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ARISS Elections Report

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To All ARISS International Delegates,

***On behalf of the Canadian
International ARISS Delegates***



- *The following is my report on Elections for 2009, made necessary by the retirement of Frank Bauer as Chairman and USA delegate to ARISS.*



- You will recall that in the last election, held in 2008, the following were elected for a two year term (2008-2010).
- Chairman Frank Bauer
- Vice Chairman Gaston Bertels
- Secretary – Treasurer Rosalie White



- **At the time Frank Bauer announced his retirement as ARISS Chairman, it was agreed during a March 24, 2009 teleconference by the ARISS International delegates that Gaston Bertels would take over the position of Chairman on an interim basis, to be confirmed, most likely, by election at the 2009 ARISS meeting in the Netherlands at ESTEC.**
- **Similarly Will Marchant was to act as Vice Chairman.**
- **The position of Secretary-Treasurer remained unchanged and does not require re-election.**



Since the March announcement I have received Nominations and Seconds for the 2009 election as follows:

- **To fill the Officers requirements for 2009 -2010--**
- **Chairman** **Gaston Bertels.**
- **Vice Chairman** **Will Marchant.**



At the 2010 ARISS International Meeting, there will be an election for all 3 officers, in accordance with the ARISS by-laws.