

Athens 14 July 2016

Attention to:

Dr Ing. Vlastislav Ouroda

Deputy Minister of Culture Czech Republic ,

Vice president of ICOMOS Czech

Dear Vlastislav,

On behalf of the International Committee on Historic Towns and Villages, CIVVIH-ICOMOS, I would like to express my sincerely congratulations and thanks for the excellent organizing of the International Meeting and Scientific Conference of CIVVIH Sub Committee for Central and Eastern Europe in Český Krumlov, Czech Republic on 29th of June – 3rd of July 2016.

Your great welcome and hospitality left to all of the participants' unforgettable impressions.

Please transmit the specially thanks of CIVVIH - ICOMOS

-to the Minister and Executives Officers of the Ministry of Culture,

-to the Czech authorities and particularly to the Mayor of Cesky Krumlov, the Mayors of Holašovice, Trebon and Telč, 3 beautiful villages and towns and so important for their World Heritage and to the Centre of Excellence Telč, ITAM Czech Academy of Sciences.

Special thanks are dedicated to ICOMOS Czech for the warm collegial welcome and organizational support of the CIVVIH meeting.

The International Scientific Conference of Cesky on *"Quality of Public Space in World Heritage Cities. Opportunities and Threats"* gave the change to emerge the urban heritage of Central and Eastern Europe with a very successfully and qualitative result both in topic and conclusions. It was also well noticed the participation of 26 participants and the remarkable presentations that were presented.

Closing this letter let me kindly inform you that all the presentations of the Conference are now uploaded (in pdf format) to the website of CIVVIH <http://civvih.icomos.org/?q=node/221>.

We are now looking forward for the publication of the articles of the Scientific Conference "*Quality of Public Space in World Heritage Cities. Opportunities and Threats*", in collaboration with Professor Danuta Klosek Kozłowska, V. President of CIVVIH-ICOMOS and President of CIVVIH-ICOMOS Sub Committee for the Heritage Cities in Central and Eastern Europe.

I truly hope the excellent and important work of the Sub Committee for the Central and Eastern Europe to have a creative continuity in the future.

With my best regards

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Sofia Avgerinou Kolonias', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Sofia Avgerinou Kolonias

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