

Declaration of Interests

Following the Code for the prevention of improper influence due to conflicts of interest, all potential reviewers are required to fill out, sign, and return the declaration below.

In the event more space is needed than the textboxes allow, please continue on page 6.

Applicant's personal details

Name **Walter Steurbaut**

Primary Position(s)

Please specify the scope of each position if you have more than one

Part-time professor Ghent University

Ancillary positions

Please briefly state the activities involved and whether they are remunerated or not

Member of the Belgian High Council of Public Health

Member of the Scientific Committee of the Belgian Federal Agency for Food safety

Description of relationships and interests

For a more detailed explanation, see the Code paragraph entitled 'Transparency in relationships and interests'. <http://www.gezondheidsraad.nl/sites/default/files/codedigital2012EN.pdf>

Personal financial interests

Examples:

An advisory committee member that acts on behalf of a company operating in the sector covered by the recommendation/guideline.

Direct financial interests in a company (shares or stock options).

None

Personal relationships

Example:

Individuals in your immediate environment (such as family members, partners, friends and immediate colleagues) that could benefit from the outcome of a specific recommendation.

None

Reputation management

Examples:

Participation for the purpose of the position of the employer or other special interest groups, or gaining personal recognition.

Head of a patient organisation or professional association.

None

Externally funded research

Example:

Participation in research funded by (semi-)governmental organisations, funds or industry, whereby the financier may have an interest in specific outcomes.

None

Knowledge valorisation

Examples:

Unique, specialist expertise on the areas and sub-areas covered by the research project, offering the potential for commodification. This may concern a product, procedure or intervention, as well as a new theoretical concept or model or a new organisational or logistical approach.

Ownership of a product

None

Other interests

Do you or those around you have any other interests that could be a source of potential embarrassment to you, your environment or the organisation if made public?

None

Signature

- I. Hereby confirms to have taken cognisance of the Code for the prevention of improper influence due to conflicts of interest;
- II. Hereby agrees to treat all information received , or obtained in internal discussions, as confidential;
- III. Hereby confirms that he/she has listed all relevant relationships and interests in good faith;
- IV. Hereby confirms that he/she will duly report any new interests that should arise in the interim, the termination of any existing interests, changes to existing interests or interests that will become more relevant over the course of the process.

Signature



Date

20 august 2014

Submission

Return the completed and signed form to info@bestrijdingsmiddelen-omwonenden.nl

Decision (to be filled in by RIVM)

Name

Walter Steurbaut



There are no circumstances precluding participation as a reviewer.



Participation as a reviewer cannot be permitted due to an excessive potential risk of improper influence.



Name

J.M. ROELS

Function

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Date

07.10.2014

Signature



Explanation (optional)

More detailed explanation of relationships and interests (optional)