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Honorary Member of the Implementation Group Nomination for the 3rd Honorary Member

Dear Members of the Implementation Group!

According to the RoP – ESDC document 2017/184 as of 5th September 2017 – I nominate **Major MANOLIS Emmanouil** from the Hellenic Army Academy as the 3rd Honorary Member of the Implementation Group.

Reasons:

- 1) Since years Major Emmanouil MANOLIS has been a very active member of the Implementation Group – all the IG members who participated the IG meetings during the last years can confirm that. Because of his new position he will leave the group in 2018. Within few years he was one of the main actors to receive the Erasmus Charter for his Academy in order to start exchanges under the umbrella of the European Initiative for the exchange of young officers inspired by Erasmus.
- 2) Major Emmanouil MANOLIS tried very hard, not only to implement the new International Semester at his own Academy, but also convinced other Academies to implement it as soon as possible after finalising this Erasmus+ Strategic Partnership Project. This is one real result of his activities – according to the RoP's para 2.
- 3) Major Emmanouil MANOLIS was one of the main actors – together with the Hellenic Air Force Academy and the Hellenic Naval Academy – to organise the 10th anniversary of the Initiative.
- 4) Major Emmanouil MANOLIS tried hard to send as many Cadets as possible to Initiative's events abroad – and in doing so he contributed very much to the initiative's goal according to the RoP's para 1 – to harmonise the European Union's BOE and to increase interoperability.

We will discuss and – if you agree with me – vote on Major Emmanouil MANOLIS' Honorary Membership during the 39th IG meeting in Brussels.

Yours sincerely,

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