



The Committee for the Compensation of the Romani Holocaust and the Heinrich Böll Foundation in co-operation with Goethe-Institut Prag and Austrian Cultural Forum Prague would like to invite you to the memorial act and the seminar on
"Minority Policy in Member States of the EU 25 regarding the Roma and Sinti Minority"

13 May 2005 Memorial act

Venue:	The site of the makeshift cemetery of the former concentration camp Lety by Písek
9:30	Departure of participants of the seminar by bus to Lety by Písek (in front of the main gate to the Florenc Bus Station under the bridge of the highway by the stop of the city bus No. 133. The bus will have the inscription "Lety".)
12:00	Speakers: Čeněk Růžička , Chair of the CCRH Representative of the Federation of the Jewish Community in Prague Representative of the public Representative of the church Holy Mass Literary contribution of a Roma poet
14:00	Departure of the bus from Lety to Prague

14 May 2005 Seminar

Venue:	Goethe-Institut Prag, Masarykovo nábřeží 32, 110 00 Prague 1 tram stop "Národní divadlo", tram No. 6, 9, 17, 18, 21 and 22
Moderator:	Dr. Jaroslav Šonka
Program	
10:00	Welcoming remarks: Čeněk Růžička , Chair of the CCRH Eva van de Rakt , Head of the Prague Office of the Heinrich Böll Foundation Dr. Stephan Nobbe , Director of the Goethe-Institut Prag
10:15	Minority Policy in the EU 25 Viktória Mohácsi , Member of the European Parliament Milan Horáček , Member of the European Parliament

10:45	Situation of the Roma and Sinti in the EU 25 - Experiences with Minority Policy Roman Kwiatkowski , President of the Roma Association in Poland Rosa Martl , Secretary-General of the organization Ketani for Sinti and Roma in Austria Ladislav Richter , Chair of the Council of the NGOs of the Roma Communities, Member of the Council for Nongovernmental Organizations of the Slovak Republic Romani Rose , Chair of the Central Council of German Sinti and Roma, Germany László Teleki , Political State Secretary of Roma Affairs, Ministry of Youth, Social Affairs, Family and Equal Opportunities, Hungary
12:15	Lunch
13:00	Lety by Písek – Dealing with the Past as a Basis for the Future Čeněk Růžička , Chair of the CCRH, Czech Republic
13:30	Sterilizations of Romani Women in the Czech Republic Mgr. Michaela Tomisová , IQ Roma Service, Czech Republic
14:15	Decade of Roma Inclusion Bc. Gabriela Hrahaňová , Chair of the Athinganoi, Czech Republic representative of the Czech Republic within the international program "Decade of Roma Inclusion"
15:00	Refreshments
15:30	Program of the Government of the Czech Republic for Integration of the Roma: Problems and Perspectives ThMgr. Svatopluk Karásek , Human Rights Commissioner of the Government of the Czech Republic Mgr. Kateřina Jacques , Office of the Government of the Czech Republic
16:30	Closing discussion

The seminar shall be simultaneously interpreted.

Please confirm your participation by 6 May 2005:

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