MEMORANDUM
of understanding between Eurasian Economic Commission and Global Medical Device Nomenclature Agency

The Eurasian Economic Commission and the Global Medical Device Nomenclature Agency, hereinafter referred to as Parties,

wishing to establish and develop cooperation based on mutual support, and also create mechanism of such cooperation,

noting the importance of working together to apply international instruments and best practices to ensure the safety, quality and effectiveness of medical devices,

guided by the principles of equality, mutual understanding and openness,

have reached the following understanding:

1. The purpose of this Memorandum is to promote cooperation between the Parties.

2. Within their respective competences the Parties shall extend cooperation in the following areas:

cooperation in order to create conditions for harmonization of the nomenclature of medical devices of the Eurasian Economic Union with the Global Medical Device Nomenclature;

cooperation in the provision of scientific, methodological and practical assistance on the classification of medical devices;

development of proposals on measures, aimed at improving of nomenclature of medical devices of the Eurasian Economic Union and the Global Medical Device Nomenclature.

3. The cooperation within the framework of this Memorandum is carried out through:

timely updating of the nomenclature of medical devices of the Eurasian Economic Union taking into account the changes made to the Global Medical Device Nomenclature;

exchange of information and experience of mutual interest;

participation of representatives of one Party in the events, held by the other Party;

holding joint meetings, consultations, scientific and practical workshops and conferences on issues of mutual interest;

implementing other forms of cooperation.

4. To achieve the goals of this Memorandum, the cooperation of the Parties will be carried out, inter alia, through the interaction of the working group on coordination of work on the creation and maintenance of the nomenclature of medical devices of the Eurasian Economic Union, established by the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission, and the Global Medical Device Nomenclature Agency.

5. This Memorandum is not an international treaty, does not create any rights and obligations, governed by the international law, and does not impose financial liabilities,

6. Issues related to the implementation of this Memorandum will be resolved through consultations and negotiations between the Parties.

7. The present Memorandum shall apply from the date of its signing. Either Party may terminate the application of the present Memorandum by sending a relevant written notice to the other Party. The application of the present Memorandum is terminated from the date of receipt of such notice by the other Party.

8. The present Memorandum can be amended by mutual consent of the Parties, to be formalized by an appropriate protocol.

Signed in the city of Moscow on «18» March 2019 in two copies, each in the Russian and English languages for each Party. In case of dispute between the Parties, the English version shall prevail.

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