

ANNEX I

[MODEL] Declaration of confidentiality, interests and conflicts of interest of the Governing Board members of the European Cybersecurity Industrial, Technology and Research Competence Centre (ECCC) and their alternates, permanent observers, the Executive Director and other ECCC staff that regularly attend Governing Board meetings

[To be signed by the members of the ECCC GB upon appointment, as well as by the Executive Director and other ECCC staff that regularly attend GB meetings, and then renewed annually]

Expertise Program Manager at Centre for Cybersecurity Belgium [Function or Title].

I hereby undertake to:

1. Act in the performance of my duties in the general interest of the European Cybersecurity Competence Centre.

2. Ensure the confidentiality of sensitive information whose disclosure could damage the interests or the reputation of the ECCC, the staff of the ECCC or of participants in the activities of the ECCC even after my duties have ended. This includes the confidential nature of all opinions expressed by members during discussions in meetings or provided in written form. I understand that the obligations of non-disclosure set forth above shall not extend to information which is or became publicly known or available through no fault of myself.

3. Declare promptly any conflict of interest that may arise from my participation in the Governing Board. At each meeting of the Governing Board or before any decision is taken by written procedure, I shall declare any interest which might be considered to influence or bias my judgment and therefore be prejudicial to the way an item on the agenda is handled. I will therefore not participate in any discussion on the item, and leave the meeting room or videoconference accordingly in case of conflict of interest.

4. To the best of my knowledge, the only direct or indirect interests I have in the Cybersecurity Sector are those listed below:

(a) **Past activities:**

Previous job at Kaspersky Lab as Production Manager and Corporate Communications Manager, in which I was amongst others responsible for raising cybersecurity awareness in general and for the company, educate audiences how to protect themselves and their organizations against cybersecurity threats, collaborate with (public) organizations and governmental bodies in regards to cybersecurity research and analyses.

(b) Current activities:

Current position as Expertise Program Manager at the Centre for Cyber security Belgium, the



national authority for cyber security in Belgium. In this role I am responsible for the definition and implementation of programs focused on the development of cybersecurity skills and capacities on a regional, national and international level, while coordinating between all stakeholders involved, including public services, the industry and academic sector.

This includes amongst others a strategic approach for the collaboration with the academic sector and a cyber greenhouse supporting cybersecurity start-ups and scale-ups. Additionally, I am responsible for the coordination concerning the national implementation of the National Coordination Centre in Belgium.

(c) Current Financial Interests

No Interest Declared.

(d) Any other relevant interests

No Interest Declared.

(e) Family Member Interest

No Interest Declared.

I confirm the information declared on this form is accurate to the best of my knowledge and I consent to my information being stored electronically by the European Cybersecurity Competence Centre.

Done at Brussels, 10 January 2022.

Made in Brussels, in two original copies, on 10 January 2022.

Signed 10 January 2022, Caroline Breure,