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To: FIG Member Associations

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Call for Nominations

At its meeting in Istanbul, Turkey 6 and 11 May 2018, FIG General Assembly will elect one FIG President, two FIG Vice Presidents and 10 Commission Chairs for the term 2019 – 2022

Dear FIG Member,

On behalf of Council, you are kindly invited to consider this call for nomination and nominate qualified candidate(s) for election as President (one open post), Vice Presidents (two open posts) and Commission Chairs of the 10 commissions of the Federation for the term 2019-2022.

President and two Vice Presidents

The Council has prepared the attached templates specifying the background information required from each candidate for the open positions as President and Vice Presidents. The templates are required for the nomination according to the FIG Internal Rules. The Call for Nomination, nomination templates and an extract of the relevant sections of the FIG Internal Rules are also available on the FIG website www.fig.net.

All nominations must be made using the appropriate nomination templates together with a covering letter of support from a FIG Member Association. The letter of support must be from either the President or the Principal Officer of the nominating FIG Member Association.

In the event that a current Vice President is nominated and elected as the next FIG President but has served only for two years of his term of office (2017 - 2020), there will be a further election for a Vice President for the remaining two year term of office (2019-2020). When making your nomination for the Vice President could you please consider and indicate if your candidate will also be available for this shorter period in Council if so required.

Commission Chairs for the 10 FIG Commissions

At the Congress 2018 the General Assembly will elect 10 Commission Chairs for the current 10 commissions.

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Under normal circumstances Chairs Elects for all 10 FIG Commissions would have been elected at the General Assembly 2016 and their candidacy for Chairs should have been confirmed/elected in 2018. Due to the fact that there was a Task Force working on the commission structure, and the future structure of the commissions was unclear, the election of the Chairs Elects was postponed until the 41st General Assembly during FIG Congress 2018.

The General Assembly will elect a Chair for each of the ten FIG Commissions for term of office 1.1.2019-31.12.2022 who will also function as Chairs Elects from 11.5.2017 – 31.12.2017.

The Council has prepared the attached templates specifying the background information required from each candidate for the open posts as Commission Chair. This is according to the FIG Statutes and Internal Rules. The templates and an extract of the relevant sections of the FIG Internal Rules available on the FIG website.

Deadline for submissions

The closing date for all nominations will be **15 December 2017** that is four months prior to the General Assembly in Istanbul. Any nominations received after this date will not be considered. All bids must be sent to: louise.friis-hansen@fig.net. If you have any questions please write or call: tel. + 45 9391 0810.

We look forward to receiving your nominations in due time but prior to the deadline of 15 December 2017.

Kind regards

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FIG Director