A title of distinction - "Honorary metrologist of COOMET" is given to the most active participants of cooperation in the framework of COOMET and is an acknowledgement of their professionalism. The title is also regarded as an encouragement for the achievements and personal contribution in development and improving of the activities of Euro-Asian cooperation of National metrological institutions (hereinafter referred to as COOMET).

1. General provisions

The title of distinction - "Honorary metrologist of COOMET" (hereinafter referred to as Honorary title) is to be given to the specialists of metrology organizations of COOMET member countries for their personal contribution by carrying out projects and other duties in the framework of COOMET stipulated in COOMET Memorandum of Understanding and which have evident importance in strengthening cooperation at international level and in solving urgent metrology issues including:

- Development of scientific & research policies, conceptions and COOMET development programs;
- Participation in the events which have underpinning effect for COOMET future activities in COOMET member-countries and also at international level including development and implementation of perspective ways of collaboration;
- Development of highly important COOMET projects which yielded significant results;
- Organization and conducting of international, regional or national events under the auspices or with direct involvement of COOMET.

Honorary title is inevitably granted to a specialist actively participating in the activities of COOMET for not less than 5 years.

2. General requirements to a declaration for granting Honorary title

2.1. Honorary title is granted upon declaration of COOMET Committee members or Chairpersons of structural bodies of COOMET (on condition that a candidate is agreed with the Committee member from the country of candidate’s origin).

2.2. Solicitation for granting the honorary title has to be addressed to COOMET President.
2.3. Decision on granting the honorary title is to be made by COOMET President in agreement with members of Presidential Council and approved by COOMET Committee.

3. Procedure for giving the honorary title and decorating ceremony. Record keeping

3.1. Specialist who was granted Honorary title is given a COOMET Diploma in Russian and English languages (Annex 1) and also a Breastplate (Annex 2), which is to be worn on the right side of a chest.

3.2. President of COOMET presents the Diploma and the Breastplate to the candidate at a ceremonial event, as a rule, at COOMET Committee meeting.

It is allowed to present the Diploma and the Breastplate at COOMET Presidential Council or at the meeting of corresponding structural body of COOMET or in a group of colleagues in the candidate’s organization (on condition that authorization is given by COOMET President).

3.3. COOMET Secretariat keeps records of the specialists granted Honorary title.

3.4. Information about the specialists granted Honorary title is to be published on COOMET Web-site and other COOMET publications.
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DIPLOMA

The present diploma certifies that

____________________________________________
name and surname

____________________________________________
official position and name of organization

is given a title of distinction -

"Honorary metrologist of COOMET"

COOMET
President

__________________________  ______________________
signature  name and surname
Annex 2

APPEARANCE AND DESCRIPTION OF THE BREASTPLATE

Breastplate: round, 25 mm in diameter

Fastener: collet grip

Base material: copper,
relief elements and inscription base - antique silver,
COOMET logo, star and meridians - gilded,
globe-shaped plate - vitreous enamel (bright blue).

Packing: individual

In the center of composition an emblem of the globe, i.e. an abstract symbol of measure with a relief COOMET logotype above accentuating the international character of the Organization.

A shining star above the letter M (Metrology) and a winner's wreath (below) to indicate the great services of the awarded person.

The ring around the globe image with eye-catching, impressive inscriptions: "ЗАСЛУЖЕННЫЙ МЕТРОЛОГ" and "HONORARY METROLOGIST".