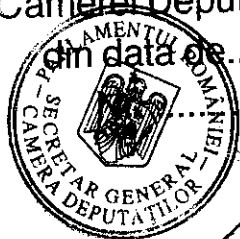


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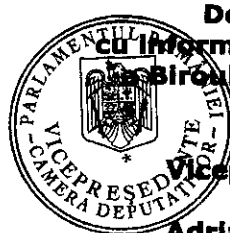


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Cabinet Secretar General



De acord,
cu informarea ulterioară
la Biroului Permanent

Vicepreședinte

Adrian Năstase

București, 7 decembrie 2009

Nr. 61/84

MEMORANDUM INTERN

De la: domnul Gheorghe Barbu, secretar general al Camerei Deputaților

Către: Biroul Permanent al Camerei Deputaților

**Tema: Participarea la aniversarea a 65 de ani de la eliberarea din lagărele
de concentrare de la Auschwitz-Birkenau
(Cracovia, 26-27 ianuarie 2010)**

Cu ocazia comemorării Zilei Europene a Holocaustului, Organizația Europeană de promovare a democrației, păcii și dialogului, „Prietenii Europeni ai Israelului (EFI), ai cărei membri sunt parlamentari din cadrul Parlamentului European, cât și din cadrul parlamentelor naționale din întreaga Europă, va aniversa 65 de ani de la eliberarea din lagărele de concentrare de la Auschwitz-Birkenau, la Cracovia, în zilele de 26 și 27 ianuarie 2010.

La această acțiune urmează să participe președinți de parlamente din țările

europene, parlamentari din cadrul Parlamentului European și din cadrul parlamentelor naționale din Europa precum și parlamentari ai Knesset-ului israelian.

În acest sens, Domnul Gunnar Hokmark, președintele EFI, a transmis o invitație de participare la acest eveniment.

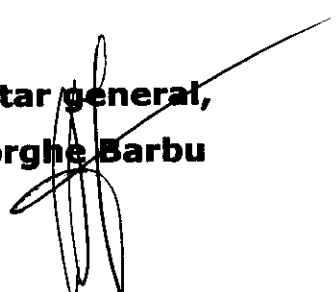
Din partea Camerei Deputaților urmează să participe domnul deputat Vainer Aurel, membru al Grupului parlamentar al minorităților naționale din Camera Deputaților și Președintele Federației Comunităților Evreiești din România, domnul deputat Nicolae Păun, Președintele Comisiei pentru drepturile omului, culte și problemele minorităților naționale și domnul Mircea Șovagău, expert parlamentar în cadrul Direcției generale afaceri externe.

Acțiunea are caracter parlamentar conform art. 3, alin e, al HBP 1/2003 modificată și completată prin HBP 5/2007.

Propunem:

- să se aprobe participarea delegației la această acțiune;
- deplasarea să se efectueze cu avionul pe ruta București-Cracovia și retur, cu plecare din București în 26 ianuarie 2010, ora 06:00 (LO 644) și întoarcere în 28 ianuarie 2010, ora 01:20 (LO 643), conform traseului alăturat;
- să se acorde drepturi de diurnă categoria a II-a, 100% pentru 2 zile, cazare plafon B pentru o noapte și un avans de 50% cu decontare ulterioară;
- recalcularea cheltuielilor să se facă la întoarcerea în țară pe baza documentelor justificative.

**Secretar general,
Gheorghe Barbu**



Brussels, December 4, 2009

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Please find attached the programme of this crucial event and once-in-a-lifetime experience.

