

## DRAFT PROGRAMME

### *Meeting of the Committees on Economic Affairs of the V4 Parliaments 15 – 16 February 2016, Prague*

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#### **Monday, 15 February 2016**

Arrival of the delegations

***Accommodation in hotel HOTEL ROYAL PALACE \*\*\*\*\*  
Letenská 11, 118 19 Prague 1***

#### **18.00 Welcome Gala Dinner**

*Main Hall of the Waldstein Palace, Senate of the Parliament of the Czech Republic,  
Valdštejnské náměstí 17/4, Prague 1*

*With the participation of:*

*H.E. Ms. Grazyna BERNATOWICZ*

*Ambassador, Embassy of the Republic of Poland to the Czech Republic*

*H.E. Mr. Tibor PETŐ*

*Ambassador, Embassy of the Republic of Hungary to the Czech Republic*

*H.E. Mr. Peter WEISS*

*Ambassador, Embassy of the Republic of Slovak Republic to the Czech Republic*

21.30 End of the dinner

#### **Tuesday, 16 February 2016**

08.45 Departure from the hotel to the Liechtenstein Palace  
*(Walking distance)*

09.00 Opening - Chairman of the Committee on Economic Affairs of the Chamber  
of Deputies of the Parliament of the Czech Republic Mr. Ivan Pilný

#### **09.05 Session I - Cooperation on transport infrastructure**

*Keynote speaker: Minister of Transport of the Czech Republic Mr. Dan Ťok*  
Debate, Conclusions

10.30 Coffee break

## **11.00 Session II – Energy Strategy and Security**

*Keynote speaker: Minister of Industry and Trade of the Czech Republic Mr. Jan Mládek*  
Debate, Conclusions

Family photo

## **13.00 Buffet lunch**

*(The Historical Building of the Liechtenstein Palace, Foyer)*

## **14.00 Session III – Economic Diplomacy in the Czech Republic and Hungary**

*Keynote speaker: Mr. Martin Tlapa, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs*

*Speaker: Mr. Jenő Manning, Vice-chairman of the Committee on Economics of the National Assembly of Hungary.*

## **15.00 Session IV - Czech Republic presents digital economy**

*Keynote speaker: Mr. Ivan Pilný -Chairman of the Committee on Economic Affairs of the Chamber of Deputies of the Parliament of the Czech Republic*

**The future and support of research, innovations and technological development presents:  
3 top companies**

Speakers: Mr. Petr Knap, Ernst & Young  
Mr. Jiří Drahoš, Chairman, the Czech Academy of Science  
Mr. Vladimír Mařík, Professor, the Czech Technical University

*Debate, Conclusions*

## **17.10 Press Conference**

*Venue: Liechtenstein Palace*

Departure of the delegations

*Simultaneous interpretation into Hungarian and Polish will be provided during the official meeting.*