Standard form for Disclosures of Interest

I, Brian Holuj, nominated by the United States of America, residing in France, a consulting expert of the TEAP Decision XXXI/7 Task Force on Energy Efficiency (hereinafter referred to as the Energy Efficiency Task Force or EETF) declare as follows:

1) I have read the Conflict of Interest and Disclosure Guidelines for the Technology and Economic Assessment Panel, its Technical Options Committees and Temporary Subsidiary Bodies (“the COI Guidelines”) as adopted by the Meeting of the Parties in Decision XXIV/8.

2) I am a programme management officer at the United Nations Environment Programme. My responsibilities include managing the portfolio of sustainable cooling projects related to end-use equipment in developing and emerging economies.

3) This declaration constitutes my written agreement, pursuant to paragraph 8 of the COI Guidelines, to comply with the Guidelines. I understand that this written agreement is a condition of my service.

4) My interests\(^1\) include the following -

\(^1\) When making a disclosure of interest, consider the COI Guidelines as a whole, and in particular the Annex which gives the following illustrative list of interests that should be disclosed -

(a) A current proprietary interest of a member or his/her personal partner or dependent in a substance, technology or process (e.g., ownership of a patent) to be considered by the Technology and Economic Assessment Panel or any of its technical options committees or temporary subsidiary bodies;

(b) A current financial interest of a member or his/her personal partner or dependent, e.g., shares or bonds in an entity with an interest in the subject matter of the meeting or work (but not shareholdings through general mutual funds or similar arrangements where the expert has no control over the selection of shares);

(c) A current employment, consultancy, directorship or other position held by a Member or his/her personal partner or dependent, whether or not paid, in any entity which has an interest in the subject matter of the Technology and Economic Assessment Panel. This element of disclosure also includes paid consultancy efforts performed on behalf of an implementing agency to assist developing countries to adopt alternatives;

(d) The provision of advice on significant issues to a government with respect to its implementation of the Montreal Protocol or engaging in the development of significant policy positions of a government for a Montreal Protocol meeting;

(e) Performance of any paid research activities or receipt of any fellowships or grants for work related to a proposed use of an ozone-depleting substance or an alternative to a proposed use of an ozone depleting substance.

Relevant financial relationships between Members should be disclosed.
a. **Proprietary interests:** NA  
b. **Financial interests:** NA  
c. **Employment, consultancy, directorship or other positions:** As a UNEP staff member focused on refrigeration and air conditioning policies, programs, technologies and practices, the activities of the TEAP and decisions made within the context of the Montreal Protocol have relevant implications for the work that I oversee, such as the development and deployment of model regulation guidelines for cooling equipment.  
d. **Government advice and other policy development:** I manage projects that advise many developing and emerging economy governments at the national level regarding market transformation opportunities in the cooling arena, including opportunities to enhance energy efficiency while transitioning refrigerants in keeping with the Kigali Amendment to the Montreal Protocol.  
e. **Paid research activities, fellowships or grants:** NA  
f. **Other interests:** NA  

5) The source of funding for my participation in the work of the TEAP EETF is from the Global Environment Facility and Kigali Cooling Efficiency Program.²  

6) Pursuant to paragraph 11 of the COI Guidelines I declare that I have not declined to disclose information falling within paragraph 10 of those Guidelines.  

7) I undertake to disclose any material change to any of the above information, pursuant to paragraph 9 of the COI Guidelines, within 30 days of any such change.  

8) I undertake to make further declarations of interest annually for so long as I remain a member of the TEAP EETF.  

9) I understand that this DOI will expire no later than one year after I have signed it.  

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by Brian Holuj  
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²Where a Member benefits from finance that has been channelled through a conduit, the Member should also identify the source of the finance.