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This document contains endorsement from the US Member Body concerning Agenda item 10.3 ExSFC Officer positions 2021 ExMC Meeting Agenda (ExMC/1729B/DA) and are to be considered during the 2021 ExMC Meeting.

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Subject: USNC/IECEx Comment Regarding the Agenda for the 2021 ExMC Meeting, Item 10.3, ExSFC Officers

Dear Mr. Agius:

The USNC/IECEx supports the nomination of Ms. Erin La Rocco (UL LLC) for ExSFC Deputy Chair position, starting on 1 January 2022 for a 3-year term. Ms. La Rocco is a Staff Engineer at UL LLC with 16 years of experience in the Hazardous Locations industry. Her broad experience includes project certification and review of electrical and non-electrical devices, global market access initiatives, lead auditor for ATEX/IECEx/INMETRO, UKEX/CCC, as well as IECEx/European service facilities, and program management of the IECEx CoPC and IECEx Service Facility Schemes. Additionally, she is part of the ExCB for IECEx and CO for ATEX and is UL's representative to ExSFC, ExPCC, ExPCC WG2 and ExPCC WG3.

Ms. La Rocco's nomination comes with the unanimous approval of the USNC/IECEx. We are confident Ms. La Rocco's background will complement the makeup of the IECEx Service Facilities committee and would be of benefit to the IECEx community, providing leadership and the best possible advice and support to the IECEx Secretariat. Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Secretary, USNC/IECEx