

Modern Slavery The Impact of Labour Trafficking in Europe

The Parliament Palace, I.G. Duca Hall
Bucharest, 11th of October 2012



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Dear Guest,

The British Embassy in Bucharest and the International Organization for Migration (IOM), Mission in Romania welcome you to the high level conference: *“Modern Slavery: The Impact of Labour Trafficking in Europe”*, the Romanian Parliament Palace, the I. G. Duca Hall, the 11th of October 2012.

We are honoured to have you present at this conference.

People trafficking for the purpose of labour exploitation is a growing problem. The Conference aims at increasing awareness among concerned governmental institutions and organisations as well as media regarding the labour trafficking phenomenon in Romania, its dimensions and human stories and at sharing information and addressing the core problems related to human trafficking in general and labour trafficking in particular.

Within the conference the *“Trafficking Stories”* Exhibition will be launched. The exhibition will feature photographs and stories of human trafficking aiming at focusing the attention of the conference participants and of the media on the issue of human trafficking, with a special accent on labour trafficking.

Please find enclosed a copy of the detailed conference agenda.

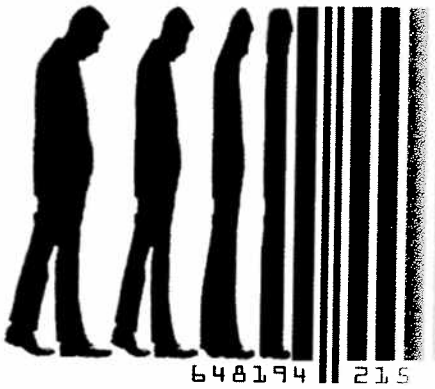
The British Embassy in Bucharest and the International Organization for Migration (IOM), Mission in Romania wish to use this opportunity to convey to you the expression of their highest consideration.

Martin Harris

British Ambassador to Romania

Ion Crăciunel

Head of the IOM Mission in Romania



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CONFERENCE AGENDA

09:30 – 10:00

Welcome of the participants

10:00 - 12:00

Plenary session

Conference opening speeches and key note presentations

Moderator:

Ms. Esther Blythe, The British Embassy in Romania

10:00 – 10:15

His Excellency Martin Harris

The British Ambassador to Romania

Welcome speech - Opening of the "Modern Slavery: The Impact of Labour Trafficking in Europe" conference

10:15 – 10:30

Mr. Valeriu Ștefan Zgonea

President of the Deputies Chamber

"Trafficking in human beings, a dynamic European problem"

10:30 – 10:45

His Excellency Bernd Hemingway

IOM Regional Director of the Regional Office for the EEA, the EU and NATO

"The overall IOM activities and expertise in addressing trafficking"

10:45 – 11:00

Mr. Ion Crăciunel

Head of the IOM Office in Romania

"IOM activities and expertise in addressing human trafficking in Romania"

11:00 – 11:15

Mrs. Mariana Câmpeanu

Minister of Labour Family and Social Protection

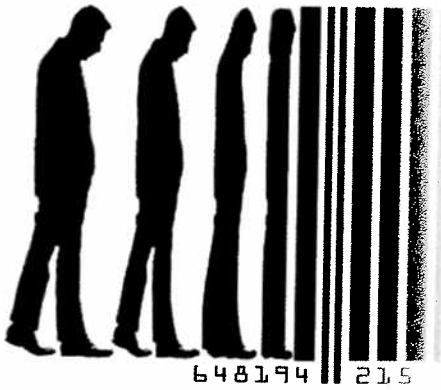
"Measures against labour exploitation in Romania"

11:15 – 11:30

Mr. Ovidiu Dranga

Secretary of State, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

"Consular support provided to Romanian citizens in vulnerable situations outside Romania"



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11:30 – 11:45 | **Mr. Ioan-Nicolae Căbulea**
Principal quaestor, Secretary of State, Head of the Public Order and Safety Department, the Ministry of Administration and Interior
“Mechanisms of the Ministry of Administration and Interior in identifying and fighting trafficking in human beings”

11:45 – 12:00 | **Mr. Adrian George Petrescu**
Head of the Monitoring, Evaluation and Victim Coordination Unit, The National Agency against Trafficking in Persons, the Ministry of Administration and Interior
“Human trafficking in Romania. Issues and stories of Romanian citizens, victims of human trafficking”

12:00 – 12:30
Coffee & Tea break

You are invited to join us in the I. G. Duca Hall Lobby for a cup of coffee or tea, according to your preference, biscuits and other refreshments.

12:30 – 14:00
Plenary session
Key note presentations

Moderators:

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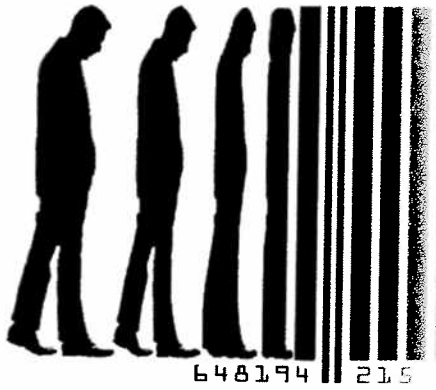
12:30 – 12:40 | **His Excellency Johannes Hendrik Mattheus (Matthijis) van Bonzel**
The Dutch Ambassador to Romania
“Human trafficking from the Dutch perspective”

12:40 – 12:50 | **His Excellency Jean-Hubert Lebet**
The Ambassador of Switzerland to Romania
“Human trafficking from the Swiss perspective”

12:50 – 13:00 | **His Excellency Philippe Beke**
The Ambassador of Belgium to Romania
“Human trafficking from the Belgian perspective”

13:00 – 13:10 | **His Excellency Andreas von Mettenheim**
The Ambassador of Germany to Romania
“Human trafficking from the German perspective”

13:10 – 13:50 | **Mr. Cătălin Luca**
Executive Director, Alternative Sociale
“Victim Assistance: resources and impediments”



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14:00 – 14:30
Plenary Session
Questions and Answers

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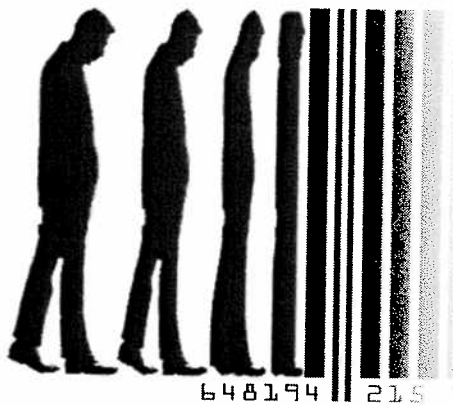
14:30 – 15:30
Lunch

15:30 – 16:30
Launching of the “Traffic Stories” Exhibition
Interviews for the Press
&
Networking drinks

Host:

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Thank you for the honour of having you present at the Conference!



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