

## INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PROSECUTORS

### NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Name of nominee: **Mr. Zvyagintsev Aleksandr Grigoryevich**

Country: **the Russian Federation**

Organization: **the Prosecutor General's Office of the Russian Federation**

Position: **Deputy Prosecutor General of the Russian Federation**

1. Is the nominee:

- a) An individual member of the IAP? – **Yes**
- b) A formally appointed representative of an organizational member? – **Yes**

2. Will the nomination preserve the regional balance on the Executive Committee? – **In our opinion, yes**

3. Will the nomination establish and maintain the fair representation of female and male prosecutors?

4. Is the nominee sufficiently fluent in English to take an active part in the Committee's discussions? – **Mr. A.Zvyagintsev often participates in the meetings of various international organizations. He constantly improves his ability of communicating in English and will continue to do so in order to take an active part in the Executive Committee's discussions.**

5. Is the nominee:

- a) the head of a prosecution agency or a member of such an agency's senior management team, who would accept appointment with the approval of the head of the agency; – **Yes**
- b) an individual member who, demonstrable work on behalf of the IAP or more generally on behalf of prosecutors, has shown that he is worthy of membership of the Executive Committee. – **Yes**

6. Are there any concerns about the nominee's political or other functions or responsibilities which might impair his ability to work in a manner consistent with the Constitution of the Association? – **No**

7. Is the nominee currently active in the prosecutorial work or in an organization referred to in paragraph 5 (d) above? – **Yes**

8. Give details of:

- a) the nominee's commitment to *the IAP Standards*.

He promotes in an active way advancement of IAP standards on national and regional levels within the limits of the Consultative Council of European Prosecutors (CCPE); the Coordinating Council of the Prosecutors General of the CIS Member States; in the course of the meetings of the Prosecutors General of the Baltic States, as well as on the meetings of the Prosecutors General of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization Member States.

In particular, Mr. A.G. Zvyagintsev insisted on inclusion in the CCPE Conclusion # 3 “On the Role of Prosecution Service outside the Criminal Law Field” of the reference to the IAP Standards of Professional Responsibility and Statement on the Essential Duties and Rights of Prosecutors, adopted on April 23, 1999.

b) the nominee’s work on behalf of the IAP and/or in support of its objectives;

He takes an active part in the IAP activity, including in the annual meetings. In particular, during the 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of IAP (Kiev, Ukraine) on the theme “Successful Prosecutions; Achieving Just Outcomes” he made representation on the subject “Role on the International Cooperation in Ensuring of Success of Prosecutorial Activity”.

9. Is the nominee prepared to devote time to and to work actively in the activities and programmes of the IAP? – **Yes**

10. Any other information.

Mr. A.G. Zvyagintsev supervises issues of international legal co-operation and personnel of the Prosecutor General's Office of the Russian Federation.

He is the author of a great number of scientific studies and fiction, dedicated to the issues of strengthening of lawfulness, crime combating, activity of prosecutors , as well as those concerning chiefs of the Prosecution Service of the Russian Empire, the USSR and the Russian Federation. In particular, he is the author of a publication on history of the Prosecution Service of Russia and CIS countries (in 7 volumes) and a number of other books.

One of his last works –book “Nuremberg Bell: Reportage from the past, address to the future” (2008), which was the basis for 2-series film and tells about one of the most important judicial proceedings in the history of mankind – Nuremberg International Military Tribunal.

He is awarded with the title “Honoured Lawyer of the Russian Federation”, as well as with the distinctions (decorations) “Honoured Worker of the Prosecution Service” of Russian and Ukraine. He is awarded with eight State Awards, including “Order of Service to the Fatherland” of the III degree and Order of Honour, Certificate of Honour of the President of the Russian Federation, medals and orders of various authorities, Russian public and scientific organizations, as well as those of foreign states.

Is the nomination approved? Yes/No

If “Yes”, signed ..... ( , President)

If “No”, the nomination is refused for the following reasons:

Signed ..... ( , President)