Pan American Health Organization
Regional Office of the World Health Organization

Global Handwashing Day

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE SUPERVISOR STATEMENT

In order for the Record to be valid, the participating schools will need to enclose a statement from each person who collaborates as a supervisor. The supervisor will be in charge of supervising a group of students who washed their hands correctly with water and soap during at least 20 seconds and dried them up with paper towels.

According to the Guinness World Records guidelines, there should be a supervisor per every 50 participants and **the supervisor has to be different from the witness.** The statement must be hand written or typed by the supervisor. Any **pre-prepared template or use of the example bellow will be rejected** by the Guinness Record.

The supervisor statement should include:

- ☐ Name and last name of the supervisor
- ☐ Confirm that s/he was responsible for supervising a group of no more than 50 participants
- ☐ Date of the event
- ☐ Place of the event
- ☐ Affirm that all of the participants washed their hands for at least 20 seconds with soap and water and dried their hands using paper towels
- ☐ Supervisor's signature and date of the signature

Below is an example of a supervisor statement. Please, note that the **statement shown below should be hand-written or typed by the supervisor. PLEASE DO NOT USE THIS EXAMPLE AS YOUR SUPERVISOR STATEMENT.**

EXAMPLE- Supervisor Statement

I, (WRITE YOUR NAME AND LAST NAME), helped supervise a group of no more than 50 students who washed their hands on Friday October 14, 2011 at (WRITE THE NAME OF THE VENUE WHERE THE EVENT TOOK PLACE)

I also affirm that all of the participants washed their hands for at least 20 seconds with soap and water and dried their hands using paper towels.

SAMPLE

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Supervisor's signature Date

Supervisor Statement
(Must be written by the Supervisor)

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Supervisor's signature Date