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Dear Mr. President,  
Dear Mr. Secretary General,

On behalf of the Austrian Chess Federation we submit the following application to the upcoming ECU Congress in Baku (AZE).

**Change of the ECU statutes concerning the articles 33. (b) and 34. (c)**

Actual version article 33. (a) and (b):

33. (a) Any Member entitled to vote shall have the right to propose or to second any number of eligible candidates for election to the Board.  
(b) Eligible candidates for election to the Board shall be individual members of a Member.

Proposed change article 33. (a) and (b):

33. (a) Any Member entitled to vote shall have the right to propose or to second any number of eligible candidates for election to the Board.  
(b) Eligible candidates for election to the Board shall be individual members **of the proposing** Member.

Actual version 34. (c):

34. (c) The Board should comprise representatives of different Members and to that intent no Board member may at the time of his election or after be any kind of official of the same member as another Board member.

Proposed change:

34. (c) The Board should comprise representatives of different Members and to that intent no Board member may at the time of his election or after be any kind of official of the same member as another Board member. **A candidate for a board member always counts as a member of the proposing federation.**

With best regards,

  
Kurt Jungwirth  
President

