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**To: Mr. Garry Kasparov, Grand Master
Candidate for the 2014 FIDE President Election**

CC: Federación Española de Ajedrez

Barcelona, July 7th, 2014

Dear Mr. Kasparov,

We are pleased to inform you that the Board of the Catalan Chess Federation (Federació Catalana d'Escacs) approved on June 28th, 2014, to give support to your candidature for the 2014 FIDE President Election.

We also ask the Spanish Chess Federation (Federación Española de Ajedrez) to join us in our support.

The Catalan Chess Federation appreciates very much your contribution to chess during your career as a player and a World Champion, as well as your current activity on promotion of chess at schools and among young people all over the world.

We consider you, Mr. Kasparov, to be the best candidate because of your conciliatory attitude and your excellent knowledge of the current state of chess around the world.

Respectfully yours,

Antoni Ayza Casamitjana
President