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*The Secretary-General*

Brussels, February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Subject:** Chairmanship of the Technical Commissions – call for candidates

Dear National Delegates,

The chairmanships of several Technical Commissions (TC) will come to an end this year. This is the case for the **Technical Commission for Nurses and Paramedics**, the **Technical Commission for Dentistry**, and the **Technical Commission on Administration and Medico-Military Logistics**.

The chairmanship of the **Technical Commission for Veterinary Science** would normally last until 2023, but as there is no General Assembly in 2023, the chairmanship will also be handed over to a successor in 2022 in Brussels.

Except for the Technical Commission for Pharmacy, for which the transfer of the chairmanship was already arranged last year, we are therefore appealing for new candidates for all the Technical Commissions.

The nominations will be put to the vote at the General Assembly that will take place during the World Congress in September 2022 in Brussels.

I take the opportunity to stress once again that one of ICMM's new strategic objectives is to intensify and optimise the work of the TCs.

We will pursue this by:

- ✓ calling on the Member States to provide participants for the TCs;
- ✓ creating a better framework in which the TCs can function (mandate, Terms of Reference, programme of Work);
- ✓ providing technical support to the TC's (e.g. a digital platform for information exchange).

If your country would be willing to take the chairmanship of a Technical Commission for the next four years, may I kindly ask you to send us the coordinates of the proposed candidate.

I thank you for your commitment to the ICMM and send you my best regards.

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