LETTER OF CANDIDATURE

Mr Roman Chlapak Governance Committee Secretary

30th May 2022

Dear Committee Secretary,

I, Linda Gillham

consent to the nomination as candidate to the post of the 5th Vice-President of the Governance Committee (election foreseen on 4 July 2022) in respect of the decision taken by the ILDG and in accordance with the agreement reached by the political groups.

I am currently serving my second mandate on the Congress, firstly in the Monitoring Committee and now Governance. While I am new to the Governance Committee, I believe I have the experience to undertake this role on behalf of the ILDG.

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Name: Linda Gillham

Country: UK

Political group: ILDG

Full member of the Governance Committee

Councillor Linda Gillham

First elected to Runnymede Borough Council in 2000 as an Independent Councillor.

European Experience;

Congress of the Council of Europe

- Member of the since 2016
- Served on the Monitoring Committee
- Local Chamber
- 2nd Mandate became a member of the Governance Committee

CEMR

- Member of the Policy Committee
- Spokesperson on Environment

Committee of the Regions

- Member of the UK delegation 2008-2016
- Rapporteur on European strategy for waste in the Environment
- Rapporteur EU and International Biodiversity Policy
- Rapporteur Plastic Waste Strategy

Local Government Association UK

• Active member

Runnymede Borough Council UK

- Leader of Opposition
- Member of Corporate Management and Planning Committees
- Governor of 4 schools