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**TO: Prof. A. Antoniadis**  
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This is to nominate the A' Department of Microbiology, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, School of Medicine, as National Reference Laboratory for the ENVD network with regard to the following infectious agents: SARS Orthopox viruses, viral haemorrhagic fever viruses and arboviruses. In addition the Director A' Department of Microbiology, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, School of Medicine, Prof. A. Antoniadis and Prof. A. Papa are nominated as national participants from the part of the Reference Laboratory.

This participation will include proper support to the Community Network for the epidemiological surveillance and control of communicable diseases in compliance with the requirements as defined in Decision no. 2119/98/EC. The information flow will be guaranteed via the structures and/or public health authorities designated according to Article 9 of that Decision.

