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*The Role of Jewish
Parliamentarians*

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The David Citadel Hotel, Jerusalem Israel

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 7th

- 18:00 **Registration**
(To begin at the conclusion of Shabbat)
- 18:00-20:00 **Meeting of the Steering Committee**
Chairperson: **Lord Janner of Braunstone, QC**
Coordinator: **Stephen Herbits**, Secretary-General of the WJC
- 21:00 **Gala Dinner**
David Citadel Ballroom
Hosted by: **MK Reuven Rivlin**, Speaker of the Knesset

SUNDAY, JANUARY 8th

- 7:30-8:30 **Breakfast**
- 8:30-9:00 **Plenary Opening**
- 9:00-9:30 **MK Benjamin Netanyahu**, Chairman of Likud
- 9:30-12:30 **Electronic Antisemitism**
Chairperson: **Cheryl Halpern** (Corporation for Public Broadcasting, USA)
Guest Speakers: **Roberta Bonazzi** (Chair, European Foundation for Democracy)
Prof. Dina Porat (Director, The Stephen Roth Institute for the Study of Contemporary Antisemitism and Racism, Tel Aviv University)
- 13:00 **Lunch**
Guest speaker: **MK Shimon Peres**, Former Prime Minister
- 14:30-17:00 **Tikkun Olam**
Keynote speaker: **Dr. Bernadine Healy** (Former President of American Red Cross)

- Speakers:* **Haim Divon** (Director, MASHAV, Israel Foreign Ministry)
Will Recant (Director, Non-Sectarian and Disaster Relief Programs, Joint Distribution Committee)

17:15 **Depart for President's Residence**

18:00 **Meeting with the President of Israel**
President's Residence

Host & speaker: **President Moshe Katsav**
"The Jewish World Today"
Presentation and discussion.

19:30 **Dinner**
Bible Lands Museum

Guest speakers: **MK Amir Peretz**, Chairman of Labor Party
Ambassador Gideon Meir, Deputy Director General for Media and Public Affairs in the MFA

MONDAY, JANUARY 9th

7:00-7:45 **Breakfast**

8:00 **Depart for Prime Minister's Office**

9:00-10:00 **Meeting with Prime Minister Ariel Sharon**
Prime Minister's Office

11:00-12:00 **MK Silvan Shalom**, Foreign Minister
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12:00 **Israeli Democracy in Action: Elections 2006**
Speakers: **David Horovitz**, (Editor, *Jerusalem Post*)
Ehud Ya'ari, (Political and Middle East commentator, Channel 2, TV)
Rina Matzliach, (Political correspondent, Channel 2, TV)

13:00 **Lunch**
Subject: Security Briefing

14:30-17:30

Interfaith Relations

Speakers:

Rabbi David Rosen, (President of the International Jewish Committee on Interreligious Consultations)

Lord Mayor of Manchester, Councillor Mohammad Afzal Khan (UK)

H.E. Archbishop Pietro Sambi Apostolic Nuncio

18:00-19:00

Dr. Munther S. Dajani (Sartawi Center for Advancement of Peace and Democracy, Al-Quds University, Jerusalem)

Subject:

Palestinian Affairs in Transition

19:30

Depart for Mini Israel, Latrun

20:00

Dinner

Mini Israel

Speakers:

Rabbi Dr. Israel Singer (Chairman of the Governing Board, World Jewish Congress)

Zeev Bielski (Chairman of the Executive of the Jewish Agency)

MK Avraham Hirshon, Minister of Tourism

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SUNDAY, JANUARY 8TH, 2006

- 7:30-8:30 Breakfast at the hotel
- 9:00 Depart Jerusalem
- 10:00 Arrive in Tel Aviv, Israel's commercial capital
- 10:00-11:00 Discover the Bauhaus architectural treasures of "the White City", recognized as a World Heritage site by UNESCO
- 11:00-11:15 Visit Rabin Square
- 11:30-13:00 Explore Diaspora Museum, which chronicles the 2,500 years of Jewish history
- 13:00 Drive to Jaffa, the world's oldest port
- 13:30-14:30 Lunch
- 14:30-15:30 Walking tour of Jaffa's restored old city and artists' colony with its sweeping panorama of Tel Aviv
- 15:30 Depart for Jerusalem
- 16:30 Arrive in Jerusalem
- 18:00 Reception hosted by President Katsav at the president's residence

TUESDAY, JANUARY 10TH

7:30-8:15

Breakfast

8:30-9:30

Matthew Bronfman (World Jewish Congress)

9:30-10:30

MK Ehud Olmert, Vice Prime Minister and Minister of Finance

11:00-12:30

Closing session

Adopting resolutions, ICJP protocol

13:30

Lunch

14:30

Depart for Yad Vashem

15:00-17:00

Yad Vashem Israel Holocaust Memorial

Visit to new museum