

International Mathematical Union



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IMU AO Circular Letter 7/2021

To: The Adhering Organizations of the International Mathematical Union (IMU)

From: Helge Holden, IMU Secretary General

Postal ballot on application from Belarus

Dear colleagues,

Belarus has applied for full membership in group I of the IMU. The Executive Committee of the IMU unanimously recommends the application. The enclosed document, which was submitted by the Institute of Mathematics of the National Academy of Sciences of Belarus, reports about the state of mathematics in Belarus.

Important change in procedure: In addition to postal or fax ballots, we will also accept ballots returned by email under the following conditions. For an email ballot to be valid, it has to be sent from an address associated with your AO. If you are in doubt, please check the email I sent in mid-January of 2021 to each AO. If you are still in doubt, please contact me. If we receive conflicting votes from the same AO, we will notify you. If the issue cannot be resolved, the ballot will be deemed invalid. Postal ballots take preference.

A ballot form is attached to this email, and it will *not* be sent out by regular mail.

Please vote on the application from Belarus using the attached ballot, and return it by mail, email or fax by

15 June 2021

to the address indicated on the ballot form.

Regards

Helge Holden
Secretary General of the International Mathematical Union