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Review Committee on second extension for establishing national public health capacities and on IHR implementation

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DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS

Professor Petri RUUTU

Professor Petri Ruutu has declared that he does consultancy work in the area of Finnish communicable diseases law development, the Global Health Security Agenda, and in the area of candidate European Union Member States' communicable diseases control assessment. He receives an income in this regard that WHO's Declaration of Interest Policy for Experts regards as potentially significant (i.e. in excess of 5,000 USD).

Professor Kuku VOYI

Professor Kuku Voyi has declared that she trains WHO fellows on IHR in-country implementation at the University of Pretoria continuing education center. She receives an income in this regard that WHO's Declaration of Interest Policy for Experts regards as potentially significant (i.e. in excess of 5,000 USD).

The interests summarized above do not give rise to a conflict of interest such that the experts concerned should be partially or totally excluded from participation in the Review Committee. However, following WHO's Declaration of Interest Policy for Experts, they were disclosed within the Committee so that other members were aware of them. All other Members of the Review Committee declared no relevant interests.

A number of the Review Committee Members have extensive governmental experience and expertise – and consulting with WHO – in the areas that are the subject of the Review Committee proceedings, which were considered very relevant and important for the challenging tasks faced by the Committee.