

# GOVERNING BOARD OF THE GLOBAL HEALTH EDCTP3 JOINT UNDERTAKING DECISION N° GB/26/2023

on the accession of the Global Health EDCTP3 Joint Undertaking to the Interinstitutional Agreement of 25 May 1999 between the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission concerning internal investigations by the European Anti-Fraud Office

THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE OF THE GLOBAL HEALTH EDCTP3 JOINT UNDERTAKING (hereafter "GH EDCTP3 JU"),

Having regard to Council Regulation (EU) No 2021/2085 of 19 November 2021 establishing the Joint Undertakings under Horizon Europe and repealing Regulations (EC) No 219/2007, (EU) No 557/2014, (EU) No 558/2014, (EU) No 559/2014, (EU) No 560/2014, (EU) No 561/2014 and (EU) No 642/2014 (hereafter "the founding regulation"), in particular Article 30(6) thereof;

Having regard to the Rules of Procedure of the Governing Board of the GH EDCTP3 JU, in particular Article 10.

## WHEREAS:

(1) Regulation (EC, EURATOM) No 883/2013¹ of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning investigations conducted by the European Anti-Fraud Office (OLAF) and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1073/1999 of the European Parliament and of the Council and Council Regulation (Euratom) No 1074/1999 provides that, within the institutions, bodies, offices and agencies established by or on the basis of the Treaties, OLAF shall conduct administrative investigations for the purpose of fighting fraud, corruption and any other illegal activity affecting the financial interests of the Union;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> OJ L 248, 18.9.2013, p. 1–22

- (2) An Interinstitutional Agreement of 25 May 1999 concerning internal investigations by OLAF (hereinafter "the Interinstitutional agreement") was concluded between the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission with the aim to agree on common rules for ensuring the smooth operation of investigations carried out by OLAF;
- (3) In accordance with Article 30(6) of the founding regulation, GH EDCTP3 JU should accede to the Interinstitutional Agreement;
- (4) In accordance with the Interinstitutional Agreement, GH EDCTP3 JU should accede to it by forwarding a declaration addressed jointly to the Presidents of the signatory institutions,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

### Article 1

GH EDCTP3 JU hereby accedes to the Interinstitutional Agreement.

## Article 2

This decision shall constitute a declaration of accession to the Interinstitutional Agreement and shall be forwarded to the Presidents of the signatory institutions.

#### Article 3

This decision shall enter into force on the date of its adoption.

For the Global Health EDCTP3 Joint Undertaking Governing Board

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