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'1000 Words' DR PETER DAVEY'S NOMINATION as PRESIDENT ELECT IFEH 201 0

I accept the President of Environmental Health Australias' (EHA) nomination for this position. I am a Fellow of EHA, and as a current BOD of IFEH and Regional Chair of the Asia Pacific Group and I will contribute as to IFEH regional and global development.

Background Statements

- Peter has a long period of professional service as a student, member and Fellow in FHA
- Graduated from the Queensland Institute of Technology (QUT), an Accredited Environmental Health Course and appointed as a State Health Inspector (now EHO) in Qld in 1976.
- Peter practiced in both City and State Government in 4 regions in Qld over a 10 year period in Australia as a State Health Inspector and an Accredited EHO.
- Peter was appointed a lecturer in Env Health in 1986 at QUT and facilitated courses in the Bachelor of Science in Env Health. He spent 10 years teaching and chairing

- accreditation committees for EHA's Australia wide professionally accredited programs.
- Peter has contributed to 3 EH reviews in Australia as an EHA representative.
- Peter established a new Bachelors degree in EH at Griffith University (GU) in 1997
- Peter has a Masters in Env and Community Health and PhD qualifications specialising in Community Health Planning.
- Peter is currently employed as an academic: Senior Lecturer in Environmental Health in Griffiths School of Environment, Brisbane, Australia.
- Peter convenes the Masters and PhD Programs in areas of Environment and Health Protection, Quarantine and Pollution.

Summary of Contributions to the Profession of EH

During this 30 year period Peter served in various EHA professional positions as a committee member, State Treasurer, State and National Conference Organiser and then was elected Vice President and then President of AIEH in the Queensland State Branch over a 6 year term. In this capacity he was appointed as a Board of Director on AIEH Pty Ltd for 6 years an Australia non-for-profit company. Peter was appointed the AIEH representative on the IFEH Council while an AIEH BOD and State President and has continued in this position.

- Presented 6 papers to IFEH congress and engaged in the facilitation of three International Faculty Forums eq in Oslo, San Diego, South Africa.
- As an EHA rep on the IFEH Council since 1998 Peter presented the EHA Reports to IFEH Councils.
- Peter developed the winning bid presented at the California Association/IFEH
 Congress/IFEH Council in San Diego in 1998 to host the IFEH World Congress in
 Brisbane in 2008.
- Peter Chaired the EHA Committee over 6 years, and the event in 2008 has been recognised as one of the most successful IFEH World Congress in respect of the integrity of the program, partnering developing counties for capacity building and alos making a surplus for future EHA and IFEH Regional activities.

Activities as Chair of the Asia Pacific Regional Group and BOD IFEH

Since 2008 Peter has been Chair of the Asia Pacific Regional Group. Peter has been very active in the Asia Pacific Region over a 15 year period, working in partnership to build the capacity of EHO's while an academic at QUT and GU. He has represented AIEH at mtgs/seminars in Singapore, New Zealand and Hong Kong (in the 1990's) and the last 10 years in Malaysia, Indonesia, China and Vietnam, Pacific Islands and Mexico.

Peter assisted the Malaysian Association to conduct 2 Dengue Fever Workshops sponsored by IFEH/WHO in 2006 and 2007.

After facilitating 3 National Mtgs and 2 International Conferences across Indonesian, local EHO's formed the Env Health Specialists Association (IEHSA) and joined the IFEH in 2008. This group have established a very strong network, they have offered to host the 2011 IFEH Council Mtg in Bali as a contribution to EH practice in this region.

Peter's activities include developing agreements to collaborate, running meetings, training and speaking at conferences promoting IFEH, if elected as President Elect IFEH these continued activities will benefit EHA and IFEH.

Recently Peter has negotiated with China health inspection agencies (NHIC) to join IFEH, this will be a key goal of Peters' President Elect position. China will be represented at the Canadian IFEH Congress from these partnering activities in Food Security.

Aspirations and Summary of Goals if Elected

If elected to the position of President Elect IFEH 2010-2012, I will serve the needs of the President, BOD and members of IFEH by: -

Support the strategic goals of IFEH expansion and especially environmental health professional development across the Regions and the Globe which will lead to new networks and sharing information with our EHA members.

Concentrate my efforts on developing country activities by building the capacity of professionals to deliver environment and health services and in-doing so improve the individual member's ability to deliver IFEH outcomes. Examples include Peters' current negotiation with China, Vietnam and Latin American EH agencies to join IFEH.

Work in partnership with members, government, politicians and the community on better EH Outcomes including prioritising EH and Community Planning, Food Security, 'Greening' EH and addressing EH Professional Responsibilities in the sustainability debate and the climate change agenda.

Regards

Signed

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