

Nomination for IFATCA Award of Merit

Presented by the South Africa

1. Introduction

The Guild of Air Traffic Controllers of South Africa (GATCSA) wishes to nominate Mr. Peter van Rooyen for an IFATCA Award of Merit for his outstanding service to the Federation.

2. Discussion

Mr. Peter van Rooyen has been involved in IFATCA since 2001 and has performed various roles over the years.

From 2008 Peter represented South Africa serving on the Professional and Legal Committee (PLC), writing various papers and progressing the professional and legal aspects of the Federation. From 2015 to 2018 Peter served as Chairman of Committee C.

In 2018 Peter was elected to Executive Vice President Professional. A position which he held until 2025. Peter is a highly respected professional.

From 2000 Peter has held various roles in his MA, the Guild of Air Traffic Controllers of South Africa (GATCSA), including serving as President of the MA.

Peter has displayed outstanding knowledge in professional and legal issues. Peter is friendly, kind and diligent.

Peter is sadly leaving IFATCA. GATCSA believes that he deserves to be awarded the Award of Merit for all the work he has done for IFATCA over the last 24 years.

3. Recommendation

The Guild of Air Traffic Controllers of South Africa is of the opinion that Mr. Peter van Rooyen has distinguished himself to a degree that we consider as outstanding and has enhanced and promoted the profession of air traffic control and has worked tirelessly in the interest of the Federation. We propose to award Mr. Peter van Rooyen with the Award of Merit.