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## **Executive Board at date of signing:**

E Z Ron President

R Rappuoli President Elect

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S K Rhee Vice President

R A Samson Secretary General

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## Bank at date of signing:

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## **Responsibilities of the Executive Board**

The Executive Board is responsible for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law under Dutch laws and regulations.

The Executive Board is required to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the situation of the organization and of the income and expenditure for that period.

In preparing these financial statements, the Executive Board is required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently.
- · make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent.
- Indicate whether the applicable Dutch accounting standards have been followed; subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements.
- prepare the financial statement on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the organization will continue in business.

The Executive Board is responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the organization's transactions and that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the organization and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the constitution of the organization.

They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the organization and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

#### To the management of:

Stichting International Union of Microbiological Societies Uppsalalaan 8 3584CT Utrecht

# **Composition statement of VDG & Partners**

The Financial Statements 2020 van Stichting International Union of Microbiological Societies te Utrecht is compiled by us based on your information received. The annual accounts consist of the balance sheet as of 31 December 2020,2020 and the income statement with the accompanying explanation. This explanation includes an overview of the methods used accounting policies.

This compilation assignment has been performed by us in accordance with Dutch law, "Compilation assignments."

Based on this standard, we are expected to support you in the preparation and presentation of the annual accounts in accordance with Part 9, Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code (BW)

We have our expertise in the field of administrative processing and financial reporting applied.

In a compilation assignment, you are responsible for ensuring that the information is correct and that you provide us with all relevant provides information. We have our work, in accordance with the applicable regulations, therefore carried out on the assumption that you have fulfilled this responsibility. As a final piece of our work, we have broadly verified that the image of the financial statements matched our knowledge of Stichting International Union of Microbiological Societies We have not performed any audit or review procedures that enable us to make an opinion give or draw a conclusion regarding the fairness of the annual accounts.

You and other users of these annual accounts may therefore assume that we carry out the assignment professionally have performed professionally and carefully, with integrity and objectivity and that we deal confidentially with the by information you provide.

Trusting that we have carried out our assignment properly, we remain,

Den Haag 21 may 2021

Yours sincerely VDG & Partners

Rob van der Graaf MBA

#### 2020 Activities

### International Commission on Taxonomy of Virology (ICTV)

Funds were provided to ICTV. In terms of activities, ICTV has been very active over the last few years and has initiated several new developments. These include freely available online access to the ICTV Report, which is the authoritative source of taxonomic information in virology, and substantial improvements to the ICTV website (www.ictv.global).

The role of the ICTV continues to increase the importance as the rate of virus discovery accelerates.

The funds of \$5,000 USD provided for 2020-2021 would be used to sustain these initiatives such as covering the costs of maintaining the website in terms of the annual purchase of Amazon Web Services and licenses.

#### **IUMS Outreach 2020**

The 6th IUMS Outreach Program on Microbial Toxins (February 20-21, 2020) was an event organized by the International Union of Microbiological Societies collaborating with The Centre for Food and Nutrition Studies Universitas Gadjah Made to raise awareness of Food Safety in Indonesia. This program facilitated microbiologists to increase their capabilities especially on Food Safety. By joining this program, it expected that attendees could expand their knowledge and contribution food safety issues, especially in Indonesia. The meeting was sponsored by IUMS, ICFM and ICFMH and industrial sponsors. IUMS sponsored \$5,000 USD. The commissions ICFM and ICFMH provided the travel and hotel costs for the speakers. More than 200 research and students attended the meeting.

#### IUMS Congress 2020 - Daejeon, Korea (virtual)

The 2020 international congress was a very challenging event to organize due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The Congress was originally planned as a physical event, but the travel restrictions forced the change to a virtual format. Despite the challenging circumstances presented by the global pandemic, the Congress still provided a good experience for members and returned a profit of \$10,000 USD to IUMS.

#### **Future IUMS congresses**

The Executive Board in several meetings discussed the frequency of the IUMS congresses and decided that the IUMS would deviate from the 3-year cycle to two years. The next IUMS congress is planned for July 2022.

#### **Executive Board meetings**

Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, the Executive Board was not able to meet in 2020. However, in several zoom meetings the board discussed the current and urgent matters.

## **BALANCE SHEET AT 31 DECEMBER 2020**

Balance at bank Debtors - Contributions due - Accrued income - Prepayments	2020 USD\$ 172.440 -3.015 10.000	2019 USD\$ 181.597 -2.492 84 5.046
Creditors - Accruals Represented by	-848 <b>178.577</b>	-4.498 <b>179.737</b>
General funds	130.608	131.897
Designated funds - Arima funds - Mudd funds Total	25.549 22.420 178.577	25.480 22.360 <b>179.737</b>

These financial statements were approved by the Executive Board and authorized for issue on and signed on their behalf by:

R A Samson Date: June 12 2021

Secretary General

# **INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNTS YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020**

Income	2020 USD\$	2020 USD\$	2019 USD\$	2019 USD\$
Contributions from members Bank interest		38.977 381		39.101 2.843
Congress Income Total income		10.000 <b>49.358</b>	-	41.944
<b>Expenditure</b> Scientific activities:				
- Representation at scientific meetings	-		-	
<ul><li>Outreach programme</li><li>Other contributions (ICTV)</li></ul>	5.000 5.000		-	
- Other contributions (ICTV)	3.000	10.000		- -
Routine meetings: - Executive Board				9.686
- Executive Board			-	9.686
Other activities - Contribution to ICSU	1.668		1.525	
- Contribution to 1CSU bodies	1.008		50	
		1.668		1.575
Administrative expenses				
- Secretariat, accountancy and audit costs	30.699		34.485	
<ul><li>General office expenses</li><li>Bank charges</li></ul>	2.526 824		1.419 1.294	
- Exchange rate (gains)/losses	980		704	
- Congress meetings and review costs	3.820	38.849	4.691	42.593
		36.649	_	42.595
Total expenditure		50.517	:	53.854
Deficit of income over expenditure before distribution of designated reserves		-1.159		-11.910
Accumulated fund balance at start of year		179.737	-	191.647
Accumulated fund balance at end of year		178.578	:	179.737