Tuesday, June 23, 2020

To whom this may concern

I, the undersigned Dr. Michel Pepin hereby support the application of Dr. Beata Claude as a member of the Executive Board of WSAVA.

I’m the President of FAFVAC (Federation of Francophone Veterinary Companion Animals Associations) and I’ve been working with Claude for many years.

He’s a reliable and enthusiastic resource for our association, always trying to gather people and never reluctant to jump overseas to try and enhance the collaboration between veterinarians.

Claude is a proud member of FAFVAC, eager to spread his knowledge in behavior and psychiatry all over the world and dedicated to the work he does as a board member.

Even if French is today far less important than English, Spanish or Chinese, I do feel that it would be really interesting for WSAVA to include a French-speaking person, as this association has the goal to bring companion animal care and welfare all over the world and that many African countries are still French speaking. Dr. Claude Beata actively participated in the French translation of the WSAVA Animal Welfare Guidelines

I recommend Dr. Claude Beata as a person of good standing and suggest that he would make a valuable team member of WSAVA Executive Board.

Yours sincerely,

Michel Pepin, D.M.V., président
Fédération des associations francophones de vétérinaires pour animaux de compagnie.