

01:59 The visitors emerge from a building in the PyeongChang Olympic Village.
02:05 A member of the Canadian Olympic Committee “tries out” the bed in one of the apartments of the PyeongChang Olympic Village.

02:18 View of show apartment in PyeongChang Olympic Village.

02:23 Visiting party, lead by IOC President Thomas Bach, visits apartment in PyeongChang Olympic Village.

02:26 View of restroom.

02:31 Representatives of PyeongChang Olympic Village gather around IOC President Thomas Bach.

02:35 Drone footage of PyeongChang Olympic Village under construction.

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