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Re: 2012-2015 ACOEM Board of Directors Election

Dear WOEMA Members,

I need your vote.

This year I am running for election to the ACOEM Board of Directors to continue my service to WOEMA and ACOEM. After many years of service to WOEMA as its Delegate to ACOEM's House of Delegates I believe that my cumulative experience within the College, my education and knowledge, and my judgment may now be suited for service at the Board level. I am prepared to serve on ACOEM's Board and to continue representing WOEMA and ACOEM at that leadership level.

During my years of service to ACOEM in my roles as Chairman of the Committee of Fellowship Examiners, and Chairman of the Internal Affairs Work Group I have emphatically promoted Fellowship and advocated increasing the number of WOEMA members elected to leadership positions, respectively. I have endeavored to fulfill those

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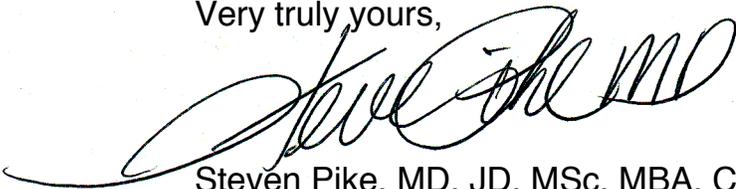
responsibilities, and my responsibilities as WOEMA Delegate to the best of my abilities and have chosen to devote the necessary time and effort that each position required for quality and consistency—deliberately not moving on to higher office or other roles prematurely.

I now seek Board election because I want to influence the strategic goals of the College, ensure its continued viability, build on the legacy shaped by thousands of dedicated occupational physicians, and preserve its values. The need for a pre-eminent occupational medicine organization with national and global influence cannot be overstated—ACOEM is that organization. Yet, threats to its viability and the sufficiency of occupational medicine physicians should not be understated. I want to ensure that ACOEM remains a perpetual global leader in advancing the interests of occupational and environmental health. Those are some of the reasons that I seek your support for my nomination.

WOEMA has been well represented in leadership positions and has the distinction that three of the last four ACOEM Presidents are WOEMA members. Your support and vote will ensure WOEMA's continued representation at high leadership positions.

I encourage all WOEMA members to vote. WOEMA is one of the two largest components in ACOEM and has substantial influence when a large number of our members cast a vote. I respectfully ask that this fall you cast your vote for me to be elected to the ACOEM Board of Directors.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steve Pike MD", written in a cursive style.

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