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Dear colleagues and friends

Please find in the attachments the Agenda and background information for the General Assembly, which is planned for June 20th in Tallinn, Estonia in conjunction with the UEMS meeting.

Some delegates pointed out that they were not aware of this, even though this has been announced in Prague in 2009. If for some reason this lack of information was due to a wrong assumption on my part, I do apologize.

We are sending information on the venue of the meeting. Most of you have probably made reservations, since they are also UEMS delegates and were therefore informed by the Secretary General of UEMS, Guy Aflalo. The favourable hotel rate applies if you still need to make reservations. Simply mention that this is for the UEMS/EBO meeting in the Nordic Hotel.

On the Agenda you will see that we will also discuss a number of positions in the Executive, which will become available by the end of 2010. This will be the positions of president elect, Chair of the Residency Review Committee and Chair of the CME Committee. The elections need to have taken place before December 31st 2010 and we will have to discuss the procedure, but more important for now are possible candidates. Therefore the Executive is asking you to come forward with names of candidates, that you may think appropriate for these positions, either your own name or someone else's. It will be extremely helpful if we already have names by the time we meet in Tallinn. Please give this your undivided attention; we will be most grateful.

Hoping to see you all in Tallinn and with kind regards,

Peter J. Ringens,
Secretary general