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Call for Application for the selection of Members of the informal Expert Group on Drones

The European Commission published a Call for renewing the applications of organisations to be selected into this informal group as Experts on Drones.

Europe Air Sports (EAS) is the European non-commercial non profit organization representing the largest community of active aviators operating different categories of unmanned aerial vehicles and the full spectrum of manned aircraft for airports, leisure and private transport. Since its foundation in 1988 it has successfully accompanied the European regulatory framework and contributed its expertise to achieve mostly full acceptance by the citizens involved in aviation.

It is our intention and therefore our strong offer to continue our expert contributions for the new emerging system of unmanned aircraft operation to improve smart mobility especially in urban areas. The harmonious integration of drone operation into the existing aviation system will depend on the inputs of many different organizations. The strategy how to make use of the only one airspace in a safe manner requires a high level of general and specific expertise.

That is why Europe Air Sports responds to the above call and nominates Michel Rocca as representative in that group of experts as a Type C member. His experience in General Aviation, especially airspace structure and management, his long year contributions in EASA rulemaking activities and consultative committees in connection with his communication abilities including the English language will make him a leading partner to that group.



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We have sent this application via e-mail to the address as indicated in the document on page 5 with the forms of the Annexes starting page 7 to 14 and the respective information filled in.

On behalf of EAS and its about 650 000 active aviators I thank you for accepting our nomination. Please do not hesitate to contact me or our President Andrea Anesini in case you have further questions.

With best regards

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Rudolf Schuegraf". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Rudolf Schuegraf
Senior Vice-president EAS