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**Secretary Generals /Directors of
Affiliated Units of POA**

Chairperson and Members of POA Women Commission

Subject: **Nomination for the 2023 IOC Gender Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion
Champions Awards**

Dear Sir/Madam,

We hope this letter finds you in the best of your health and spirits.

As you are aware, gender equality, inclusion, and diversity are fundamental principles in the pursuit of building a peaceful and better world through sport. The International Olympic Committee (IOC) has demonstrated an unwavering dedication to fostering these values by establishing the IOC Gender Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion Champions Awards. This esteemed recognition highlights the exceptional efforts made by individuals in advancing gender equality, diversity, and inclusion in and through sports on a global scale.

With the strategic objectives outlined in Olympic Agenda 2020+5 and the Gender Equality and Inclusion Strategy, the IOC Women & Sport Awards have been transformed into the IOC Gender Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion Champions Awards. This alteration represents an exciting step towards acknowledging individuals' work in promoting gender equality and diverse representation in leadership positions throughout the Olympic Movement.

We are delighted to invite you to nominate a deserving candidate from your esteemed organization for the prestigious 2023 IOC Gender Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion Champions Award. By participating in this nomination process, you have the opportunity to recognize and celebrate the remarkable individuals who have contributed significantly to advancing gender equality, diversity, and inclusion in the world of sports.

It is therefore requested to please recommend the suitable candidate(s) having outstanding contribution to gender equality, diversity and inclusion in and through sport across the areas of participation, leadership, safe sport, portrayal and resource allocation. Nominations may be sent on the Form attached as **Annex A** along with updated CV and Cover Letter outlining

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how the Candidate has promoted the advancement of gender equality, diversity and inclusion in and through sport that shall not exceed 500 words (one single spaced A4 page).

Your nominations, along with above-mentioned documents, must be received at POA Secretariat latest by 15 August 2023

IOC Gender Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion Champions general rules and guidelines." is attached as **Annex B** for reference please.

Thank you for your untiring commitment to promoting positive change, and we look forward to receiving your nominations in the given timelines.

With my best regards,

Muhammad Khalid Mahmood
Secretary General
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