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Dear Sir/Madam,

I was informed of the departure of Dr Kornélia Radics as President of the Hungarian Meteorological Service, which resulted in the vacancy of the office of president of Regional Association VI (Europe), based on the provisions of [General Regulation 9](#), (*Basic Documents No. 1*, (WMO-No. 15)).

Since the provisions of [General Regulation 11](#) were met, concerning the actions to be taken if a president of an association is not able or eligible to carry out the functions of that office, the vice-president of the association, Dr Roar Skålin, Director General, Norwegian Meteorological Institute and Permanent Representative of Norway with WMO, was invited and has accepted to assume the responsibility of acting president of RA VI, for an interim period. In this position, the vice-president acting as president, shall have the same powers and duties as the president.

The acting president will shortly be consulting with the Members of the Region regarding the convening of an extraordinary session of the Regional Association in order to hold elections of officers of the association.

Yours faithfully,

Prof. Petteri Taalas
Secretary-General

To: Permanent Representatives of Regional Association VI (Europe)

cc: Acting president of Regional Association VI (Europe)
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