Appendix 2:

Ruling for the appreciation of life's work around the blues. In accordance with the regulations of the Swiss Blues Award of 19.10.2019 point 4.

The "Swiss Blues Award - Lifetime Achievement" is awarded in recognition of lifetime achievements in the field of the blues and is not subject to an annual rhythm.

The general conditions

- 1. The awarding of a "Swiss Blues Award Lifetime Achievement" by the jury of the Swiss Blues Award under the patronage of the Blues Festival Basel is a unique and rare opportunity for the Swiss blues scene to honor a lifetime achievement around the blues.
- 2. Nominees have distinguished themselves through a lifelong commitment and outstanding leadership around the blues, moved much in Switzerland and / or abroad.
- 3. The award can be given to a personality only once even posthumously.
- 4. Eligible are personalities as well as among other musicians, teachers, organizers, promoters or media representatives from the blues and entertainment scene. They are no longer necessarily active.
- 5. Such an award is exceedingly rare. As a guideline, this award can be expected on average every 7-10 years.
- 6. This award will be presented on the Blues Festival Basel in a dignified setting with a diploma but without a prize.

The awarding procedure

- 1. The jury of the Swiss Blues Award (applicants) will draw up a permanent longlist of potential candidates, which will be kept up to date by the presidium of the Swiss Blues Award.
- 2. The longlist is deposited on the internal homepage of the SBA, which is only accessible to the jury. Short information about the nominee(s) will be provided by the applicant on the internal homepage.
- 3. The discussion about a possible award takes place at the annual jury meeting. The longlist will also be re-evaluated and updated on this occasion if no award presents itself.
- 4. The decision on the choice of a nominee can only be made by a 2/3 majority of the entire jury.