



**DECLARATION OF COMPETING INTERESTS  
OF THE TACKSHS PROJECT RESEARCHERS**

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The current document indicates the interests for the last 5 years. For any collaborations with tobacco and electronic nicotine delivery system industries life-long period applies (not only last 5 years).

This document is valid during one calendar year and will be annually reviewed and updated.

*Please, add to the table as many rows as necessary and do not delete the ones that are left in blank.*

	<b>Institution or company</b>	<b>Date or period</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>Current employment</b>	Retired	Since 2001	
<b>Previous employment</b>	Retired	Private Air pollution measurements consultant	
<b>Other regular honoraria</b>	Nothing to declare		
<b>Other occasional honoraria/benefits<sup>1</sup></b>	Consulting fees from IRCCS Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori, Milan, Italy	Sporadically during last 5 years	Fees for IMPASHS Project and other Research Projects on e-cigs and IQOS.
<b>Personal travel grants or expenses for conferences, etc.<sup>2</sup></b>	Nothing to declare		
<b>Membership in boards, advisory committees or similar (including journals)</b>	none		

<sup>1</sup> This section may include fees for lectures or occasional advisory committees from which you benefit personally. Benefits in kind should also be registered.

<sup>2</sup> Directly or indirectly sponsored by the pharmaceutical, medical equipment and electronic nicotine delivery system industries or any other organisations that could potentially conflict with you work for the TackSHS Project.

<b>Funding for non-competitive research projects</b>	none		
<b>Intellectual property</b>	none		
<b>Financial interests<sup>3</sup></b>	None		
<b>Non-personal Interests<sup>4</sup></b>	None		
<b>Other interests<sup>5</sup></b>	None		

*Place and date*

*Milan, Nov.. 10<sup>th</sup>. 2017*

*Signature*




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<sup>3</sup> It includes stocks and shares in private companies. It does not include pension funds and investment funds where the individual has no influence over its financial management.

<sup>4</sup> Fees, grants, etc., paid to the group or department in which you are personally involved and which are used for research, education, equipment, salaries including benefit in kind and fees for your own work if you do not benefit personally.

<sup>5</sup> For example, commercial interest of spouse or partner; being trustee or member of outside organisations, including pressure groups, influential groups, civic associations, NGOs, etc.