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| **Israel Defense Forces**INDC & The Military Colleges |  |

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To whom it may concern,

Between the 12th and 16th of May 2019, the Israel National Defense College (INDC) is set so visit Russia as part of its yearly curriculum. The tour will include a tourist visit to Moscow and will explore the strategic components of the Russian National Defense Strategy in regard to the State of Israel and the Middle East.

The INDC serves as the highest educational institution in the State of Israel for senior officials of the public sector, the defense organizations, and high military command. Students taking part in the INDC yearly course learn strategic planning and the various fields of national security.

The group will also include some of the International participants. Currently, The Italian participant in the INDC is Col. ZANIBONI Eros. We would therefore like to ask for a visa for Col. ZANIBONI (passport no. 0094-656).

The IDF is responsible for covering all expenses of the group during the tour, including sleeping arrangements, transportation, and meals, as well as providing health insurance for all participants throughout the tour.

The International Fellowship and Cooperation Desk is available to assist with any questions or concerns. Please feel free to contact us by phone at +972-3-760-7495 or via E-mail at ismo.office@gmail.com

 Sincerely,

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