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Prime Minister will address the World Economic Forum in Davos

On Wednesday, January 21, Prime Minister Laimdota Straujuma will leave for Davos (Switzerland) to participate in the annual World Economic Forum. The topics to be covered – crisis and cooperation, growth and stability, innovations and industry, society and security.

The Prime Minister is invited to participate in the following panels: "Europe's Twin Challenges: Growth and Stability. How will Europe ensure political stability and deliver economic growth in 2015?" and in the interactive lunch session "Europe's Frontier Economies: What societal, political and economic shifts are transforming Europe's frontier economies?"

In the first panel, the participants will present their vision on the tasks, which are necessary to ensure political stability and promote economic growth in 2015. In the second panel, the Prime Minister will take part in the discussion on how social, political and economic changes affect the economy of Europe.

During the visit, the Prime Minister will also meet Johann Schneider-Ammann, Vice President of the Swiss Confederation, Head of the Federal Department of Economic Affairs, Education and Research, as well as other experts and officials.

Traditionally, the forum is attended by business leaders, representatives of academic circles, Heads of State and Government, heads of international organizations.

The Prime Minister will return to Latvia on Friday, January 23.

More detailed information about the forum at: www.weforum.org.

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