Programme for Members of the Immigration and Integration Committee of the Danish Parliament Vienna, 24 – 26 May 2023

wednesday 24 May		
20:00 - 21:40	Flight from Copenhagen to Vienna (Austrian Airlines – OS306) Minister for Immigration and Integration and members of the Immigration and Integration Committee of the Danish Parliament welcomed at the airport by the Danish ambassador to Austria	
22:10 - 22:40	Transport to Flemings Selection Hotel Wien-City	
22:40 - 23:00	Arrival and check in at hotel Location: Flemings Selection Hotel Wien-City [Josefstädter Str. 10-12, 1080 Wien].	
Thursday 25 M	ay	
08:00 - 09:00	Breakfast Location: Flemings Selection Hotel Wien-City [Josefstädter Str. 10-12, 1080 Wien]	
09:00 - 09:30	Walk to the Embassy of Denmark in Austria	
09:30 - 10:30	Briefing by Ambassador of Denmark to Austria Focus: Domestic Austrian politics with a focus on migration and integration Location: Embassy of Denmark in Austria [Führichsgasse 6, 1010 Wien].	
10:30 - 11:00	Walk to Palais Epstein	
11:00 - 12:30	Meeting with Committee of Internal Affairs of the Austrian Parliament (with German-English translation) Focus: Current migration challenges. Location: Palais Epstein [Dr. Karl Renner-Ring 1, 1017 Wien].	
12:30 - 13:50	Lunch hosted by the Danish Minister of Immigration and Integration Location: Restaurant Kelsen [Dr. Karl Renner-Ring 3, 1017 Wien].	
13:50 – 14:15	Walk to the Ministry of the Interior	

- 14:15 15:15 Citizenship Authority MA35 and the Ministry of the Interior Focus: Naturalization process in Austria. Location: Ministry of the Interior [Herrengasse 7, 1010 Wien].
- 15:15 15:30 Walk to Embassy of Denmark in Austria

15:30 - 16:30	Meeting with Dokumentationsstelle Politischer Islam, Director Lisa Fellhofer
	Focus: Religiously motivated political extremism, specifically the phenomenon of Political Islam.
	Location: Embassy of Denmark in Austria [Führichsgasse 6, 1010 Wien].

- 16:30 17:00 Walk to the Austrian Parliament
- 17:15 18:00 Meeting with President of the Austrian National Council, Wolfgang Sobotka & Minister of the Interior, Gerhard Karner
 Focus: The current migration situation in Austria and Denmark and related challenges and solutions.
 Location: TBC [Dr. Karl Renner-Ring 3, 1017 Wien].
- 18:00 18:10 Walk to hotel
- 19:15 19:30 Transport to residence of the Ambassador of Denmark to Austria
- 19:30 21:30 Dinner hosted by the Ambassador of Denmark to Austria Location: Residence of the Ambassador of Denmark to Austria [Argentinierstraße 33, 1040 Wien].
- 21:30 21:45 Transport to hotel

Friday 26 May

08:10 - 09:10	Breakfast
	Location: Flemings Selection Hotel Wien-City [Josefstädter Str. 10-12, 1080
	Wien]
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[Committee meeting without minister]]

- 09:10 09:30 Transport to Embassy of Denmark in Austria
- 09:30 11:00 Meeting with European Stability Initiative (ESI), Deputy Chairman Kristof Bender
 Focus: Current migration challenges and possible solutions to address these Location: Embassy of Denmark in Austria [Führichsgasse 6, 1010 Wien].
- 11:00 12:00 **Transport to restaurant**

12:00 – 13:40 **Lunch** Format: Committee membe

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13:40 – 14:00 **Transport to Austrian-Hungarian border (Nickelsdorf)** [Transport for Committee members, journalists and ministry delegation that does not participate in working lunch] 14:00 – 15:30 Joint visit at Austrian-Hungarian border (Nickelsdorf) with Danish Minister for Immigration and Integration, Mr. Kaare Dybvad Bek and Austrian Minister for the Interior, Mr. Gerhard Karner Sequence of events:

- 1. Briefing on the current situation
- 2. Drone demonstration with live transmission and explanation
- 3. Visit of the police inspectorate
- 4. Press statement by ministers
- 15:30 16:15 **Transport to Vienna International Airport** [*Transport for committee members arranged by the embassy.*]
- 17:30 19:10 Flight from Vienna to Copenhagen (Austrian Airlines OS 305)