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Report on the visit of the Executive President of IBSSA to Bratislava 26 – 27 April 2002, Bratislava/Slovak Republic

Dr. George POPPER, G.O.K.M. – Executive President of IBSSA was invited to Bratislava between 26 – 27 April 2002 by Dr. Vladimir VYSKOC – Country Representative of IBSSA for Slovak Republic. Many other leaders of IBSSA Slovak Republic were also present and the occasion was used for meetings and discussions.

On Friday evening (26th April) Dr. POPPER was invited as honorary guest of the Budo Gala and the Official Reception. The Budo Gala was organised in the Sport Hall of Bratislava with more than 5000 spectators. It was a very successful and professional event.

During his visit in Bratislava, Dr. POPPER had meetings with Dr. Peter RICHTER – former Country Representative of IBSSA and Member of Education and Qualification Department. Dr. RICHTER informed the Executive President, that due to his present job he resigned all his positions in IBSSA but still would like to remain member of the Association. Dr. RICHTER proposed to elect Dr. Vladimir VYSKOC – who is an active member of several IBSSA departments – as the new Country Representative. The members of IBSSA Slovakia agreed and Dr. VYSKOC was appointed Country Representative of IBSSA for Slovak Republic.

Mr. Lubomir KÖSEGI – Owner and Director of O.S.O. Security Co., President of Slovakian Security Companies' Association – also attended all programs and on Saturday he introduced his company and gave information on its activities and goals for the future.

The Executive President and the Leaders of IBSSA Slovakia visited the central offices of one of the most successful security companies – PATROL s.r.o. and they also visited the company's Surveillance Center (GPS system, vehicle surveillance). After Mr. Stefan GVOTH – Director of Patrol s.r.o. expressed his intention to join IBSSA, several possibilities of cooperation came up, like the Hungarian-Slovakian cooperation in GPS vehicle surveillance, cooperation with Microrab Electronics Ltd. Co. through Technical Department of IBSSA or mutual education and extension training.

The Executive President was provided information on the activities of the Training Center in Martin under the leadership of Mr. Rastislav TURIC.

At last Dr. POPPER informed the present leaders on the improvement of IBSSA, about the events – held since the last Congress of IBSSA and about the IBSSA Bodyguard Training courses. They collectively discussed the forthcoming planned events of the Association.

Budapest, 7th May 2002.

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