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Mr. Hal Bond,

Dear Mr. Bond:

As you are aware, the FIDE Candidates' Tournament is scheduled to be held in Khanty-Mansiysk, Russia, from 11 March to 1 April 2014. This event is of great importance for the world-wide projection of the image of FIDE.

In this connection, I am writing to inform you that I have approved your appointment as Deputy Chief Arbiter of the event.

I am counting very much on your acceptance and wish you every success in this crucial assignment.

Yours sincerely,

Kirsan Ilyumzhinov

President