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CONTRACT OF INVITATION

1. INTRODUCTION OF THE FESTIVAL

The aim of International Folklore Festival SloFolk Slovenia is cultural uniting of Europe! This kind of international collaboration among European states helps strengthening friendship among different nations, tolerating religious differences and getting to know cultural and linguistic differences.

The festival will take place from April 28th to May 3th, 2016, in three Slovenian towns in the Dolenjska region (south-easteren part of Slovenia), namely in Artiče, Novo mesto and Šentvid pri Stični.

SloFolk commits itself to organizing the appearances (performances and animations), leading various activities (Slovenian cultural and natural heritage) and advertising the festival.

2. OBLIGATIONS

Among

International Folklore Festival SloFolk Slovenia, from P.O. box 56, 8000 Novo mesto, SI – Slovenia, represented by Mr. Andrej Kovačič, the president, henceforth »SloFolk«

And

Group: Song and dance ensemble Silesianie, University od economics in Katowice,

from: Katowice,

represented by: Jerzy Stasica,

henceforth »group«.

SloFolk invites the **group**, to participate at International Folklore Festival SloFolk Slovenia, coming on Thursday, April 28th, 2016, around 5 PM in Novo mesto; reception at Straška cesta 44, 8000 Novo mesto (45.814474, 15.144417) - and leaving on Tuesday, May 3th, 2016, at 10 AM.

All the groups under the cover of SloFolk meet on Friday, April 29th, 2016, in Novo mesto at 12.30 PM for all-day activities and animations and an evening performance.

All the groups under the cover of SloFolk meet on Saturday, April 30th, 2016, in Šentvid pri Stični at 12.30 PM for all-day activities and animations and an evening performance.

All the groups under the cover of SloFolk has on Sunday, May 1st, 2016, some activities and afternoon picnic with other participants of festival.

All the groups under the cover of SloFolk meet on Monday May 2nd, 2016, in Artiče at 11.00 AM for all-day activities and animations and an evening performance.

The obligations of **SloFolk**:

- Assures accommodation with breakfast (in youth hostel barrack, daily meals in different inns, restaurants **group**.
- Assures lunch packets to the **group** for the last day.
- Pays the amount of total 150 € for fuel consumption for the distances driven all over Slovenia during the festival (approximately 600 km).
- Assures the group the attendance of an authorized guide for easier communication between the **group** and **SloFolk** during the festival.
- Assures a non-financial assistance at eventual traffic accident or other misfortunes.
- Hands over brochures about Slovenia for easier stay.

The obligation of the **group**:

- Receives this contract and returns one signed copy.
- Determines precise structure of the coming group.
 - o number of men and women; (not more than 30 people all together)
 - o age and partition as for function: leader, dancer, musician, companion, driver
- Indicates all particularities in respect of group member's food wont.
- Assures performances and animations during the festival:
 - o not more than 2 performances per day lasting 15 to 30 min,
 - o some short presentational animations per day,
 - o 2 performances at evening concert (2 x 8 min).
- Assures all formalities necessary for staying in Slovenia (passports, visas, vaccination ...)
- Gifts for groups, festival and mayors (3 for groups, 1 for festival, 3 for mayors).
- Assures health insurance for every member of the group.
- Assures means of transport of its own (bus), being able to travel all over Slovenia
- Hosts one of Slovene folklore groups selected by **SloFolk** in its own country **on the** same or similar conditions for the same number of days.
- Assures <u>LIVE</u> music!

All additional changes of this contract must be addressed and described in annex attached to the contract.

(Place)	(Date)
Responsible for the group :	
(name curnama)	(signature)
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