

# Road description for blind and visually impaired persons

from the Treptower Park S-Bahn station to the Berliner Ringtheater on the Neue Zukunft area, Alt-Stralau 68, 10245 Berlin

You follow the guidance system to the stairs and go down the stairs. There are 29 steps. There are 4 exits. On the left is the exit towards Treptower Park. On the right is the exit towards the street. You choose the street direction. Attention: the road is full of obstacles and barriers like rubbish bins, road beacons.

If you use the exit Elsenstraße / Puschkinalle, walk straight ahead about 55 steps. On the right side are bicycle stands and a rubbish bin. You reach the stairs. You down the stairs. There are 15 steps. The bend goes to the right. It is Elsenstrasse. You walk about 327 steps straight ahead to Elsenbridge over the river Spree.

If you take the exit An Treptowers/ Hoffmannstraße, walk straight up the stairs. It is about 55 steps. Go down the stairs. There are 8 steps. You walk straight ahead for 24 steps. The bus stop and rubbish bin are on your right. The bend goes to the right. It is

Elsenstraße. You walk about 236 steps straight ahead to Elsenbridge over the river Spree.

Cycle path and pedestrian path become separated. You keep to the right and follow the bend to the right.

The ground starts to change. First comes the concrete block ground. Then come the metal parts shortly. Then come the stone slabs. You enter the bridge. You walk straight on for about 270 steps over the stone slabs. You follow the bend which goes back. The cycle path and pedestrian path join up again. The ground changes again. First the metal parts come short. Then comes concrete block ground. Then comes asphalt. You go about 100 steps straight to the traffic lights. Attention: there is a short tunnel just before the traffic lights. The traffic lights are often broken. The traffic light has a foot guidance system, a box and a button at the bottom. But the knocking noise often never stops. There is often no beep when the button is pressed. You cross the road and turn to the right. You are on the Alt-Stralau Straße. Club Renate is on your left. On your right is the busy road. You walk straight ahead for about 60 steps. On your left is a wide iron gate into the Neue Zukunft site. You go inside. Attention: the ground changes. The ground is not asphalted and is uneven. The ground consists of cobblestones. Caution: when it rains, there are many puddles. You walk straight for about 90 steps. Attention: the ground changes. There are now large smooth slabs. There is a slight difference in height between the individual slabs. You walk straight ahead for about 20 steps. On your left are the bar and beer garden with benches and tables. You follow a bend

to the right. Attention: the ground changes. The ground is asphalted. Your walk straight ahead for about 18 steps. Attention: iron gates to the Berlin Ringtheatre. You go inside. Attention: the ground changes. The ground has cobblestones again. You walk about 12 steps straight ahead to the entrance door of the Berliner Ringtheater.

You enter the space.