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The Minister of Labour, Health and Social
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Ministry of Labour, Health and
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15 May 2018

Sir,

I have the honour to request your assistance in identifying and facilitating the availability of two experts: a representative of end-users with laboratory expertise, and a representative with responsibility for post-market surveillance of in vitro diagnostic medical devices in your country, for the period indicated below:

Date: 4 to 5 July 2018
Function: Participant
Place: Minsk, Belarus
Purpose: Participate in the WHO workshop on post-market surveillance for testing providers and regulators.

The objective of this meeting is to build the capacity of end-users (testing providers) and regulatory authorities to implement World Health Organization (WHO) guidance on post-market surveillance of in vitro diagnostic medical devices. We would like to invite a representative from each of the institutions concerned, who are in charge of the post-market surveillance of in vitro diagnostic medical devices.

The agenda and concept note of this workshop are attached for your information. The travel expenses of the participants and a daily subsistence allowance for the duration of the meeting, in accordance with our travel regulations, will be covered by WHO. Travel for participants will be arranged by WHO.

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cc: Permanent Mission of Georgia to the United Nations Office and other International
Organizations at Geneva
The WHO Head of Country Office, Tbilisi

The working languages of the workshop will be English and Russian, with simultaneous interpretation.

I thank you for your cooperation and would be grateful to receive your reply by 30 May 2018 in order to complete administrative formalities on time.

Please accept, Sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.



Dr Mariângela Simão
Assistant Director-General
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