We hope that you will be able to join us and look forward to your reply,

Yours sincerely,


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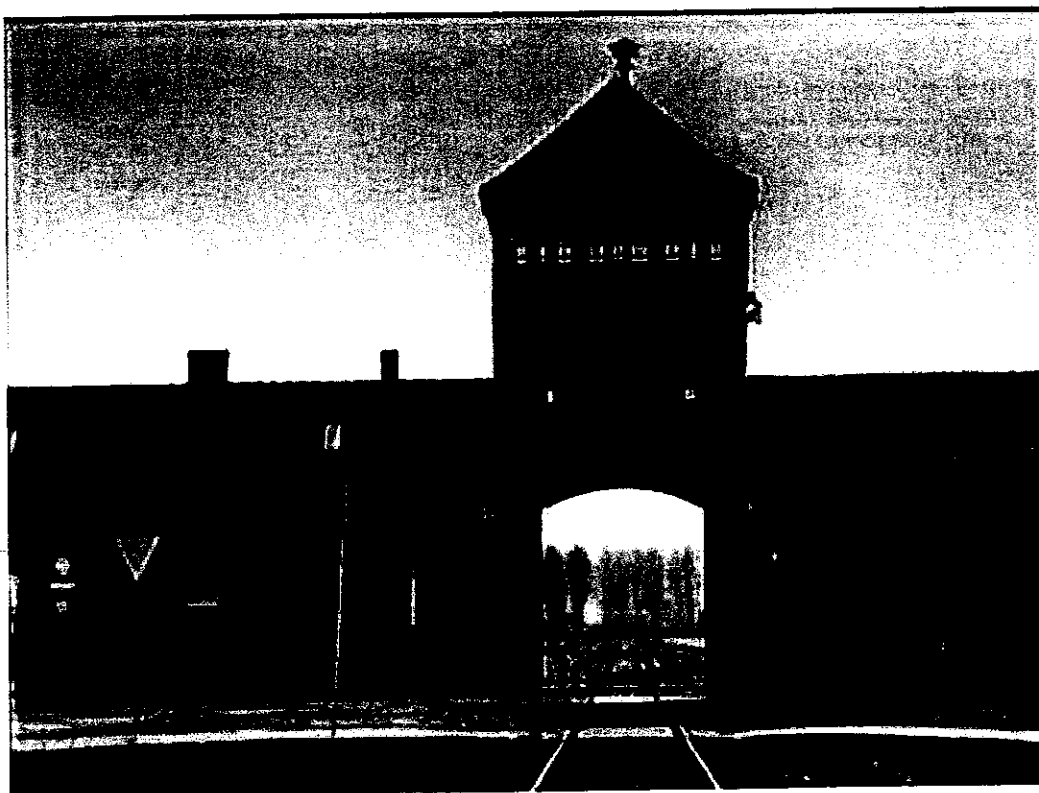
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THE 3RD EFI MISSION TO AUSCHWITZ
26 – 27 January 2010

On the occasion of
European Holocaust Remembrance Day



**65th Anniversary of the Liberation of the
Auschwitz-Birkenau Camps**

REMEMBERING THE PAST TO FOSTER A PEACEFUL FUTURE
A United Europe Against Anti-Semitism, Racism and Xenophobia

***DRAFT PROGRAM OF THE 3RD EFI MISSION IN COMMEMORATION OF
THE 65TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE LIBERATION OF AUSCHWITZ-BIRKENAU***

26 January 2010

- 12:30-13:30 Opening Lunch for the early arrivals
- 13.45-15.30 Sightseeing of the Old City of Krakow (Dress warmly)
- 15.30-16.00 Break – return to the Sheraton Hotel
- 16.00-19:30 Special Symposium :
 1. Remembering the Holocaust and Fighting Anti-Semitism
 2. The Post Holocaust World
 3. Promoting Tolerance and Dialogue for a Peaceful Future
- 20:00 – 22:00 Welcome cocktail and dinner, with speeches by high officials

Dress code: Casual

27 January 2010

- 6.30-7.00 Early Breakfast at the Hotel
- 7.00*-8.00 Meeting in the Lobby at the Sheraton Hotel and Transfer to former Nazi Death
Camp in Auschwitz-Birkenau
**Check-out from the Hotel for those who are departing on the 27th of January*

Dress code: Warmly dressed

- Visit to the Aushwitz Museum
 - Short visit to Auschwitz I
 - Laying wreaths in front of the execution wall.
 - Visit to Auschwitz II (Birkenau)
 - Laying of wreaths and religious service.
- 12:00 Official ceremony on the occasion of the European *Holocaust Remembrance Day*
- 13.00 Lunch break
- 14.00 End of the program: Transfer to the airport/Hotel



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JEWISH HERITAGE ROUTE – THE DISTRICT OF KAZIMIERZ IN KRAKOW

Originally, Kazimierz which got its name according to its founder King Kazimierz Wielki (Kazimierz the Great), was an independent town. At the turn of the 15th Century, it became the centre of two cultures: Christian and Jewish. Many heritage buildings



the Tempel Synagogue

(especially sacral architecture) that bear testimony to the magnificence of these cultures can be admired to this day.

