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Celebration of the 10th European Donation and Transplantation Day in Slovenia

Ljubljana, October 18th, 2008
on the initiative of the Council of Europe

Under the honorable patronage of
the President of the Republic of Slovenia
Dr. Danilo Türk

8:30 **Registration**

SOLEMN ACADEMY (venue: Hotel Lev)
Director: M. Bevk, Moderator: A. Bevk, Slovenia

9:00 "I have been given a new life."
Messages from 4 patients (heart, lung, kidney, liver)
Solemn speech:
the President of the Republic of Slovenia,

RUN FOR LIFE AND JOY (venue: Park Tivoli)
with presentations of patients associations and societies

11:00 Start of the event with T. Gašperič
11:30 Start of the "Run for Life and Joy" with M. Stanovnik
12:30 Closure of the "Run for Life and Joy"
Granting of prizes and awards with J. Kovačič, dancing group Kazina, ...

PROGRAMME - continuation (venue: Hotel Lev)
Moderators: B. Beovič, E. Gadžijev, Slovenia

13:30: Opening speech (B. Meiser, Eurotransplant)
Global overview on donation (B. Domínguez-Gil, Spain)
Educating the public about organ donation: the contribution of the Council of Europe (T. Garani-Papadatos, Council of Europe)
Ethical questions related to the donation (G. Kirste, Germany)

14:15: Coffee Break

14.30: Organ transplantation activities in Slovenia (A. Markovič, Slovenia)
Slovene model for the organisation of transplant medicine (D. Avsec, Slovenia)
The results and possibilities of modern treatment with transplantation (F. Mühlbacher, Austria)
Equitable access to transplantation (A. Rahmel, Euro transplant)
Heart transplantation, stem cell treatment and mechanical devices - future views (B. Vrtovec, Slovenia)
EU project EUROCET (A. Nanni Costa, Italy)

16.45: **Closing remarks**
17:00 - 18:00: **Round table**
18:30 **Mass (Ljubljana Cathedral)**