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Dear Delegate,

I would like to inform you that the **call for nominations of experts** for the election of members to the four WOAHA Specialist Commissions, to take place in May 2027, will open on Monday, 6 July 2026 and close on **Friday, 11 September 2026**.

The objective of this 'call for experts' is to establish a list of suitable experts from which the WOAHA World Assembly of Delegates will elect members of the four Specialist Commissions (Terrestrial Animal Health Standards Commission, Aquatic Animal Health Standards Commission, Biological Standards Commission, Scientific Commission for Animal Diseases) who will hold office for a three-year term from 2027 to 2030.

All information regarding the 'call for experts', including a '[Guidance for WOAHA Delegates and Applicants](#)' describing the process for both the applicant and you, as a WOAHA Delegate, is available on the WOAHA website at: <https://www.woah.org/callforexperts>. I encourage you to read this guidance so that you are familiar with the process and your role.

For an applicant to be eligible for assessment by the Nominations Evaluation Committee, the WOAHA Delegate must provide a letter of endorsement. Before endorsing any applicant, you should confirm that the applicant has the relevant qualifications, competencies, skills and availability to serve on the selected Specialist Commission (for details refer to Annex III of the guidance document).

As the WOAHA Delegate for your country, I encourage you to disseminate this 'call for experts' within your country to relevant national and regional authorities, academic and scientific organisations which may have suitable experts wishing to apply.

The Council shall then consider the Nomination Evaluation Committee's list of suitable candidates along with the WOAHA Specialist Commissions Performance Evaluation Committee's feedback on current Specialist Commission members wishing to be re-elected, bearing in mind the need for balance of scientific and technical skills together with regional and gender balance.

The Council-endorsed list of candidates will be sent to Delegates at least 60 days before the 94th WOAHA General Session to be held in May 2027, and it is at the General Session where voting will take place.

Should you have any questions on this process or your role, please send an email to expert_applications@woah.org.

I trust that you will engage fully in this process to ensure that the experts nominated for election to the next term of the Specialist Commissions are suitably competent and have the potential and availability to deliver the work of these Commissions to the highest standard possible.

Kind regards,

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