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Dear Prof. Grandjean,

The Council of the Ergonomics Research Society has been discussing the draft of the new articles of the I.E.A. which you sent to me. We would like to raise two points:-

(i) we do not think that it is desirable for any person to influence the General Assembly in two ways i.e. by being both a corresponding member and a member of a Federated Society. We would like to suggest the following amendment to Article 4, Section (c):-

"Corresponding members shall be persons who have a professional interest in ergonomics, who are not members of a Federated Ergonomics Society and who do not reside in a country covered by a Federated Ergonomics Society".

(ii) it is most unusual in International Organisations

"to have Honorary Members able to vote in the General Assembly. We believe the International Council for Scientific Unions would not accept I.E.A. membership because of that. Therefore, may we propose the following changes:-

delete last two words "honorary members", Article 5, line 1

Article 7, line 6, 7 replace "The delegates to the General Assembly and the honorary members" by "and",

Article 7, top Page 3 remaining five clauses delete "and the honorary members" in each".

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Yours sincerely,

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