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Introductory course for standard practice (GxP), hosted by global training hub for bio manufacturing supported by World Health Organization

1. Please find attached the letter received from Dr. Seunghyun Hwang, Director General of the Global Vaccine Hub Office, Ministry of Health and Welfare of the Republic of Korea, inviting companies that involved in the development and manufacturing of bio products in Sri Lanka to trainees to the 2nd bio manufacturing training programme, the "Introductory Course for Standard Practice (GxP)" scheduled to be held from 30 October to 17 November 2023 in Seoul, Republic of Korea.
2. A background note on the training programme, including the application procedure is also attached. The application deadline is 30th June 2023.
3. It would be appreciated, if you could forward the attached letter and other related information to the relevant authorities for their necessary action.

Poshitha Perera
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To: Foreign Embassies in the Republic of Korea

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Subject: **Call for Application for the 2nd 2023 training program, "Introductory Course for Standard Practice (GxP)", hosted by Global Training Hub for Biomanufacturing supported by World Health Organization**

To Whom It May Concern,

The Global Training Hub for Biomanufacturing (GTH-B) supported by World Health Organization (WHO) will host its 2nd 2023 Biomanufacturing training program, the "Introductory Course for Standard Practice (GxP)" from October 30 to November 17, in Seoul, the Republic of Korea.

In 2022, GTH-B provided the GxP training organized by the International Vaccine Institute (IVI) in Seoul, South Korea, to 151 trainees from 31 Low- and Middle-income Countries (LMICs). This program aims to equip the participants representing the biomanufacturing workforce from LMICs with essential skills required to operate according to current good practices.

For the second year of GTH-B, the Republic of Korea in agreement with WHO is organizing a new training operated by IVI focusing on introduction to Standard Practice in October 2023 for 120 participants from LMICs.

In this context, the Ministry of Health and Welfare (MOHW) Korea is writing to your esteemed office to share this information with the relevant companies involved or planning to get involved in the development and manufacturing of bioproducts in your country. As written in the call for application on the following pages, the applicants should submit applications to the IVI website (<https://ivionlinecampus.ivi.int/>) with the necessary materials by June 30. A selection committee will select trainees according to the eligibility criteria. Training costs will be covered by MOHW Korea, except for travel and associated costs.

Please refer to the call for application for further details and we are encouraging you to use this document as broadly as necessary in the process of communication.

Yours faithfully,

Hwang S.H.

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