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**APPOINTMENT LETTER**

**STEPHAN BRUNO ZURFLUH**

**SPECIAL PERMANENT ASSIGNMENT AS FOREIGN RELATIONS DIRECTOR**

The Association of Cooperative Mining Societies (ACOMS) at our last meeting held on 10<sup>th</sup> October, 2022 appreciated your selfless efforts in promoting the concept of this novel organization to encourage and promote mining co-operatives which are recognized as a universally accepted system of sustainable mining.

This form of integrated, transparent and ecologically sound mining represents the long-sought solution to our chronic destructive and adhoc mining practices and thus effectively complement the Government of Ghana's approach to accountable, scientific and socially acceptable small scale mining and sustainable alternative livelihood programs (SALP) for the youth in mining communities in Ghana and elsewhere.

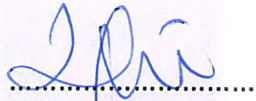
The SALP project which comprises all Sustainable Alternative Livelihood Programs in Agric Business, Music, Cultural Promoting, Sports and various economic sectors of societies as part of United Nations Sustainable Development Goals in our case must be channeled through Cooperative Modules.

The Board of Directors have directed me to convey to you one of the greatest appointments as our special permanent foreign relations director to ACOMS Africa, with retrospective effect from 10<sup>th</sup> October, 2022 before the board meeting early this year.

On behalf of the board of directors, I congratulate you on this important appointment and wish you good health and your family as well.

ACOMS assures you of greater collaboration in the coming years as we look forward for your acceptance letter in the interest of Ghana and Africa relations.

Yours faithfully



**(Michael Bugri)**  
**Executive Director**  
**For: Board of Directors**