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Nelson Lourenco (R3 ARC Chair)

General Updates

· We received 16 nominations this year across our various awards
  o I will be contacting committee members shortly to begin reviewing nominations and organize January meeting dates

· I will be opening another OpenWater portal for Section awards that do not fall under our December 1 deadline
  o Three awards are currently outside of our December 1 deadline:
    § Exemplary Section Award
      · Purpose: To recognize outstanding Section leadership, management, and administration for the immediate past Section year. To provide a mechanism that allows the Regional Director to visit, recognize the Section leadership and make the award presentation.
    § Exemplary Student Branch Award
      · Purpose: To encourage though public recognition exemplary Student Branch operation.
    § Student Professional Activities Service Award
      · Purpose: To recognize Student Branch and/or student member specific achievements and efforts in advancing the professional aims of IEEE in Region 3.
  o Nomination portal has been created. I just need to update several fields in OpenWater and then I will release the link for members to submit nominations.
  o I've been focused on some family matters for the past few weeks so I appreciate your patience.

Best regards,
Nelson Lourenco
Chair, Region 3 Awards and Recognition Committee