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Dear Mr. Muir!

On the February 24, 2022, Russian Federation has attacked Ukraine with help of Belarus. During 7 days citizens of Ukraine are dying, including children and elder people. We are thankful that you have already cancelled two UIAA Ice Climbing World Cup events in Russia. However, the situation is still very complicated. People are dying, cities are being ruined, and lives are being destroyed. During times when our soldiers protect our country and common people stand up against invaders, national sport federations united and with help of Ministry of sports of Ukraine try to draw attention of world community to the situation in Ukraine.

Taking into consideration all mentioned above UMCF asks to revoke the membership both of Russian Mountaineering Federation and of Belarussian Mountaineering Federation in UIAA.

Nothing can be more valuable than people's life and freedom.

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