



International Consultation
of Jewish Parliamentarians
Jerusalem, 27-29 June 2011



***The Parliamentary Role in Addressing the Assault against Israel
& the Jewish People: Repairing the Jewish and Human Condition***

AGENDA

MONDAY, JUNE 27, 2011

OPENING DINNER

Welcome by **Congressman Gary Ackerman**, Chairperson of the International Council of Jewish Parliamentarians

Address by **M.K. Yuli Edelstein**, Minister of Public Diplomacy & Diaspora Affairs of Israel, introduced by **M.K. Shai Hermesh**, Chairperson of World Jewish Congress Israel

Address by **Amb. Ronald S. Lauder**, *President of the World Jewish Congress [off the record]*

TUESDAY, JUNE 28, 2011

KNESSET SESSION 1

The Role of Inter-Parliamentary Relations

Discussion between International Parliamentarians and Members of Knesset on the Importance of Relations between Legislatures

Co-Moderated by **Prof. Irwin Cotler, MP (Canada)** & **Mrs. Fiamma Nirenstein, MP (Italy)**

With the participation of **M.K. Rachel Adatto, M.K. Nitzan Horowitz, M.K. Nahman Shai, M.K. Yohanan Plesner. M.K. Anastassia Michaeli, M.K. Avraham Michaeli, M.K. Doron Avital** et. al

Consultation with **M.K. Moshe Ya'alon** Vice Prime Minister & Minister of Strategic Affairs of Israel, introduced by **Rep. Nita Lowey (USA)**

Parliamentarians received by **Mr. Noam Shalit**, father of Gilad Shalit, at the Shalit Tent

Lunch with briefing by **Amb. Rafael Barak**, Director General of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Israel, accompanied by **Haim Assaraf**, Director, Palestinian Affairs Department, MFA; **Eviatar Manor**, Deputy Director General, Head UN & International Organizations Division; and **Sarah Weiss Ma'udi**, Senior Aide, International Law Department.

ICJP CONSULTATIONS: INTERPARLIAMENTARY DISCUSSION & RECOMMENDATIONS

"The Assault on Israel as the Nation State of the Jewish People"

Mr. Dan Diker, Secretary General of the World Jewish Congress

Mr. D.J. Schneeweiss, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Israel

Prof. Gerald Steinberg, President, NGO Monitor

Mr. Ya'akov Ne'eman, Minister of Justice

DINNER & TOUR AT BIBLE LANDS MUSEUM

Address by **Mr. Nir Barkat**, Mayor of Jerusalem

ICJP Founding Chairman **Lord Janner of Braunstone, QC**, (UK)

honoured for lifetime of service to the Jewish People, presented by **Prof.**

Irwin Cotler MP (Canada)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29, 2011

KNESSET SESSION 2

Briefing by **M.K. Gideon Sa'ar**, Minister of Education

Briefing by **M.K. Limor Livnat**, Minister of Culture & Sports of Israel

Address by **M.K. Reuven Rivlin**, Speaker of the Knesset

Consultation with **M.K. Meir Sheerit**, former Minister of Finance; Justice; Transportation; Education, Culture & Sport; Housing & Construction; and Internal Affairs

Welcome at the Knesset Plenary by The Speaker of the Knesset

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"The Arab Uprisings"

Mr. Khaled Abu Toameh, Arab Affairs Correspondent, Jerusalem Post

Mr. Herb Keinon, Jerusalem Post

Mr. Udi Segal, Channel 2

ICJP SESSION: ICJP INTERNAL BUSINESS

Discussion & Resolutions

Election of **Hon. Fiamma Nirenstein** (Italy) as ICJP Chairperson and of ICJP Steering Committee

CLOSING DINNER