Office Memorandum

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To: AMA Charter Promoting Clubs and Promoters, AMA Congress Delegates, AMA Recognized District Organizations

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Re: **Announcement of AMA Congress Elections/Call for Nominations, 2014 thru 2015 Term**

AMA announces the AMA Congress Election and Call for Nominations. The official election for all AMA Congress Delegates and Alternate Delegates will be conducted online using the web-based services of VoteNet Solutions. The election will begin December 1, 2013 and conclude December 31, 2013. Delegates and Alternate Delegates will be elected to serve the two-year term, January 1, 2014 – December 31, 2015. AMA Charter Promoting Clubs and Promoters in good standing and granted such 2013 AMA Charter no later than October 1, 2013 are eligible to vote in this election.

A letter providing direction to the election website, user name and password, will be mailed in November to the contact person for each club and promoter. This information is to be used by that club or promoter to access and vote on their AMA Congress ballots.

Incumbent Delegates and Alternate Delegates with expiring terms will automatically be included on the ballots in their respective seats. Other nominations will be accepted through November 15, 2013. The election website also supports 'write-in' candidate voting during the actual election period.

In preparation for the election, AMA encourages all AMA Charter Clubs, Promoters, current AMA Congress Delegates, Alternate Delegates and candidates to attend the annual meeting of their local AMA Recognized District Organization (RDO). These meetings provide a great opportunity to meet with other AMA Charter Clubs and Promoters, Delegate and Alternate Delegate candidates, and to learn more about the activities of your local RDO. Contact your local RDO for more information about their annual meeting, or visit the AMA Organizers webpage to find a schedule of RDO meetings.

Enclosed are the Election Procedures and Call for Nominations, Election Schedule, Nomination Forms, Responsibilities of an AMA Congress Delegate and current Congress Roster*. These AMA Congress election materials are also available online in the Resources & Forms section of the AMA Organizers webpage located at http://www.americanmotorcyclist.com/asp/organizers/ .

All AMA Chartered Promoting Clubs and Promoters should exercise their privilege to participate in the election of the AMA Congress and vote!

***Congress Roster – Seats filled by Delegates and Alternate Delegates noting a '2012-2013' term are up for election. Vacant seats from the '2013-2014' field may also be filled for the 1 remaining year of that term.**