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Dear Colleagues:

I am very pleased to have the opportunity to step forward and participate in the 2019 CSSE Election program and I am looking for your support for the position of RVP Alberta, Northwest Territories and Nunavut.

I am currently a Partner with Tatonga Consulting Inc. Tatonga helps organizations to evolve their risk management system through health and safety program development, integration, educational design and effective strategic leadership design. I am a graduate with a Bachelor of Science in Agriculture Degree from the University of Saskatchewan (1989). As a Professional Agrologist (P.Ag.), Canadian Registered Safety Professional (CRSP), and Certified Health and Safety Consultant (CHSC), I am committed and passionate about promoting risk management strategies for many different industries. I spent fifteen years in the agriculture industry where I had a great opportunity to serve as the Director of the Canadian Research and Development group for a global crop production company. Upon leaving in 2002, I became a partner in a start up company with operations primarily in the oil & gas, manufacturing, construction and municipal industries across Canada. It was during this time, that I served in a professional safety capacity for the next fifteen years and recognized the importance of safety for sustainable business growth in all industries. Since 2009, and now as a business consultant with Tatonga, I enjoy sharing my passion for safety excellence and strategic development with clients across Canada and North America.

I continue to support the Canadian Society of Safety Engineering (CSSE) and served as the Canadian National Communication Committee Chair (current), Chapter Chair for Central Alberta and I am currently the Past Chair for the local Chapter. In addition to roles within the CSSE, I am actively participating on various boards in the safety industry, including the Canadian Agricultural Safety Association (CASA Board) and more recently, the Alberta Society of Health and Safety Professionals (ASHSP Board). I am firm believer of supporting the local community, and I am currently an active member of the Red Deer Steps for Life Committee (Threads of Life), Young Farm Workers Safety Workshop committee (Parachute Canada), ACSA Parkland Regional Safety Committee, and the Alberta Occupational Safety Auditors Association (AOSAA).

As I look forward and relish the opportunity to be your voice on the National CSSE Board, I reflect on the need to do so with your active participation and reflection on how our organization should grow into the future. I am firm believer of building teams and would like to re-kindle our regional executive committee structure with the hope of having all chapters in our region contribute their voice to the national stage. We can put some fun into our relationships and listen to our foundation – you the member – as we define the role of the CSSE within our industry over the coming years.

Thank you for the opportunity – Please Vote, we need to hear from you!