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**Nomination of Mr. Miguel Caso Florez for
the Position of PIARC Secretary General**

Dear Ms., Stocchi,

Following the **Call for Nominations for the Position of Secretary General**, issued on May 12, 2025, to PIARC First Delegates, we are pleased to submit the nomination of **Mr. Miguel Caso Florez** as our candidate for this important position.

Mr. Caso Florez brings a unique and invaluable set of qualifications and experiences that directly align with the criteria established for the selection of the next Secretary General. Over the past 20 years, he has demonstrated deep commitment to PIARC through his dedicated service at the General Secretariat. During this time, he has acquired extensive technical knowledge in road infrastructure and transport, cultivated a nuanced understanding of the Association's operations, strengths and challenges, and developed strong institutional memory that will ensure continuity and informed leadership.

In addition to his technical and organizational experience, Mr. Caso Florez possesses excellent diplomacy skills, proven managerial skills for multicultural and international staff, and he fully meets the multilingual requirements of the position being fully fluent in English, French and Spanish, speaking also fluently Portuguese language. These qualities, combined with his professionalism and deep familiarity with PIARC's structure, culture, and governance, position him as an outstanding candidate to serve as Secretary General.

As outlined in the Call for Nominations, Estonia will not provide financial support for the Secretary General's salary or any related allowances. It is our understanding that PIARC will serve as the direct employer of the next Secretary General and will assume full responsibility for all associated employment costs. We trust that the salary will reflect the responsibilities of the role and be in line with compensation offered for similar Secretary General positions in comparable international organizations. We understand that the specific terms of employment, including salary, will be negotiated between the successful candidate and the selection panel. We believe that this arrangement will help ensure that the Secretary General remains directly accountable to the PIARC President, Executive Committee, and Council, while also supporting a relationship of equality and impartiality with all member countries.

We thank you for the opportunity to submit this nomination and remain at your disposal should you require any additional information to support Mr. Caso Florez's candidacy.

Yours sincerely,



Priit Sauk
Director General
First Delegate of Estonia to PIARC

Enclosures:

- Cover Letter – Miguel Caso Florez
- Curriculum Vitae – Miguel Caso Florez

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