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International Peace-Maker Awardees to be honoured

Saturday, August 7th 2010, 2:00 to 4:30 pm
Culture- and Congress Centre, Berne, Switzerland

Twelve (12) humanitarian and civic organizations
from various parts of the world will be honoured

The winning projects were chosen from among 157 Projects, submitted by 22 Nations in commemoration of the United Nations International Reconciliation Year 2009 (2006 UN General Assembly Resolution 61/L. 22) and in pursuance of its Millennium Development Goals (MDG) Programme.

The Foundation of Subjective Experience and Research (S.E.R.) Germany, an NGO with Special Consultative Status with UN ECOSOC and its affiliates in Switzerland and The Netherlands, in cooperation with Global Balance Foundation, Hamburg, conceived an Action Plan designed to foster Reconciliation Diplomacy under the theme: “Unity in Diversity.”

The Action plan calls for all Civil Organizations to initiate Projects promoting human magnanimity in: Political, Social and Economic fields, Creative Projects, Educational, Indigenous and Sports Projects as well as in Spiritual and Health Care Projects, where prizes in cash, certificates and other awards will be handed out.

The principal guest speaker is the Honourable Wilfried Lemke, Special Adviser to the United Nations Secretary-General on Sport for Development and Peace.

The award masters of ceremonies will be Ms. Rita Jakob, a Swiss lawyer and psychologist, and Mr. Marc Belbéoch, an eurythmy performer and therapist both S.E.R. UN Representatives in Geneva. The event will be accompanied by music. Among others Swiss Composer and Musician David Joss will render the Reconciliation Hymn. Closing Remarks by Prof. Dr. Stanislaus von Korn, Presiding Chairman, S.E.R. Foundation Germany.

The award ceremonies will be supported and covered by RadioChico, a Swiss youth and school-Radio in Goldbach / BE, one of the awardees for its project “Daily on the way and active on the Subject of Reconciliation”. Other Swiss awardees are the Choir of Nations in Solothurn and the Lassalle-Institute, Bad Schönbrunn, ZG, for its project: “Future Leaders Forum.”

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