The Jewish Heritage Route begins at very lively Centre for Jewish Culture (in Meisels's Street) and leads toward the Jewish temples – in turn: the Tempel Synagogue (Miodowa Street), built in 1862 for the Association of Progressive Israelites, Kupa Synagogue (Warszauer's Street) and Isaac Synagogue (Jakuba Street) – both from 17th century, and, last but not least, the High Synagogue (Jozef's Street) from 1590, the tallest of Krakow synagogues.

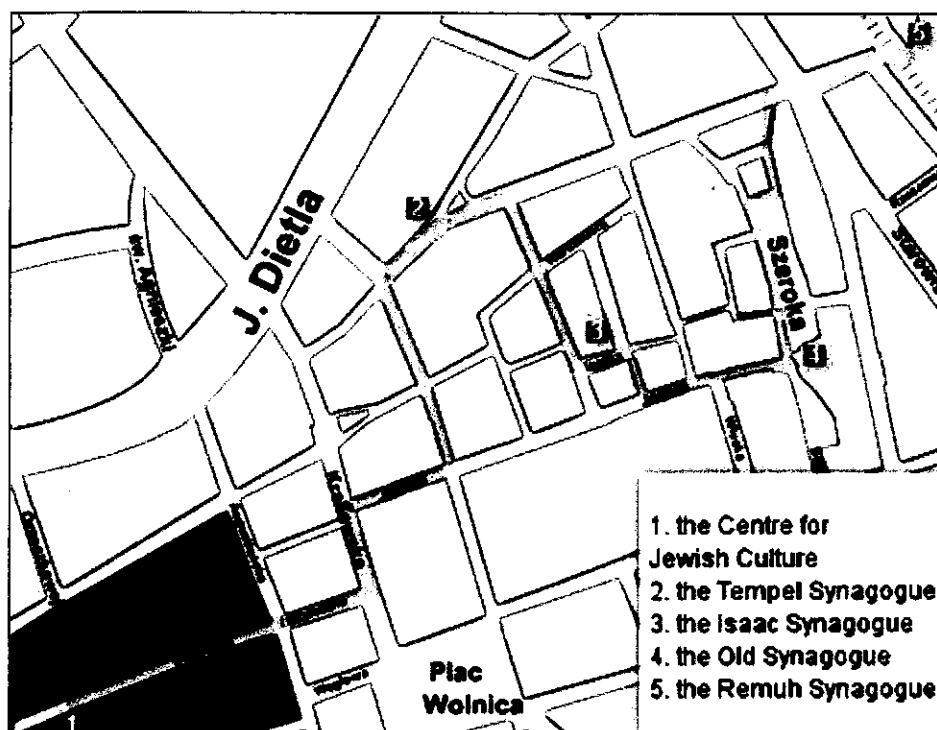
The culmination of the route is Szeroka Street – a street with three Jewish temples, including the most precious Old Synagogue (Alte Schul), being the most ancient Jewish building in Poland as its origin dates back to the 15th century. Nowadays the synagogue houses a branch of the Historical Museum of the City of Krakow and presents an exhibition devoted to the history and culture of Krakow Jews.



Beside the Renaissance Remuh Synagogue (1557), one of the three oldest in Europe, there is historic kirkut – the Jewish cemetery dating back to even earlier times (1511). Among the tombs, there is that of Rabbi Moses Isserles (died 1572), to which Jews make pilgrimage from the furthest parts of the world. Having visited the 17th-century Popper Synagogue, we leave the historic core of Kazimierz to see the New Jewish Cemetery in Miodowa Street.

For almost seven hundred years, Krakow was home to a large Jewish community. This was all but extinguished during the World War II, yet the echoes of this world can still be felt across the city. Kazimierz now has a Jewish cultural centre, several Jewish style restaurants with appropriate cooking and klezmer music every evening. Every year in June there is a festival of Jewish culture when music fills the streets, drawing a host of young Polish and international fans.

