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Show- and Tap Dance World Championships in Riesa

Dear Bonnie Dyer,

with consternation I heard about the travel warning issued by Canada for East-Germany in various media. According to our research it was already announced in 2005.

Currently Riesa is also affected by the great number of refugees coming to Germany. Despite growing public discussion about the pros and cons of official politics towards refugees, I do not see any critical situation for guests of our city now. Just recently in September 2015 the European Championship of Acrobatics took place in the SACHSENarena in Riesa. We have not received any feedback or information concerning negative experiences made by participants within the city of Riesa or the surroundings of Dresden. On the country many positive comments have been given.

To reduce existing concerns by participants – even though we feel they are unjustified – our organization team will be available for you at any time during your stay.

Like every year we are looking forward to the Dance Weeks and I hope that the afore mentioned travel warnings will not affect your visit.

See you in Riesa!

Sincerely yours

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Marco Müller', written over a printed name.

Marco Müller