

# District 1842 Intercountry Committee Egypt

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### **Minutes**

of the

# Meeting of the German Section, Intercountry Committee Egypt,

on 15<sup>th</sup> November 2014 in Frankfurt a. M.

### **Present:**

Linda Corzilius RC Heilbronn

Dipl.-Ing. Susann Jendricke RC Worms-Nibelungen

Peter Wohlrab DGN 1842 Gerhard Zierl DG 1842

Prof. Dr. Dr. Frank Müller-Römer Chairman of the German Section

#### **Excused:**

Dr. Martin Gutsche RC Oldenburg Florian Sauter-Servaes RC Usingen

Dr. Ulrich Sprandel RC Kaufbeuren-Ostallgäu

Dr. Heinrich Zettler DGE 1842

Prof. Dr. Robert Zinser RC Ludwigshafen-Rheinschanze

### **TOP 1** Welcome, Opening

The chairman welcomes the members present and Ms Susann Jendrike, RC Worms-Nibelungen, who participates in the meeting as a guest.

# **TOP 2 Cooperation with the Egyptian Section**

The chairman refers to the  $2^{nd}$  Annual Report 2013/14 dated  $21^{st}$  July 2014 which had been distributed earlier to all members of the German section and describes the results of the meeting

of the Committee on 12<sup>th</sup> May 2014 in Cairo, in particular the agenda points "Agreement as to the future cooperation", the project "Water for Life" and "Help for Youngsters".

## TOP 3 Reports about current and planned community service projects in Egypt

The meeting was duly informed about the following projects mentioned in the  $2^{nd}$  Annual Report that are still current:

MG 27936 (RC München-Englischer Garten) "Connection of a settlement to the Public Fresh water System"

78511 (RC München-Englischer Garten) "Lessons on Reading and Writing for young Women (Literacy)"

GG 1412160 (RC -München-Englischer Garten "Connection of a settlement with 4090 houses near Beni Suef to the Public Fresh Water System"

Alexandria Project initiated by Rotaract Köln, Cologne-Cairo Project.

and about the planned projects

GG 1523697 (RC München-Land) "Water for Life" (Connection of 500 houses near Assiut to the Public Fresh Water System)

GG Project (RC Oldenburg) "Connection of a Settlement to the Public Sewage Water System

GG Projekt (RC Worms-Nibelungen) "Connection of a Settlement near Beni Suef to the Public Fresh Water System, which Ms Jendricke explains in detail.

#### **TOP 4 Other matters before the Committee**

The chairman reports that he repeatedly had been in touch with all German clubs that maintained contacts to members of Egyptian clubs in the past. He suggested to them to reestablish their relations and connections in view of the situation in Egypt. He was sorry to say that the reactions to his efforts in general were not encouraging. He also felt that none of the reports about Egypt that had appeared in the Rotary Magazine brought any measurable results. The experience from projects handled by Districts 1842 and 1850 and Rotaract shows that individual engagement and dedication is definitely required to create and maintain contacts in Egypt, and to plan and carry out joint community projects.

The chairman once again asked all members of the German section to actively solicit Egyptian projects in their clubs and districts, and to try and find supporters.

### **TOP 5** Appearance in the Internet

The chairman asked the persons present to keep sending him all pertinent information available to them.

#### **TOP 6** Miscellaneous

Mr. Pilgram (RC Darmstadt) advised the chairman shortly before the meeting was called to order that for personal reasons he does not see himself in a position to continue his membership in the Committee.

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