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Presidencia President election

Valencia, Spain, November 4, 2016

Dr. Efraín SOLARTE RODRÍGUEZ, Universidad del Valle, Santiago de Cali (Colombia)

Dear Prof. SOLARTE,

In my capacity of 2013-2016 President of the Ibero-American Network for Optics, RIAO, and on behalf of its 2016 Nominations Committee, I am pleased to inform you that you have been elected the

2016-2019 President of the Ibero-American Network for Optics.

In accordance to the Article XI in the RIAO Bylaws and Constitution, the 2016 Nominations Committee was integrated by:

Dr. Pedro Andrés, RIAO President 2013-2016,

Dr. Manuel Filipe P. C. M. Costa, Member of the Board appointed by Portugal (SPOF),

Dr. José Luis Paz Rojas, Member of the Board appointed by Venezuela (CVO),

Dr. Luciano A. Ángel Toro, Colombian regular member (SRCO),

Dr. Eric Rosas, Mexican regular member (AMO),

who conducted the nomination and election processes and declared you as elected *ad clamare*, after the unique nomination of yours was officially endorsed by all the RIAO Community, through the corresponding signatory associations.

I kindly remind you that, as established in the RIAO Bylaws and Constitution, you will be taking office as the 2016-2019 RIAO President in a ceremony that will be announced during the forthcoming 2016 RIAO/Optilas Conference, to be held in Pucón, Chile, from November 21-25, 2016.

I congratulate you for such a distinction and wish you all the best as the RIAO 2016-2019 President.

Sincerely yours,

Pedro ANDRES

2013-2016 President

Ibero-American Network for Optics

Pedro ANDRÉS Presidente **Efrain SOLARTE**

Secretario

Consejeros:

César Torres Colombia

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Portugal

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