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The President
Bulgarian Dermatological Society

Dear Society President,

It is with great pleasure, and honour, to inform you that during the International League of Dermatological Societies' 22nd World Congress of Dermatology, which was so successfully organized by our Korean colleagues last month in Seoul, a new board of directors of the ILDS, as well as a new President, were elected.

As the new President I can tell you that the Societies and their delegates did a marvellous job in electing a highly competent and internationally well-distributed board. Attached you will find the names of the ILDS Board Members and the regions which they represent who will work with you, and on your behalf, from 2011 to 2015.

The ILDS will, in the next four years, take even more responsibility in continuing its ongoing projects, such as our work in Moshi, Tanzania, at the Regional Dermatology Training Centre and the development of the International Classification of Diseases, version 11 (ICD 11) which we have been commissioned to carry out on behalf of the World Health Organisation.

In order to promote further our discipline on a global basis, we will be inviting you, along with two of your Society Officers, to a meeting of all the Presidents of the ILDS Member Societies in 2012 in Berlin. The agenda will be to discuss issues of political relevance to dermatology and its future development. The exact date and location will be confirmed within the next four weeks.

As the President of the International League of Dermatological Societies, I will do my best to serve dermatology and its sub-specialities, and I would kindly ask you to contact me whenever you have any questions or suggestions, or when you think that the ILDS could be of help regarding a specific problem related to dermatology in your area.

Let's work closely together so that our patients may benefit from a strong and well-developed dermatological discipline.

With best wishes,

Wolfram Sterry
President, ILDS

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