Award of the United Arab Emirates Health Foundation Prize

The Executive Board, having considered the report of the United Arab Emirates Health Foundation Selection Panel,1 awarded the United Arab Emirates Health Foundation Prize for 2019 jointly to the National Center for Global Health and Medicine of Japan for its contribution to the improvement of public health, both in Japan and, through its Bureau of International Health Cooperation, in developing countries and to Dr Askwar Hilonga of the United Republic of Tanzania for his work in using nanomaterials to improve access to safe drinking water and reduce the number of lives lost to waterborne diseases. The laureates will each receive US$ 20 000.

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1 Document EB144/40, section 3.