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Ms. Audrey Azoulay
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By Email to WFEO: executivedirector@wfeo.net

Support for Declaration of World Engineering Day for Climate Change Action and Sustainability

Dear Ms. Azoulay,

On behalf of the members of Iraqi Engineers Union (IEU), I am writing to indicate the strong support of our organization for the Declaration of 4th March of each year as World Engineering Day for Climate Change Action and Sustainability.

Iraqi Engineers Union is the national body for Iraq with responsibilities for organizing and administration of Engineers and Engineering career in Iraq
We directly represent more than 200,000 engineers.

If declared, our organization commits to celebrating World Engineering Day with a wide range of activities that promote the role of engineering for climate change action and sustainability as urgent action is needed in these areas. Such celebrations will improve community recognition of the importance of engineering to society and the economy.

The activities to celebrate World Engineering Day is expected to encourage young people, girls and boys, to raise the number of people studying science and mathematics, increasing the intake of engineers into universities. This is critical for the sustainable development of our country.

We anticipate that our activities will reach and have an impact on 35 million people in our country.

Yours sincerely,

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