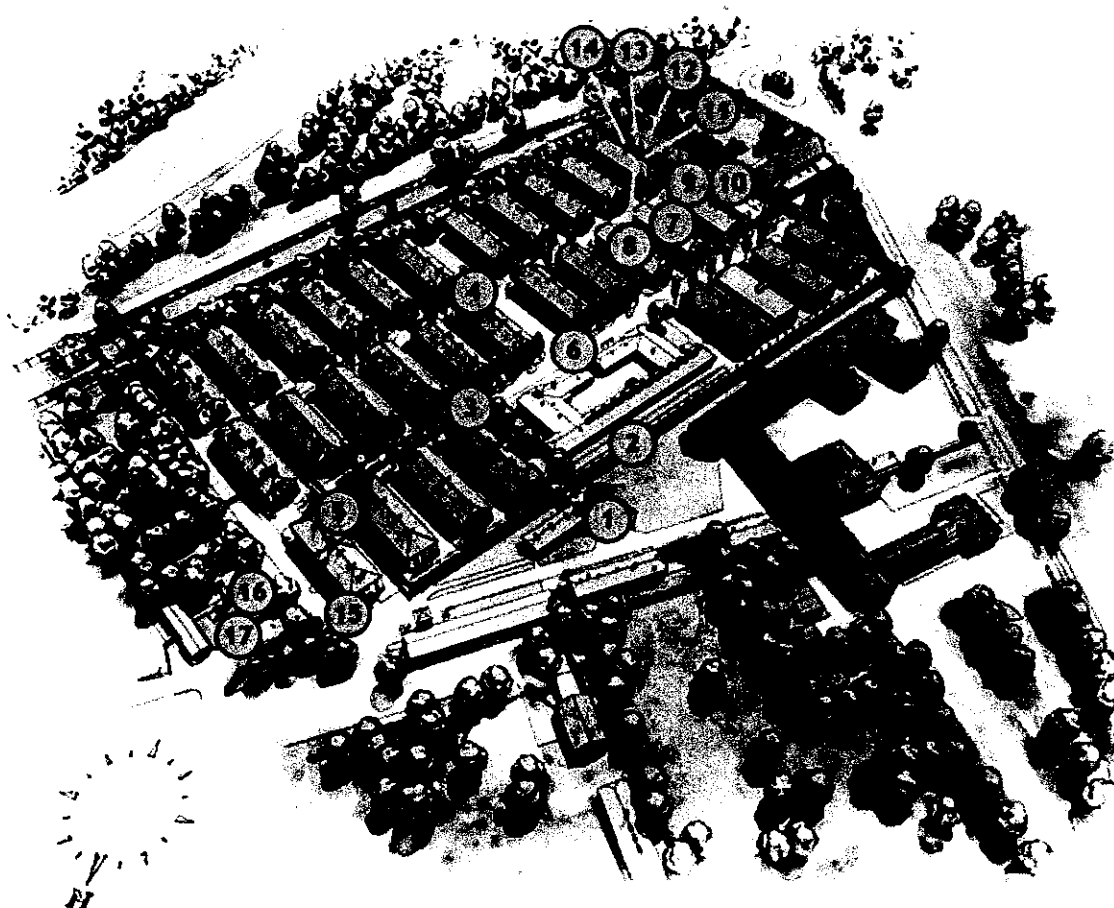
Map of the Center of Krakow





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Virtual tour — Auschwitz I



Legend:

1. The "Arbeit Macht Frei" gate
2. Exit from the camp
3. Auschwitz I — entrance way
4. The roll-call square (part 1)
5. Electrified fence
6. The roll-call square (part 2)
7. Krankebau (the waiting room to the gas*)
8. Block 11
9. The entrance to the "Wall of Death" yard
11. Cells in the basement of block 11

