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TIME TO VOTE

Dear professional colleague,

The time has finally come for you to vote in the ballot to secure recognition of the PDA Union. You should receive your ballot pack to your home address, including a pre-paid envelope in which to return the completed ballot paper.

Why you need to vote

Pharmacists first sought recognition of the PDA Union with Boots in 2011 and the company has tried to block this ever since. Finally last year, pharmacists at Boots won a historic ballot which made the current vote possible.

All of that effort will all make no difference unless pharmacists and pre-registration pharmacists win this ballot and that requires at least 40% of all eligible voters to vote "YES".

Please can I ask you to do two things to help pharmacists win this ballot

- 1. Complete and return your ballot paper with a "YES" vote as soon as possible
- 2. Once you have returned your ballot paper, talk to a colleague to make sure they have voted too.

Every vote counts, so please don't leave it to others. Return your completed ballot paper with a YES vote as soon as possible.

Please remember if you have any comments or questions for us, we'd be pleased to hear from you. You can email me at mark.pitt@the-pda.org

Yours sincerely

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Assistant General Secretary

If you consider that you are eligible to vote and have not received a ballot paper by 22 February 2019, or if you do not think that you are eligible to vote but receive a ballot paper, please contact the CAC Case Manager, Linda Lehan, by email at llehan@cac.gov.uk giving your full name and address. If you have recently changed your address and you have not informed your employer you should do so as soon as possible to ensure you receive your ballot paper on time.

PS: To keep up to date about the ballot and hear from us, please also follow us on social media: "@the_pda" on Twitter; "PharmacistsDefenceAssociation" on Facebook; the PDA is also on LinkedIn, Instagram and YouTube.