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To: MNAs PATU and PATU Council Subject: Candidate Application PATU Elections 2025

Dear President, Chairman and honorable Members of PATU Council,

I hope this letter finds you well. The present PATU administration is pleased to announce that; in accordance with Article 5.8 of the PATU Statutes, on June 19, 2025, the General Assembly of the Pan American Union, will meet for the purpose of electing the following officers: one (1) President; four (4) Vice Presidents; eight (8) Council Members (One for each territory, for a total of (4) plus four (4) additional, one (1) Auditor, (1) Male Athlete Member and (1) Female Athlete Member.

1. Term: Officers shall be elected for a period of 4 years (2025-2029).

2. <u>Age Limit</u>: Those interested in becoming PATU officers must be at least 18 years of age. The age limit for a candidate to be elected as a Council Member is less than seventy (70) years of age on the day of the election, with the exception of members in office prior to the 2021 elections; for whom the age limit for candidacy is less than eighty (80) years of age on the day of the election. A person who reaches the age limit shall not be eligible for nomination.

3. <u>Criteria</u>: A candidate for nomination as an Elected Officer must: 1) be confirmed by the WT National Member Association ("MNA") Level I by which the candidate maintains legal residence, citizenship or nationality; Current elected officers are eligible for re-election to their current positions without this confirmation by MNA.

4. <u>Ad-Hoc Elections Committee</u>: For the 2022 elections, Dr. Alejandro Mansilla, Ms., Marilu de Veer and Gerardo A. Millan Mayerstein, shall be the Ad-Hoc Elections Committee.

5. <u>Application</u>: Interested parties shall submit their applications, complete, with all documents attached and requested in the documents attached, sixty (60) days prior to the election date. Applications for nominations shall be received by the secretary at **sg@panamericantaekwondounion.org** and a compendium shall be prepared for review by the Ad Hoc Election Committee. No nominations will be accepted after the deadline and/or at the General Assembly forum.

President

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6. <u>Deadline</u>: The deadline for submission of applications is **Saturday**, **April 19th**, **2025 at 5 pm Mexico City Local time**.

If you have any questions about this letter, the enclosed documents or the application process, please do not hesitate to contact our secretary at **sg@panamericantaekwondounion.org**.

Best regards

Mario Mandel General Secretary PATU

ADJ. A. Nomination Form for Candidate - PATU 2025 Elections

- B. PATU Elections Bylaws PATU 2025 Elections
- C. PATU Integrity Code of Conduct PATU Elections 2025
- D. PATU Conflict of Interest Policy PATU PATU Elections 2025

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