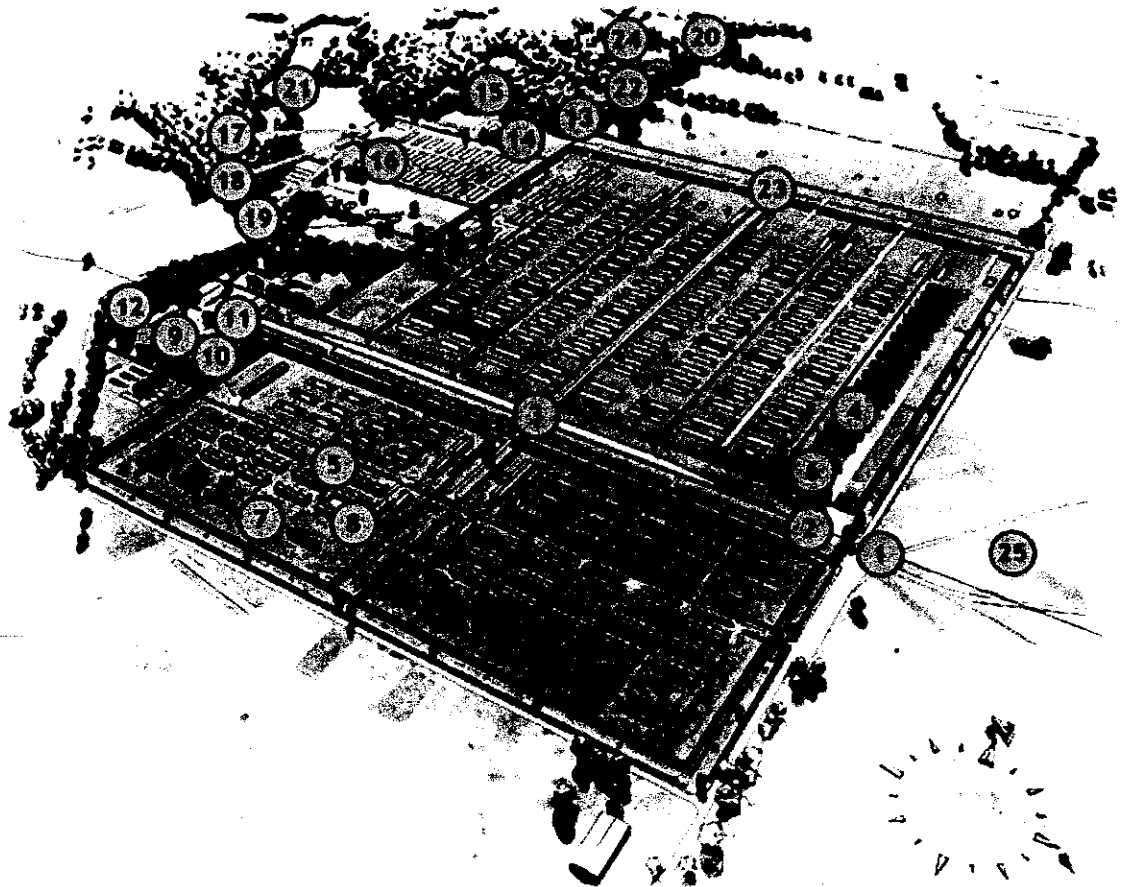
10. Blocks 10 and 11(aerial view)



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- 12. Block 11 – standing cells
- 13. The cell of Edek Galiński
- 14. The cell of father Maksymilian Kolbe
- 15. Crematorium I
- 16. The gas chamber in crematorium I
- 17. Crematorium I (inside)

Virtual tour — Auschwitz II-Birkenau



Legend:

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| 1. The "Gate of death" (part I) | 10. Crematorium II (inside) | 19. The sauna (part III) |
| 2. The "Gate of death" (part II) | 11. Crematorium II (general view) | 20. Bunker I – "the little red house" |
| 3. The unloading ramp | 12. The last moments | 21. Bunker II – "the little white house" |
| 4. Wooden living hut | 13. Little wood (crematoria) | 22. Burning pits |
| 5. Brick living hut | 14. Pond with ashes | 23. So-called Mexico |
| 6. Latrine at Men's Camp | 15. Crematorium V | 24. Cemetery of Russian POWs |
| 7. Latrine at Women's Camp | 16. "Kanada" and the sauna | 25. Altejudenrampe – the old unloading ramp |
| 8. The penal company | 17. The sauna (part I) | |
| 9. Crematorium II (model) | 18. The sauna (part II) | |

THE SHERATON HOTEL

