



**INTERNATIONAL ELECTROTECHNICAL COMMISSION (IEC) SCHEME
FOR CERTIFICATION TO STANDARDS RELATING TO EQUIPMENT FOR
USE IN EXPLOSIVE ATMOSPHERES (IECEX SCHEME)**

**Circulated to: IECEx Management Committee, ExMC
Title: Nominations received for IECEx Officer Positions**

Introduction

Further to the call for nominations IECEx Documents:

- ***ExMC/433/Inf, Call for nominations as IECEx Chairman***
- ***ExMC/434/Inf, Call for nominations as IECEx Treasurer,***
- ***ExMC/435/Inf, Call for nominations as IECEx Vice-Chairman***

The Secretariat advises the ExMC that the following nominations have been received following the closing date.

Nominations as IECEx Chairman:

One nomination has been received from the US for Mr Kerry McManama (ExMC/436/Inf) – This nomination will be forwarded for ratification during the ExMC Paris 2008 meeting, following which a final IECEx nomination will be submitted to the IEC Conformity Assessment Board (CAB).

Secretariat Observation: Mr McManama is currently serving as the Chairman of the ExTAG. Mr McManama has indicated that, should his appointment as IECEx Chairman be finalised, he would step down as ExTAG Chairman, in order to concentrate on his new duties. Therefore, should this occur, the ExTAG will be asked to consider a nomination for the role of ExTAG Chairman.

Nominations as IECEx Vice-Chairman:

The current Vice-Chairman Mr Lui Weijun of CN is available for nomination for one more 3 year term, in accordance with the IECEx Basic Rules, IECEx 01 and has indicated his willingness to serve one more term. No other nominations have been received. This nomination will be forwarded for ratification during the ExMC Paris 2008 meeting, following which a final IECEx nomination will be submitted to the IEC Conformity Assessment Board (CAB).

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Nominations as IECEx Treasurer:

The current Treasurer **Mr Heinz Berger of CH** is available for nomination for another 3 year term, in accordance with the IECEx Basic Rules, IECEx 01 and has indicated his willingness to serve a further term.

Two additional nominations have been received as follows:

- Country: **DE**
 - **Mr Karl-Heinz Schwedt**
 - **Details: ExMC/437/Inf**

- Country: **AU**
 - **Mr Ron Collis**
 - **Details: ExMC/438/Inf**

Given that we now have 3 nominations for the position of IECEx Treasurer, a vote will be taken during the Paris 2008 ExMC meeting, in order to arrive at one agreed nomination, for forwarding to the IEC Conformity Assessment Board (CAB) for final approval.

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