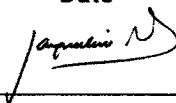



Memorandum

From	Jacqueline Álvarez, Head, Knowledge and Risk Unit, Chemicals and Health Branch	Date	23.06.2020
			
Through	Erika Mattsson, Fund Management Officer Administrative Services, Economy Division Monika MacDevette, Chief Chemicals and Health Branch, Economy Division	Reference	AMR Technical Analyst position
			
To	William Axelsson, Deputy Director ERC UNOPS Geneva		
Subject	Antimicrobial Resistance Technical Analyst position		

The Knowledge and Risk Unit of the Chemicals and Health Branch requested UNOPS services for the recruitment of the AMR Technical Analyst. After having formalised all the required steps of the process, UNOPS posted the vacancy announcement VA/2019/B5119/17388 - Antimicrobial Resistance Technical Analyst. Out of the 45 applications received, 35 candidates were eligible. Candidates that were longlisted (five) undertook an anonymous written test, which was assessed. The three candidates that passed the threshold of 60% were invited for the interview. Since the Panel determined that none of the interviewed candidates matched the profile, the position was considered unfilled.

I am currently seeking your support to cancel the above-mentioned process related to the VA/2019/B5119/17388 - Antimicrobial Resistance Technical Analyst, and request you to kindly launch a new process to fill the position. Annex I to the present Memo contains the new Terms of Reference and Annex II the budget. For the latter, we have reassessed the needs in terms of duration and salary, and have decided to shorten the consultancy to 11.5 months instead of the original 13 months, and to slightly increase the salary within the same scale level.

Many thanks.