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"Teaching Remembrance: Cultural Heritage - Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow"

3rd Seminar of European Ministers of Education¹

Prague and Terezin, Czech Republic, 24-25 April 2006

Draft Programme

¹ Organised in the framework of the Council of Europe Activity "Day of Remembrance of the Holocaust and of prevention of crimes against humanity"

Accommodation and Registration of participants

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Sunday, 23 April 2006

Arrival of Participants at the Andel's Hotel, Prague

10 am - 12 am Registration of participants at the Andel's Hotel

Cultural Programme (optional):

12 noon

A. Guided visit of Prague or

B. Guided Visit of Kutnā Hora, UNESCO World Heritage Site

(50 km from Prague)

4 pm - 6 pm

Registration of participants at the Andel's Hotel

6.30 pm

Departure by bus to Letenský Zámeček restaurant

7 pm

Dinner offered by Ms Petra Buzková, Minister of Education, Youth and Sports

of the Czech Republic

Monday, 24 April 2006

8.30 - 9 am Registration of participants at the Andel's Hotel

9.15 am

Rendez-vous in front of the Hotel

9.30 (sharp)

Departure by bus to Terezín

(divided according to language preference: French, English)

10.45 am

Arrival at the Museum of the Ghetto, Terezin

10.45 - 11 am Coffee break

11 am

Official opening of the Seminar

- Ms Gabriella Battaini-Dragoni, Director General, Education, Culture and Heritage, Youth and Sport on behalf of the Secretary General of the Council of Europe
- Ms Petra Buzková, Minister of Education, Youth and Sports of the Czech Republic

Chair: Mr Jan Munk, Director of the Museum

 "The remains of Terezin" by Ms Gabriella Battaini-Dragoni, Director General, Education, Culture and Heritage, Youth and Sport

11.15 am -1 pm

Plenary session: "Yesterday"

- Testimony on life at Terezin's camp by Ms Liza Miková
- Brundibar (excerpts of recorded music) with explanations by Mr Jan Munk
- The Myth of "Degenerate Music" by Mr Eckhard John
- "Educational use of the Memorial" by Mr Vojtěch Blodig
- "Educational activities of the Jewish Museum in Prague"
 by Ms Marie Zahradníková, Jewish Museum in Prague
- "Return and beginning of a new life"
 by Ms Dagmar Lieblová, President of the Terezin Initiative

Lunch at the "Café Memorial" 1.30 pm Welcome by Mr Jan Horniček, Mayor of Terezin 2.30 pm Transfer by bus to the Small Fortress Commemorative visit at the central cemetery of Terezin Wreath of flowers on behalf of the Council of Europe 3.30 -Transfer to the Ghetto Museum 3.45 pm 3.45 pm Coffee break 4.30 pm Visit of the Ghetto of the city of Terezin 6 p.m Visit of the exhibition "in the footsteps of a lost Jewish intelligentsia" Dinner at the Theatre in the former Magdeburg Barracks 6.45 pm Return by bus to Prague 8.30 pm Tuesday, 25 April 2006 Departure from the Hotel to Charles University 9 am 9.30 am Plenary Session in the Patriotic Hall (Carolinum) "Today and Tomorrow" Chair: Ms Petra Buzková, Minister of Education, Youth and Sports of the Czech Republic Welcome speeches by: Mr Václav Hampl, Rector of Charles University Ms Petra Buzková, Minister of Education, Youth and Sports of the Czech Republic Keynote Speech by Václav Havel 10.15 am Round table: "Day of Remembrance of the Holocaust and of prevention of

crimes against humanity" in schools of the signatory States of the European Cultural Convention through diplomacy of remembrance: statements by the Ministers of Education (or Heads of delegation) and by the observers.

11 am-11.15 am Coffee break

11.15-12.30 p.m Plenary Session (continuation)

12.30 - 1 pm Closing session

- Summary by Mr Norbert Engel, Inspecteur général de la Culture.
- Statement by Dr Carole Reich, Secretary of the Standing Conference of European Ministers of Education of the Council of Europe
- Conclusions by Ms Petra Buzková, Minister of Education, Youth and Sports of the Czech Republic

1 pm Lunch Buffet at (Reception Hall) the Carolinum

Visit of the Jewish Quarter in Prague 2 pm

4 pm Return to the Hotel and departure of participants