DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE
(by the Members and Observers of the EMCDDA Scientific Committee (SC) and the extended Scientific Committee (eSC))

First name: Laura

Last name: Amato

Position in the EMCDDA SC or eSC
☒ Member of the Scientific Committee
☐ Observer of the Scientific Committee
☐ Expert participating in the (extended) Scientific Committee

On his/her honour, at the best of his/her knowledge and for the purpose of the performance of the activities in and for the EMCDDA Scientific Committee and the extended Scientific Committee hereby declares that:

- He/She shall act in a personal capacity, in the public interest and independently of the EU Member States Institutions and of any external influence.
- He/She shall comply with the rules of procedure of the EMCDDA Scientific Committee.
- He/She is aware that will have the primary responsibility for spontaneously declaring any conflicts of interest at all times, with special attention to any interest which might be considered prejudicial to his/her independence in relation to the items on the agenda of a meeting of the EMCDDA constituent body that he/she has to attend.
- He/She has read and is aware of the content of the Privacy statement on the protection of personal data resulting from this Declaration, as it is provided here below.
- He/She has read and is aware of the EMCDDA Policy for the prevention and management of conflicts of interest as adopted by the EMCDDA Management Board at its meeting of 5 December 2014 (EMCDDA/29/14 as published on the EMCDDA website).

Done at Rome on 17/02/2020

Signature: Signed and filed