

Appreciation of the outgoing Acting Regional Director for the Western Pacific

The Executive Board,

Desiring to express its appreciation to Dr Zsuzsanna Jakab for her services as Acting Regional Director for the Western Pacific;

Mindful of Dr Zsuzsanna Jakab's lifelong, professional devotion to the cause of global health, and recalling especially her service collectively as Officer-in-Charge of the Regional Office for the Western Pacific then Acting Regional Director for the Western Pacific since August 2022, as Deputy Director-General since 2019, and as Regional Director for Europe from 2010 to 2019,

1. EXPRESSES its profound gratitude and appreciation to Dr Zsuzsanna Jakab for her invaluable contribution to the work of WHO, especially her efforts to ensure continuation of the work and activities of WHO in the Western Pacific Region through a difficult and critical period;
2. ADDRESSES to her on this occasion its sincere good wishes for many further years of service to the global health community.

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