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Mr. Radek Kielbasinski
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Dear Radek,

Please accept both from myself and on behalf of the World Bridge Federation our most sincere condolences for the passing of dear Andrzej Wilkosz, which leaves us incredulous and grieved.

Andrzej was a great champion who honored his country, but above all was a great gentleman who contributed by his example in underlining the value of fair-play, honesty, distinction, tolerance, without any discrimination, peculiar to the bridge discipline.

Personally I had the opportunity to know him since New Orleans 1978 when he won his first World Championship and to maintain with him a friendly relation with reciprocal esteem. I was very proud to award him, last August, the WBF Plaque in occasion of his 75th anniversary for his outstanding services to bridge.

Please present to Maria and his family our deepest condolences.

We will always remind him with affection.

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