



WORLD DIAMOND COUNCIL
APPOINTMENT OF 2016 NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Pursuant to Article 7 of the 2013 Consolidated Amendments of the Bylaws of the World Diamond Council, and after a consultation process with the WDC industry categories Board members, conducted by WDC Secretary, I as President of the WDC, hereby appoint the Chair and Members of the Nominating Committee as follows:

Manufacturing of Diamonds: **Avi Paz** – Israel Diamond Institute (IDI), **Chair**

Extraction (mining) of Diamonds: **Feriel Zerouki** – De Beers Group

Retail Sale of Diamonds or
Diamond Jewelry: **Ronnie VanderLinden** – US Jewelry Council

Wholesale Trading of Diamonds: **Ernie Blom** - World Federation of Diamond
Bourses (WFDB)

At Large: **Edward Asscher** – Royal Asscher Diamond
Company LTD.

Dated this 28th day of January, 2016

Edward Asscher

Edward Asscher, President, World Diamond Council