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**WFEO Working Group on Global Infrastructure Report
Report to Executive Council: 22 November 2019: Melbourne, Australia**

1. Introduction

FAEO submitted a project proposal in 2018. The proposal was accepted by the WFEO Executive Council on 24 October 2018 at a meeting in London. FAEO was informed of the decision by letter from the WFEO President dated 10 December 2018. FAEO formally accepted responsibility for the Working Group (WG) in a letter dated 2nd April 2019. This constituted the Working Group.

The WG has a term of three years, ending at the close of the WFEO Council Meeting in October 2021. The WG reports to the WFEO Executive Board and the WFEO Executive Council. The Chairperson of the WG will be a non-voting member of the WFEO Executive Council. In light of the difficult conditions during 2020 due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, it is requested that the life of the WG be extended by one year to October 2022.

The Name of the Working Group is: ***WFEO Working Group for the Development of a Global Infrastructure Report.***

The Chairperson of the Working Group is Dr Martin van Veelen.

2. Working Group Composition

From FAEO:	From WFEO:
Eng. Julius Riungu	Ashok Basa
Eng. Martin Manuhwa	Samuel Grossman
Engr. Mustafa Shehu	Darrel Danyluk
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Eng. Dr. Ignasio Ngoma	David Lapp
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3. Progress

A project to prepare an Infrastructure Report for Africa south of the Sahara commenced in January 2020. There was an initial inauguration meeting in Abuja, Nigeria which was well attended. Training was completed in Kenya and the DRC, after which the lockdown prevented any further work to be done.

The following seven countries will participate in the project:

- Ghana
- Nigeria
- Kenya
- DRC

- Zimbabwe
- South Africa
- Rwanda

4. Infrastructure Report Card Guide

The text of the Guide has been finalised and the translation into the following languages is awaited:

- French,
- Spanish,
- Chinese, and
- Arabic.

Report prepared by Dr Martin van Veelen

Chairperson: Working Group on Global Infrastructure Report