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**Subject: Military conflict in Ukraine**

We are the Association of Professional Beekeepers in Poland.

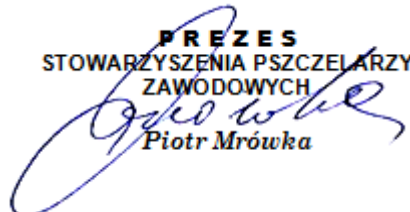
We have been actively participating in all APIMONDIA Congresses since 1981. In view of the situation we are currently witnessing in Ukraine, we would like to lodge an official protest against the organisation of this year's APIMONDIA Congress on the territory of the Russian Federation.

We have very good contacts with Ukrainian beekeepers and honey companies and we believe that they have a major impact on the world beekeeping. An unprovoked attack on Ukrainian territory must be met with worldwide protest and the reaction of all circles, including the world beekeeping associations.

In view of the humanitarian and economic disaster caused by the Russian Federation's aggression against Ukraine we call on the International Federation of Beekeeping Associationsto immediately cancel the planned 47th Congress APOMONDIA 2022in Ufa (Russia).

We request to move this meeting to another date in another country, belonging to the world family of democratic countries. We look forward to an urgent decision.

Best regards

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