

Programme for Media Representatives

(as of 25 March 2009)

Informal Meeting of Ministers of Foreign Affairs Hluboká nad Vltavou, 27 – 28 March 2009

Thursday, 26 March 2009

This day is reserved for arrival of media representatives, pick-up of accreditation badges and installation of technical equipment in the TV and radio booths.

Friday, 27 March 2009

11:45 – 12:30, Hluboká nad Vltavou Castle (Main Castle Gate)

Photo opportunity and doorstep statement

Departure of journalists from the press centre from 11:00.

12:30 – 12:40, Hluboká nad Vltavou Castle (Great Dining Hall)

Photo opportunity – welcome by Minister K. Schwarzenberg

Entry only for host photographers and TV host broadcaster.

14:45 – 14:50, Hluboká nad Vltavou Castle (Aleš South Bohemian Gallery)

Photo opportunity – family photo

Departure of photographers and cameramen from the press centre at 14:15.

15:00 – 15:15, Hluboká nad Vltavou Castle (Library)

Photo opportunity – 'tour de table'

Entry only for host photographers and TV host broadcaster.

17:30 – 18:00, Aleš South Bohemian Gallery (Main Hall)

Presidency press conference with Minister K. Schwarzenberg, Commissioner responsible for External Relations and European Neighbourhood Policy Benita Ferrero-Waldner and HR/SG Javier Solana.

Departure of journalists from the press centre at 17:10.

18:00 – 20:00, Aleš South Bohemian Gallery (briefing rooms)

National briefings of individual delegations with journalists

Times and venues of the national briefings will be announced on the CCTV in the press centre.

20:30 – 24:00, České Budějovice Malý Pivovar (Small Brewery) Hotel

Accompanying programme for media representatives

Informal meeting for journalists –buffet dinner.

Saturday, 28 March 2009

8:30 – 9:15, Hluboká nad Vltavou Castle (Main Castle Gate)

Photo opportunity and doorstep statement

Departure of journalists from the press centre from 8:00.

10:30 – 11:00, Hluboká nad Vltavou Castle (Main Castle Gate)

Photo opportunity and doorstep statement – delegations of candidate countries (Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Croatia, Turkey)

Departure of journalists from the press centre from 10:00.

11:00 – 11:15, Hluboká nad Vltavou Castle (Library)

Photo opportunity –‘tour de table’

Entry only for host photographers and TV host broadcaster.

11:45 – 11:55, Hluboká nad Vltavou Castle (Main Castle Gate)

Photo opportunity – welcoming of delegations of the countries of the Western Balkans

Departure of photographers and cameramen from the press centre at 11:25

Transfer of photographers and cameramen to the family photo – approximately 3 minutes.

12:00 – 12:05, Hluboká nad Vltavou Castle (Aleš South Bohemian Gallery)

Photo opportunity – family photo with the countries from the Western Balkans

Departure of photographers and cameramen from the press centre at 11:30.

14:30 – 15:00, Aleš South Bohemian Gallery (Main Hall)

Presidency press conference with Minister K. Schwarzenberg, Commissioner for Enlargement O. Rhen and and HR/SG Javier Solana.

Departure of journalists from the press centre at 14:10.

15:00 – 17:00, Aleš South Bohemian Gallery (briefing rooms)

National briefings of individual delegations with journalists

Times and venues of the national briefings will be announced on the CCTV in the press centre.

Accompanying programme for media representatives

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic organises an informal buffet dinner for media representatives in the Malý Pivovar (Small Brewery) Hotel in České Budějovice on Friday 27 March at 20:30. For further information contact the information desk at the press centre or via email at Kristina_kvapilova@mzv.cz.