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**RE: Confirmation of Appointment as Personal Advisor to the President
and Ex-Officio Board Member**

Dear Ms. Erastova,

It is my great pleasure to confirm your appointment, effective immediately, as Personal Advisor to the President of the World Dance Council and, by virtue of this role, as an ex-officio member of the WDC Board of Directors. This appointment is made in accordance with the provisions of the WDC Memorandum and Articles (Sec. 7.2) and reflects our Council's commitment to drawing upon the expertise of our valued federation partners.

In your capacity as Personal Advisor to the President, you will lend strategic counsel on matters relating to the governance, policy development and promotion of professional and social dancing worldwide. As an ex-officio board member, you will:

- Be included on all Board of Directors email correspondences;
- Be entitled to attend and fully participate in all meetings of the Board of Directors;
- Have the same rights to speak and advise during deliberations, without voting privileges, unless otherwise determined by the Board.

In accordance with Article 7.4 of the WDC Articles, appointments of advisors and ex-officio members remain in force until the President revokes them or until the end of the President's term, thereby ensuring continuity and clarity of tenure.

Your distinguished leadership of the All Russian Federation of DanceSport and Acrobatic Rock'n'Roll (FDSARR) and longstanding contribution to the global dance community uniquely position you to enhance the strategic direction of the WDC. We look forward to your insights as we advance our mission to encourage and promote dancing in all its forms.



Please indicate your acceptance of this appointment by signing and returning the enclosed duplicate of this letter at your earliest convenience.

With warm regards and best wishes for continued success.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Donnie Burns', with a long, sweeping horizontal line extending from the end of the signature.

Donnie Burns MBE
President
World Dance Council, Ltd.

Cc: WDC Board of Directors

Enclosure: Duplicate Confirmation Letter for Signature