



To: UEC

UEC Electoral and Voting Monitoring Commission

Subject: Candidature for the UCI Management Committee

Dear Mr. President and General Secretary,

Russian Cycling Federation would like to present the candidature of Mr. Igor Makarov for the UCI Management Committee at the next Congress of the UEC, which will take place on the 6th of March 2021.

Please find attached:

- Curriculum Vitae and Presentation of the candidate
- Passport copy
- UCI license for 2020, 2021

Yours sincerely,

Viacheslav Ekimov

President
Russian Cycling Federation

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Igor Makarov

Date of birth: 15.04.1962

Place of birth:

Ashgabat (Turkmenistan)

Nationality:

Russian

Sports and Professional Career:

In 1983, he graduated from Turkmen State University.

From 1979 to 1986, he was a member of the USSR Olympic national cycling team and a winner of many national and international championships. He is a Master of Sport, International Class.



In 1992, he became the founder and the head of ITERA International Group of Companies – the largest privately held oil and gas businesses in Russia.

In 2006, the Scientific and Technical Council of the St. Petersburg Mining Institute elected Mr. Makarov to its Board of Trustees and awarded him the "Golden Badge of Mining Engineer of Russia" for successful oil and gas business activity and support of Russian education.

In 2015, Mr. Makarov reorganized his group of companies and entered a new stage of development. The Group was rebranded as the ARETI International Group (ARETI IG). Mr. Makarov became the President of ARETI IG.

From 1992, he has been actively participating in charitable projects, and was awarded with gold certificates and a gold medal of UNESCO, as well as other awards from different countries.

From 2010 to 2016, he was the President of the Russian Cycling Federation.

In September 2011, he was elected a member of the Management Committee of the International Cycling Union (UCI).

From 2016 – Honorary President of the Russian Cycling Federation.

In 2016 Mr. Makarov was awarded a UCI Merit in Doha, Qatar.

Dear friends and colleagues,

Cycling has been a part of my life for over 40 years both professionally and as a part of my everyday activity for pleasure and health. It is a great honor for me to be part of the multimillion international cycling family.

I have been a member of the UCI Management Committee since 2011 and I believe that with your trust and my dedication we as a cycling family can make our sport grow even bigger.

We should use our expertise accumulated throughout many years and make it a bright future for cycling. We also need to reach out and hear all the nations because with our collective input we can develop, popularize and expand our sport globally.

I am a great supporter of teamwork, both in sports and in business, and I believe that only joint efforts of a team can lead to victory. Vast experience, different views and creative new ideas multiplied by joint efforts will serve our common goal.

I hope to have your support to continue to be a part of the Management Committee for the next four years.

Yours sincerely,

Igor Makarov