

ANNUAL DECLARATION OF INTERESTS (ADoI)

(Please note that high quality of scientific expertise is by nature based on prior experience and that therefore having an interest does not necessarily mean having a conflict of interest)

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Title: Dr.

Profession: Chemist

Current EFSA involvements: Member-CONTAM Panel 2015-2018 (CONTAM)

Nature of Activities	Period	Organisation	Subject matter
I. Economic interest			NO INTEREST
II. Member of a managing entity or equivalent structure			NO INTEREST

III. Member of a scientific advisory entity	06/1998 - now	-Name: Joint WHO/FAO Expert Committee on Food Additives (JECFA)	Food Additives and Contaminants. The Committee publishes opinions under the aegis of the WHO and FAO on risk assessments for additives and contaminants in food. I have participated in the Committee as both a Member (5 meetings, 2010-14, with voting power, responsible for decisions concerning published opinions) and as a Temporary Expert (14 meetings, 1998-2010, non-voting, responsible for preparing draft documents concerning risk assessments for substances in food). The documents prepared are non-binding opinions of the expert attendees. I have completed numerous dietary exposure assessments for food additives as well as contaminants, including mycotoxins, chloropropanols, methylmercury, perchlorate, and others. I helped develop the Single Portion Exposure Technique (SPET) system for the JECFA procedure for safety assessment of flavouoring substances. I worked as a member of the WHO/FAO update project to renew Environmental Health Criteria (EHC) 70 (now EHC 240), participating in an international workshop in Annapolis MD, USA in May 2005. I am currently invited to participate in the 80th meeting of the JECFA in Rome, June 6-25 2015.
IV. Employment	07/1988 - now	-Name: US Food and Drug Administration	Food Additives and Contaminants. Group Supervisor, Division of Biotech and GRAS Notification Review (DBGNR). Supervise and mentor members of the Chemistry Group of DBGNR. Duties include the scientific review of GRAS (generally recognized as safe) notifications, the review, comment and sign-off of review documents produced by members of the group, the estimation of exposure to constituents and contaminants in foods, review of GRAS notice summary memoranda and response letters, guidance documents, and draft Federal Register documents. Support Agency (inter-Office) activities, such as recalls and Food Advisory Committees (FAC). Participation in special projects as necessary. Presentations before FDA Food Advisory Committee on olestra, acrylamide, furan, and bovine spongiform encephalopathy (BSE) from gelatin intake. Advise FDA management on dietary exposure aspects of risk assessments for foods, ingredients, nutients and contamininats. Currently advising on dietary exposure to sodium in the whole diet and caffeine from alcoholic beverages. Re-estimated dietary exposure to acrylamide beginning 2 January 2014, finishing 10 November 2014. Results to appear on FDA website following overall Agency reevaluation. I do not carry out research as a part of this position and therefore I do not receive private (or public) research funding.
V. Occasional consultancy			NO INTEREST
VI. Research funding			NO INTEREST
VII. Intellectual property rights			NO INTEREST
VIII. Other memberships or affiliations			NO INTEREST
IX. Other relevant interest			NO INTEREST
X. Interests of close family members			NO INTEREST

I hereby declare that I have read both the Guidance Document on Declarations of Interests and the Procedure for identifying and handling potential conflict of interests and that the above Declaration of Interests is complete.

Date: 27/04/2015 Signature: SIGNED