The Rt Hon Boris Johnson MP

House of Commons

London SW1A 0AA

Dear Boris Johnson MP,

**British Group Inter-Parliamentary Union**

**Annual General Meeting – Tuesday 27 November 2018**

On behalf of the Executive Committee and Members of the British Group Inter-Parliamentary Union, I write with regards to the Annual General Meeting of the Group, which will take place on Tuesday 27 November 2018 at 4pm in the IPU Room, off Westminster Hall. The AGM will adopt the Annual Report for 2018, elect a new Executive Committee and confirm the appointment of honorary office holders.

By way of background the titles of President, Honorary Presidents and Vice-Presidents of the British Group is offered annually to all current Members of Parliament, who are or have served in the following positions: Prime Minister, Deputy Prime Minister, Speaker, Lord Speaker, Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs, Minister for International Development, Leader of the Opposition, Shadow Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs and Shadow Secretary of State for International Development.

In light of the above tradition, the Executive Committee would be honoured if you would agree to accept the position of Vice-President of the Group for 2018/2019. The position is an honorary one and is not anticipated to place any additional burden or responsibilities upon those who hold such titular positions.

We would be grateful if you could inform the Secretariat of your decision on this matter as soon as possible by contacting Rhiannon Edwards, Executive Officer, via edwardsrl@parliament.uk or on 020 7219 7283.

Regards,

Rick Nimmo

Director, BGIPU