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To the Presidents of all FIG Member Associations

Dear President,

Invitation to the Presidents' Meeting in Stockholm, Sweden 19 June 2008

We on the FIG Council are looking forward to meeting you and your members in Stockholm, Sweden from 14th to 17th June 2008 where FIG is having its Working Week and XXXI General Assembly. The FIG Working Week will be the main FIG event this year as we agreed to organise a major conference on even years. At the moment it looks that Stockholm will exceed all our expectations. Important issues on the agenda of the General Assembly are election of two new Vice Presidents for term of office 2009-202012 and also election of chairs-elect to the technical commissions. Among other important issues are adoption of revised statutes and internal rules that will finalise implementing the new government structure.

As stated in the Council Work Plan 2007-2010 I am committed to continue the tradition of organising the Presidents' Meeting on the last morning of the conference. I hope to meet with all of you as Presidents of the FIG Member Associations. I am sure that those of you who have attended the previous Presidents' Meetings during the FIG working weeks and congresses share my opinion that such meetings are most valuable in addition to the formal meetings.

We have scheduled the Presidents' Meeting for **Thursday 19th June between 8:30-10:30**. It will take place in room 357 at the Stockholm City Conference Centre (Norra Latin), which is the conference venue in the very heart of Stockholm.

I hope you will use this opportunity to share your views on FIG and its activities with me and the other Presidents. I am especially interested in discussing the implementation of the Council action plan. This also includes issues like how we could jointly reach better to individual members of our member associations and ensure that they benefit from our global activities and from the work of the technical commissions.

Could you please let our office, email: fig@fig.net know if you are able to attend this meeting? If you are unable to come to Stockholm personally, I hope that you will nominate someone to attend the meeting on your behalf – in which case we would like to be informed of the name of your representative.

However, I very much hope that you personally will be able to come.

In the meantime, my very best wishes to you,

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Stig Enemark', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Prof. Stig Enemark
FIG President