The Institute of Professional Editors Limited

Policy Name: Review and promotion of books authored by editors

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1. Purpose

This policy details IPEd’s position on the review and promotion of books and other material.

2. Review

IPEd will not undertake any reviews of books or other material produced by editors or others.

If such a request is received, it will be passed on to the relevant society of editors.

This policy does not affect the decisions of individual societies of editors as to whether to conduct or publish a review.

3. Promotion

IPEd will only promote published non-fiction books of a high standard and of benefit or interest to editors. Particular attention will be given to those works published by AEs or DEs.

IPEd reserves the right to refuse to promote any publication without giving an explanation.

When notification of a publication has been received, a note to this effect will be published in the News section of the IPEd website. This will include a blurb of up to 100 words and, if available, a link to the author’s or publisher’s website.

The details of the book will then be added to the Book References list in the Resources for Editors section of the IPEd website.

This policy does not affect the decisions of individual societies of editors as to whether to promote works produced by their members through their website or newsletter.

4. Versions

First version August 2011.

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