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Nomination Letter of Dr. Toshitaka Nakahara  
to be an Executive Board member of WFPHA in 2009-2012

It is my pleasure to write a letter of the nomination for Dr. Toshitaka Nakahara as a candidate for the Executive Board of WFPHA in 2009-2012.

He was my subordinate in the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare. After he resigned from the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare, he has been the professor of Kyoto University in the field of public health, and has been very active in the domestic and international activities around the public health study.

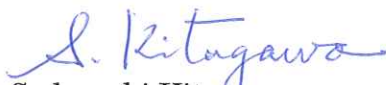
As you know, he has been a representative of Japan Public Health Association (JPHA) to WFPHA from 1999 up to now. During this period, he has attended every Annual Meeting of WFPHA which was held in Geneva and in other places, and so he is well known by other members of WFPHA.

In the domestic activity, he has been a member of Planning Committee of JPHA, and so he has been involved in the vast activity of JPHA.

Moreover, JPHA has held the meetings for the exchange of the information of the activity of such countries as China, Korea, Indonesia, Philippines and Thailand in 1995, 2000 and 2005, and he was a leading member in the practice of these meetings.

Based on these facts, I would like to nominate Dr. Toshitaka Nakahara as a candidate for the new Executive Board of WFPHA.

Sincerely,



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Executive Director,

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## Curriculum Vitae

Name: Toshitaka NAKAHARA

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Present Profession:

Professor, Department of Public Health and International Health, Kyoto  
University Graduate School of Medicine

Member, Planning Committee of Japan Public Health Association

Education:

1968-1974 School of Medicine, Kyoto University, Kyoto, Japan

1974-1975 National Institute of Public Health, Tokyo, Japan

1978-1979 School of Hygiene and Public Health, Johns Hopkins University,  
Baltimore, Maryland, USA

Academic Qualification:

1974 M.D. (Kyoto University, Japan)

1975 Diploma in Public Health (National Institute of Public Health, Japan)

1979 M.P.H. (Johns Hopkins University, USA)

1982 Ph.D. (Nihon University, Japan)

Professional Experience:

1974 Medical Officer of Ministry of Health, Labor and Welfare, Japan

(worked in Divisions of Maternal and Child Health, Labor Hygiene, Health of the  
Aged, Environmental Health and Health Insurance, and in Yamanashi and  
Kagoshima Prefectural Governments)

1992 Director, Department of Health Policy and Management, National Institute of  
Public Health, Japan

1997 Professor, Department of Public Health and International Health, Kyoto  
University Graduate School of Medicine (up to now)

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