TO THE MEMBERS OF FIFA

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FIFA Security Officers – female candidates

Dear General Secretaries,

As part of FIFA’s mandate to ensure that football events taking place across the world are as safe and secure as possible, the FIFA Security Division is providing support and expert advice in security-related matters to host countries, local security agencies, Local Organising Committees and FIFA member associations.

During FIFA’s World Cup qualification matches or final competitions, the assistance and support provided by the Security Division can range from reviewing national security concepts or operational security plans to conducting inspection visits and, based on risk/threat assessments and operational needs, appointing FIFA Security Officers in the venues where matches or tournaments are taking place. These assignments may consist of a four-day mission when appointed for qualification matches or up to one month for one of FIFA’s final competitions.

To continuously improve the level of service that can be offered to member associations and Local Organising Committees, FIFA’s Security Division is looking to enlarge and enhance its pool of trained FIFA Security Officers by identifying, recruiting and deploying female security officers.

To be eligible for such a position, we are looking to identify potential female security officers as candidates for the programme who are highly knowledgeable and experienced in sports security matters and who, ideally, are already involved in football in some capacity, for example as a national security officer, senior national security advisor or stadium security officer (as per the descriptions given in Annexe A of the FIFA Stadium Safety and Security Regulations issued in January 2013).

We would therefore appreciate it if FIFA member associations could share this recruitment procedure with relevant stakeholders and invite any potential experienced female candidate to submit an application to the FIFA Security Division (using the attached application form) by 30 January 2016 at the latest.
We thank you for taking note and for your valued cooperation in helping to make football safe and secure worldwide.

Yours faithfully,

FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE
DE FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION

Marco Villiger
Acting Deputy Secretary General

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APPLICATION FORM – FEMALE SECURITY OFFICER

Member association: ________________________________

1. Surname: ______________________________________
2. First name: _____________________________________
3. Name as stated in passport: _________________________
4. Nationality: _____________________________________
5. Date of birth: ____________________________________
6. Passport no.: ____________________________________
7. E-mail address: _________________________________
8. Academic qualifications: __________________________
9. Current position/role: _____________________________

10. How long have you held this position/role? ____________

☐ I attach a copy of my curriculum vitae to this form

☐ I attach a copy of my passport to this form

____________________  ________________________
Signature of candidate  Signature of General Secretary

Name: __________________________
Date: _________________________

Note: Please return this form to FIFA by e-mail to security@fifa.org together with both requested attachments (curriculum vitae + passport) by 30 January 2016 at the latest.