



In reply please refer to: WP/HAE/WHOCC/2024
Prière de rappeler la référence:

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Dear Professor Ueno,

I would like to thank you for the valuable contribution made by your institution during the past years of designation as a WHO collaborating centre. I am pleased to inform you that the World Health Organization has redesignated the Institute of Industrial Ecological Sciences, University of Occupational and Environmental Health, Japan, as a WHO Collaborating Centre for Occupational Health, under WHO's reference number JPN-53.

As previously agreed, Professor Yasuo Morimoto will act as Head for the work under this collaborating centre. Should there be any change in the future, I would be grateful if you would inform WHO without delay.

The designation of the Institute of Industrial Ecological Sciences, University of Occupational and Environmental Health, Japan, as a WHO collaborating centre will be effective for a period of four years, as from 23 July 2024, and will automatically end on 23 July 2028 unless redesignation has been approved by WHO before that date. During the period of designation, either party may revoke the designation at any time by giving three months advance notice in writing.

The designation as a collaborating centre for the current period is to complete the agreed terms of reference and workplan as
... attached.

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... ENCL.: As stated.

cc: The Honourable Minister of Health, Labour and Welfare, Tokyo
The Honourable Minister for Foreign Affairs, Attention: The Director,
Global Health Policy Division, International Cooperation
Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Tokyo
The Director, International Affairs Division, Minister's Secretariat,
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We wish to emphasize that institutions designated as WHO collaborating centres are expected to implement the agreed workplan in a timely manner and to the highest possible standard of quality. Any issue that may affect the implementation of the agreed workplan should be brought promptly to the attention of the WHO responsible officer, Mr Pankyu Park, +63 8528 9889, parkp@who.int. For information on administrative matters, please visit the WHO website <https://www.who.int/about/collaboration/collaborating-centres>.

... We also wish to emphasize that institutions designated as WHO collaborating centres must comply with the attached *Terms and Conditions for WHO Collaborating Centres*. We draw your particular attention to the fact that the WHO name and emblem may only be used by a WHO collaborating centre strictly as described in those ... attached terms and conditions.

Finally, please note that institutions designated as WHO collaborating centres must complete a short online progress report form once each year. On the anniversary of the designation date, details will be sent to the email address of the Head of the collaborating centre as specified in the designation form.

Again, I would like to express my appreciation for your past contribution, and I look forward to our continuing successful collaboration.

Yours sincerely



Dr Saia Ma'u Piukala
Regional Director