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## IUPS Board of the General Assembly Teleconference Meeting Minutes

*January 22, 2014*

### 1. Appoint five new members

The following people will need to be replaced:

Katsuhiko Mikoshiba (Japan) – moved to Council

Xiaomin Wang (CAPS) – moved to Council

Julie Chan (Taiwan) – moved to 1<sup>st</sup> VP

Peter Wagner (US) – moved to Treasurer

Yang-Hyeok Jo (S. Korea) – resigned for personal reasons

M. Spyer indicated that Susan Barman was nominated by the American Physiological Society. There is a need for nominees from South America and Asia. The chair will specifically contact the presidents of the societies in those areas of the world. L. Price will send invitations for nominations to everyone else.

### 2. Selection of Vice Chair

Jayasree Sengupta agreed to be the Vice Chair

### 3. Changes to dues structure

It was suggested that the dues structure be established by region instead of society. The commissions have given little useful input on this subject. M. Spyer requested suggestions from BGA members on groupings in Asia and Africa.