

Dear Board of Governors of ISC,
Dear Members of ISC,
Dear Friends,

I hear with deep regret of the passing of Prof. Bredikis. As stated in Prof. Korpan's email, I visited Kaunas in February 2016 with Prof. Sumida and Prof. Korpan in order to prepare for the World 19th Congress of Cryosurgery in September 2017 and we met Prof. Bredikis, Prof. Benetis and Dr. Prusinskas. In the process, Prof. Bredikis was very cooperative and helpful. I heard that Prof. Bredikis and Prof. Sumida were best friends since the World 6th Congress held in Athens in 1986. So, I think that there was a deep friendship and trust between them. For this reason, the World 19th Congress of Cryosurgery was a great success. I sincerely pray for the souls of Prof. Bredikis and Prof. Sumida.

Best regards,

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