Dear Sir/Madam,

It is our great pleasure to invite you to the opening of the exhibition “Bessarabians in the GULAG”, to be held on January 19, 2018 at 14:00, at the Lithuanian Academy of Sciences, Gedimino ave. 3, Vilnius.

The exhibition “Bessarabians in the GULAG” brings together images and documents reflecting the time spent in the GULAG by some Bessarabian families deported during the three mass deportations carried out by the Soviet authorities in 1941, 1949 and 1951.

The exhibition was carried out within the framework of the State Program “Recovery and historical valorization of the memory of the victims of the totalitarian-communist regime in the Moldavian SSR in the years 1940-1941 and 1944-1953” and represents a tribute to all victims of Stalinist deportations in Bessarabia.