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Dear

Further to your recent letter I am willing to accept the Appointment of Joint Team Leader at the 35th International Youth Skills Competition.

However, I would like the Appointment of the understudy Team Leader clarified.

I have had meetings with yourself and Sir John regarding my successor, at these meetings I have stated that, based on my many years of experience, there were several very important factors to be considered when selecting a Team Leader. The two most important factors were

- a) The person had to be a former competitor
- b) Martin must have a say in the appointment as the two Team Leaders must work very closely together and therefore have a very good working relationship as the job can be very difficult and stressful at times.

In view of the above comments I would request clarification on the Appointment of the understudy Team Leader.

Yours sincerely

Archie Sharkie

