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Assessment outcome of occupational activities after leaving the service

Dr Agnes Saint-Raymond

HAVING REGARD to Article 16 of the Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Communities (SR), as applicable by analogy to members of temporary and contract agent staff of the Agency pursuant to Article 11 of the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Communities;

HAVING REGARD to the obligation of staff members to behave with integrity and discretion after leaving the service and as regards the acceptance of certain appointments or benefits;

HAVING REGARD to the Agency Code of Conduct (Doc. Ref.: EMA/385894/2012 rev.1) and namely to the provision set in title 3, "EMA Guidance on Confidentiality and Discretion", with regard to continuing duty of confidentiality;

WHEREAS, Dr Agnes Saint-Raymond submitted an application form for authorisation to be engaged in occupational activities after leaving the service, in the context of which she informed the Agency of her intention to work as a grant assessor at EDCTP, an EU institution/body, starting on 15 September 2022;

Outcome

1. Holds that Dr Saint-Raymond has provided to the authority authorised to conclude contracts (AACC) full and complete information for the purpose of Article 16 of the SR;
2. Holds that the activities declared, as a grant assessor at EDCTP, by Dr Saint-Raymond are not in conflict with the interest of the service and are therefore authorised without conditions;
3. Reminds Dr Saint-Raymond that she may no longer represent the views of the Agency and should ensure, in public fora, including social media, firstly that this is made explicit and secondly, that any opinion she expresses cannot be construed as representing that of the Agency. Any opinion given in public presentations or written material shall be stated to be her own and not linked to her former employment at EMA;
4. Reminds Dr Saint-Raymond of her duty of confidentiality and of her obligation to immediately inform the authority authorised to conclude contracts of any change in circumstances affecting her professional activities if it occurs within the two-year period of time after leaving the service;

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5. Reminds Dr Saint-Raymond that the Agency will publish annually a report on its activities related to Article 16, including a list of the cases assessed.
6. Reminds Dr Saint-Raymond that an internal register of former staff members on whom conditions have been applied will be maintained, taking into account provisions on personal data protection. An extract of the internal register will be made public within the Agency.