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Honorable Mayor of the City of Yekaterinburg

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Honorable Chairman of the City Council of Yekaterinburg

Volodin Igor Valerievich

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Prof. Alexander Mikhailovich Sergeev, President, Russian Academy of Sciences

Nikolay Gorbushin, President, Timoféeff-Ressovsky-Society

Members of the Russian Scientific Community

Prof. Charushin Valery Nikolaevich, Chairman of the Ural Branch of RAS

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Timoféeff-Ressovsky street in Yekaterinburg

Dear Honorable Mayor, dear Honorable Chairman of Yekaterinburg,

We were disappointed to learn that according to the Resolution of the Administration 525 of March 18, 2020, the name of the Timoféeff-Ressovsky street was altered.

Nikolai V. Timoféeff-Ressovsky is known in Germany for his eminent scientific work. His research contributed to the fundamental knowledge about genetics and besides others lead to careful application of ionizing radiations and protection against, which is the aim of our scientific society.

We strongly appeal to you to reconsider and withdraw your decision in order to keep in mind the heritage of the great Russian scientist and academic teacher.

Yours faithfully,

on behalf of the board of the German Society for Radiation Protection



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