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By Email

Invitation for joining the 26th GHWP Annual Meeting in Riyadh, The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, 13th – 16th Feb 2023

Dear Primary & Secondary Regulatory Representatives of GHWP,

It is my great privilege to inform you that 26th GHWP Annual Meeting will be held in Riyadh, the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia from 13th to 16th February 2023.

The 4-day Event is composed of Capacity Building Program, GHWP Technical Committee (TC) Workshop, GHWP-IMDRF Session, 26th GHWP TC Meeting and the 26th GHWP Annual Meeting. The Event will cover updates from GHWP and IMDRF, GHWP TC Working Groups, highlights of Capacity Building Program, country/region regulatory updates, hottest topics of medical devices regulatory affairs, and networking activities, etc. This is an annual spectacular with the latest medical device regulatory updates from GHWP member countries and regions, GHWP TC working groups, experts of capacity building program, international medical device regulatory organizations such as IMDRF, WHO, ASEAN, APEC, APACMED, DITTA, etc. The event will continue to provide the latest information exchange on medical device regulatory affairs for worldwide regulators and industry stakeholders, and to serve as an important occasion for regulatory affairs professional networking.

I am much pleased to send this invitation letter to you for joining of the 26th GHWP Annual Meeting as representatives of government authorities, to enable our further updating and discussion on the harmonization in various aspects of medical device regulations from premarket approval to post market surveillance. The 26th GHWP Annual Meeting will be the first physical Annual Meeting of GHWP since the outbreak of covid-19 pandemic, where the election of our new office bearers of GHWP will be taken place.

As a token of appreciation, the registration fees of the first two regulators from each member country/ region will be waived. We understand that all other expenses related to your participation will be borne by your Organization. Please refer to the following link for registration and event details https://www.sfda.gov.sa/en/ghwp-annual-meeting. Invitation letters from Saudi FDA will be available for your visa applications. If you have any query, please feel free to contact our secretariat at email: secretariat@ghwp.info.

Looking forward to meeting you in the 26^{th} GHWP Annual Meeting soon. Thank you.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. Ali M. AL-DALAAN

GHWP Chair