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**Re: Fellowship of the British Herpetological Society**

Dear Roger,

I am pleased to advise that, at the BHS Council meeting of 5<sup>th</sup> October 2019, it was proposed by Dr. Rick Hodges that you should be awarded with a Fellowship of the British Herpetological Society.

This is for your dedication and hard work spent over many years, particularly in your role as Receiving Editor of the Herpetological Bulletin and latterly the Herpetological Journal, and the many scientific papers you have researched and authored for our publications and others. Your outstanding contribution to herpetology eclipses that of any member and we feel that this small recognition of your work is long overdue.

The proposal was seconded by Mr. Mark Hollowell and agreed *nem con* by BHS Council. We hope you will accept this recognition of your work, which was due to be announced to the membership through the Chairman's report at the Annual General Meeting of 2020, but due to unforeseen cancellation of the meeting will now be through the Society's media.

May I offer my congratulations both personally and on behalf of BHS Council,

Very best regards,

**Trevor Rose**

Secretary (Hons)

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