



Meeting with	Michal Borowski
Company	The National Sports Center Ltd.
Date	8 April 2008
Location	Warsaw

Introduction:

The National Sports Center Ltd. was established on October 4, 2007 on the basis of Act of September 7, 2007 on Preparing the Final Tournament of the Euro 2012 UEFA European Soccer Championships. The company operates in the name of and to the account of the State Treasury as represented by the Minister of Sport and Tourism. The main goal of the company is building and setting up the management of the National Stadium.

Project:

At the time of the meeting the designs of the stadium were already being made by a consortium lead by JSK Architekci sp. z o.o., a subsidiary of a German company. The biggest issue that arises from the design is the very basic question. "who are we designing the stadium for?" As it is a national stadium no football club will be playing in the stadium so it needs to be more than just a soccer stadium.

As there is over 30 hectares to be developed to make the area around the stadium a second city center a competition will be launched in May for project proposals for:

- A Congress center (~8000 places) and conference rooms
- A 5-star hotel with 400 rooms
- A fair hall
- Office space of no less than 40.000 m²
- Parking space and roads

Besides these bigger projects there is also a need for smaller and other elements that make the public area around the new national stadium good for use, such as:

- Greenery (trees and plants)
- Public bathrooms
- Small architecture and art
- Water elements like fountains.



Mr. Borowski answered our question where Dutch companies could contribute the most, very clearly. “We definitely need help in the area of exploitation of the stadium. The management of the stadium is an issue. How to create revenues with such a big stadium after the EURO 2012?”

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