

Declaration of interests

(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)

Name : **Hendrik van Loveren**

Title: **MR.**

Profession : **Immunotoxicologist**

Current EFSA Involvements

- Hearing Expert - FAF Panel Experts (2018-2024)
- Vice Chair - CEP Panel Experts (2018-2024)
- Alternate Member - SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE Panel Experts (2018-2024)
- Member - WG/P/NDA/2018/02 - Novel Foods 2018-2024
- Chair - WG/P/CEP/2018/03 - WG on BPA re-evaluation
- Member - WG/P/CEP/2018/05 - WG Enzymes
- Member - WG/P/SC/2019/03 - WG SynBioM
- Member - WG/U/NUTRI/2018/01 - Traditional Foods from Third Countries
- Member - WG/P/NDA/2019/03 - Food Allergy
- Member - WG/P/FAF/2018/05 - WG on the re-evaluation of miscellaneous food additives

Interests

I. Financial investments

No interests

II. Managerial role

No interests

III. Member of a scientific advisory entity

Period: **01/01/2016 - 01/03/2018**

Organisation: **World Health Organisation, International Program on Chemical Safety**

Impact on annual earnings: **0%**

Subject matter: Chairing aan international expert group preparing an Environmental Health Criteria Document Principles and Methods for Assessing the Immunotoxic Risk of Exposure to Engineeren

Nanoparticles Members of the group are all from academia or governmental research institutions; and checked by WHO for possible conflicts of interest, i.e. possible links with industry.

Period: **01/09/2015 - 01/07/2018**

Organisation: **European Union**

Subject matter: EU Scientific Committee on Occupational Exposure Limits. Aspects of Occupational Exposure. The aim is to set occupational exposure limits for agents that are at the workplace. I am member of this committee. The aim of the committee is to reach consensus within the expert group, but minority opinions are possible. The advice is given to the EU Commission. Meetings are on average 3 times per year, two full days. Preparation time is approximately the same.

Period: **01/01/2005 - 01/12/2020**

Organisation: **Dutch Health Council**

Subject matter: Committees on Health of Aspects of Occupational Exposure. The aim of this committee is to set occupational exposure limits for agents that are at the workplace. I was member of this committee until 31/12/2020. The aim of the committee is to reach consensus, but minority opinions are possible. The advice is given to the Dutch Government. Meetings are on average 6 times per year, one afternoon. Preparation time is approximately the same.

IV. Employment

Period: **01/05/2002 - 01/12/2018**

Organisation: **Maastricht University**

Impact on annual earnings: **0%**

Subject matter: The main activity of the university of Maastricht is higher education and research. The university is a state university, and is mainly financed by public sources. I am not aware of contracts or other engagements with EFSA or companies having submitted applications to EFSA. My chair as professor of Immunotoxicology has been installed by the National Institute of Public Health and the Environment (RIVM), which is my previous employer. I spent 20 of my time at Maastricht University; also for these 20% my salary came from RIVM. I have now retired from RIVM, and get my pension that was built up during my stay at RIVM. I have arranged with RIVM to stay affiliated with the University. I have all rights as a full professor at the University, and have a budget for my research. I do get local travel costs, as well as costs for attending scientific conferences reimbursed, but do not get an additional salary. My tasks are: Teaching Within the curriculum Post doctoral training Toxicology I am responsible for the course on immunotoxicology, i.e. how to assess the consequences in terms of immunosuppression, allergy, and autoimmunity as a result of exposure to chemicals. Research My main research line at Maastricht University is the implementation of toxicogenomics in the field of Immunotoxicology. Smaller areas are: immunotoxicity of statins, immunotoxicity of nanomaterials, assessment of developmental immunotoxicity. Maastricht University is not performing formal risk assessments other than for scientific reasons. Maastricht University is not responsible for risk management decisions I have retired from Maastricht University Dec 1, 2018, but am still involved as an advisor in one research project

V. Occasional consultancy

Period: **01/09/2017 - 01/06/2019**

Organisation: **Nederlandse Voedsel en Waren Autoriteit**

Subject matter: The BuRo (office for risk assessment) of the Netherlands Food and Consumer Safety Authority (NVWA) performs risk assessment for specific issues concerning food and consumer products. Risk assessments are made by the regular staff. I am asked ad hoc to read and comment on draft documents. My task is not to perform the risk assessment or inspect the literature, but to evaluate the readability, consistency, quality of the drafts. I serve as a coach for younger staff members. On average I do this about 2 hours per week.

Period: **01/01/2010 - 01/06/2016**

Organisation: **EU DG Research**

Subject matter: Scientific Advisory Boards EU funded projects Sensitive, Fibebiotics, Miracles. I have participated partly at annual plenary meetings of these projects. Issues discussed were of general scientific nature, i.e. methodological; I have not been involved in the development or assessment of any specific product.

VI. Research funding

No interests

VII. Intellectual property rights

No interests

VIII. Other memberships or affiliations

No interests

IX. Other relevant interest

No interests

User Agreement

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- I think I do not have a conflict of interest with respect to my activity(ies) at EFSA
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Remarks:

I hereby declare that I have read the [EFSA Decision on Competing Interest Management](#) implementing EFSA's Policy on Independence and that the above declaration is truthful and complete.

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Signature: SIGNED

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