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Office of Postsecondary Education

**National Committee on Foreign Medical Education and Accreditation
(NCFMEA)**

FALL 2011 MEETING
October 21, 2011

**U.S. Department of Education Auditorium
Potomac Center Plaza Building
550 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20202**

8:30 A.M. **WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS**

Dr. Martin Crane, NCFMEA Chair
Melissa Lewis, NCFMEA Executive Director

8:40 A.M. **OVERVIEW OF PROCEDURES FOR REVIEW OF COUNTRIES**

Melissa Lewis

Review of Countries

8:45 A.M. **St. Maarten**
Type of Review: Redetermination

Committee Readers:

Dr. Lynn Eckhert
Dr. David Munoz

Department Staff:

Dr. Rachael Shultz

Country Representatives:

Dr. Brian Lawlor, Convenor, Accreditation Commission on Colleges of Medicine,
AUC School of Medicine, St. Maarten
Dr. Winifred Gorman, Assistant Convenor, Accreditation Commission on
Colleges of Medicine, AUC School of Medicine, St. Maarten
Mrs. Joyce Timms, Administrative Secretary, Accreditation Commission on
Colleges of Medicine
Quincy A. Harrigan, Head, Department of Education, Ministry of Education,
Culture, Youth, and Sports

9:30 A.M. **Philippines**
Type of Review: Redetermination

Committee Readers:

Dr. Radheshyam Agrawal
Dr. James Hallock

Department Staff:

Mr. Chuck Mula

Country Representative:

Concepcion V. Pijano, Executive Director
Philippine Accrediting Association of Schools, Colleges and Universities
(PAASCU)
Dr. Herminia Torres, Vice President, PAASCU
Dr. Alfaretta Reyes, Member, PAASCU

10:00 A.M. **BREAK**

10:15 A.M. **Dominican Republic**
Type of Review: Redetermination

Committee Readers:

Dr. Deborah Powell
Dr. Andrea Reid

Department Staff:

Dr. Jennifer Hong-Silwany

Country Representatives:

Rosa Adelina Céspedes Garrido, Director, Department of Medical
Education, Ministry of Higher Education, Science and Technology (MESCyT)
Emilio Huyke, Medical Education Consultant, MESCyT
Gustavo Bastista, Member National Council of Higher Education, Science
and Technology (CONESCyT)
Mauro Canario, Dean of the Faculty of Health Science, Autonomous University
of Santo Domingo (USAD)
José Alt. Hazim Torres, Vice-Rector of Student Services, Vice-Rector of
Extension and Community Services, Central University of the East (UCE)

11:00 A.M. **Poland**
Type of Review: Reappearance for Redetermination

Committee Readers:

Dr. James Hallock

Department Staff:

Ms. Joyce Jones, J.D.

Country Representatives:

Mr. Marek Rocki, Polish Accreditation Committee

Mr. Mieczyslaw Socha, Polish Accreditation Committee

Mr. Zbigniew Marciniak, Ministry of Science and Higher Education

Mr. Leszek Pączek, Accreditation Committee for the Polish University Medical Schools

11:45 A.M. **LUNCH BREAK**

There are several restaurants within walking distance, such as Potbelly Sandwiches, located at 1240 Maryland Ave., SW or the upscale Mandarin Oriental hotel restaurant, located across the street.

12:45 P.M. **Commonwealth of Dominica**
Type of Review: Reappearance for Redetermination

Committee Readers:

Dr. Radheshyam Agrawal

Mr. Krishnan Subrahmanian

Department Staff:

Ms. Elizabeth Daggett

Country Representatives:

Dr. Dorian Shillingford, Chair, Dominica Medical Board

Martin Michaelson, Esq., Partner, Hogan Lovells US LLP

1:30 P.M.

Mexico

Type of Review: Redetermination

Committee Readers:

Dr. Lynn Eckhert

Dr. David Munoz

Department Staff:

Mr. Chuck Mula

Country representatives:

Dr. Beatriz V. Velasquez-Castillo, Consejo Mexicano Para La Accreditation de La Educacion Medica (COMAEM)

Mr. Peter B. Mandeville, Professor Department of Statistics, School of Medicine Universidad Autonoma de San Luis Potosi

2:00 P.M.

Hungary

Type of Review: Reappearance for Redetermination

Committee Readers:

Dr. James Hallock

Dr. David Munoz

Department Staff:

Dr. Rachael Schultz

Country representatives:

Dr. György Panyi, Professor and Department Head, Department of Biophysics and Cell Biology, University Debrecen, Medical and Health Science Center, Faculty of Medicine

Dr. Júlia Szekeres, Professor and Head of Institute, Institute of Medical Microbiology and Immunology, University of Pécs, Faculty of Medicine,

2:45 P.M.

BREAK

3:00 P.M.

Czech Republic

Type of Review: Redetermination

Committee Readers:

Dr. Deborah Powell

Department Staff:

Mr. Steve Porcelli

Country representatives:

Dr. Otomar Kittnar, Professor, Charles University, Prague

Dr. Barbara Karpetova, Embassy of the Czech Republic, Washington, DC

Dr. Monika Griffis, Lawyer

3:45 P.M. **The Netherlands**
Type of Review: Report

Committee Readers:

Dr. Andrea Reid
Mr. Krishnan Subrahmanian

Department Staff:

Ms. Joyce F. Jones, J.D.

Country Representatives:

Dr. Mark Frederiks, NVOA (Accreditation Organization of the Netherland and Flanders)

4:15 P.M. **WRAP-UP and ADJOURNMENT**

Dr. Martin Crane
Melissa Lewis