



CODE OF CONDUCT FOR MEMBERS OF THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION

ANNEX 1 – DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

Full name: Wopke Bastiaan Hoekstra (*) Mandatory

Language: EN

I. PREVIOUS ACTIVITIES (Article 3(4)(b) and (c) of the Code)

I.1. Posts held over the last 10 years, in foundations or similar bodies

(Please indicate the nature of the post, the name of the body and its objective/activity.)

NOT APPLICABLE ☐

Nature of the post (during the above-mentioned period)	Name of the body	Body's objective/activity
2016 - Oct 2017 - Chair	Raad van Toezicht, Scheepvaartmuseum Museum	Chair of the non-executive board. Supervise daily management/activities of the National Maritime museum, in Amsterdam, the Netherlands
Jan 2017 - Oct 2017 - Ambassador	Prinses Maxima Centrum	Promote the work (Pediatric Oncology) of the Princess Maxima Centre, in Utrecht, the Netherlands
2015 - Oct 2017 - Member of the Board	Bestuur Stichting Vrienden van het Hubrecht Instituut	Fundraising for Development Biology and Stem Cell Research, in Utrecht, the Netherlands

I.2. Posts held over the last 10 years in educational institutions

(Please indicate the nature of the post and the name of the institution.)

NOT APPLICABLE ☒

I.3. Posts held over the last 10 years in the governing, supervisory and advisory organs of companies and other bodies devoted to commercial or economic activities

(Please indicate the nature of the post and the name and the business of the company or other body.)

NOT APPLICABLE ☒

I.4. Other professional activities held over the last 10 years, including services, liberal profession, consulting activities

(Please indicate the nature of the activity.)

NOT APPLICABLE ☐

Nature of the other professional activities (during the above-mentioned period)
9 October 2023 - To date - European Commissioner for Climate Action, with additional temporary portfolio responsibility for transport since July 2024



10 January 2022 - 1 September 2023 - Appointed Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands and Vice-Prime Minister in the fourth Rutte government
18 March 2021 - 10 January 2022 - Leader of the Christian Democratic Alliance (CDA) in the House of Representatives
26 October 2017 - 10 January 2022 - Minister of Finance in the third Rutte government
2011 - 2017 - Member of the Senate for the Christian Democratic Alliance (CDA) and member of the Senate Finance Committee, Economic Affairs Committee, Security and Justice Committee, Social Affairs and Employment Committee, and Foreign Affairs, Defence and Development Cooperation Committee
2016 - Chair of the 2017 CDA electoral programme committee
2006 - 2017 - McKinsey & Company, partner since 2013

II. CURRENT OUTSIDE ACTIVITIES in line with Article 8 of the Code (Article 3(4)(b) and (c) of the Code)

(Unpaid courses, publications and speeches – Article 8(2)(a) to (c) of the Code – do not have to be declared.)

II.1. Honorary posts currently held in foundations, similar bodies or educational or research establishments (Article 8(2)(d) of the Code)

(Please indicate the nature of the post, the name of the body and its objective/activity.)

NOT APPLICABLE ☒

II.2. Additional relevant information on other functions (e.g. other functions of an honorary nature and/or attributed for life)

NOT APPLICABLE ☒

III. FINANCIAL INTERESTS (Article 3(4)(a) and (c) of the Code)

Please indicate all financial interests, including assets as well as liabilities, which could be considered to be capable of giving rise to a conflict of interest. Bank accounts, specific goods or loans for the purchase of real estate for private purposes do normally not have to be declared.

Investments of a value of more than EUR 10,000 have to be declared in all cases.

Please indicate in both cases

- the kind of interest (e.g. shares, bond, loans);
- the entity concerned (e.g. company, bank, fund);
- if the investment is managed on an independent basis by a third party, the name of the entity does not have to be declared unless the investment is linked to specific industries like sector or thematic funds;
- the size of the interest (e.g. number of shares and their current value, percentage of participation).

Assets

- (1) which could be considered to be capable of giving rise to a conflict of interest
- (2) in any case, where the value of an investment exceeds EUR 10,000

Shares

- (1) which could be considered to be capable of giving rise to a conflict of interest
- (2) in any case, where the value of an investment exceeds EUR 10,000



NOT APPLICABLE ☒

Bonds

- (1) which could be considered to be capable of giving rise to a conflict of interest
(2) in any case, where the value of an investment exceeds EUR 10,000

NOT APPLICABLE ☒

Other assets

- (1) which could be considered to be capable of giving rise to a conflict of interest
(2) in any case, where the value of an investment exceeds EUR 10,000

NOT APPLICABLE ☐

Kind of asset/investment	Size of interest	Currency
ING- Beleggingsrekening (investment account). In 2017, when becoming Finance Minister, I was no longer allowed to hold any direct shares or make any investment decisions. The Dutch State Attorney advised me to open an investment account like the one we now have, with no influence on investment/purchasing decisions whatsoever; discretionary investment management only. Chosen investment strategy: sustainable. The account is held by both my spouse and myself.	140,000	EUR

Liabilities

Which could be considered to be capable of giving rise to a conflict of interest

Loans

Which could be considered to be capable of giving rise to a conflict of interest

NOT APPLICABLE ☒

Other liabilities

which could be considered to be capable of giving rise to a conflict of interest

NOT APPLICABLE ☒



**IV. FINANCIAL INTERESTS OF SPOUSES, PARTNERS(*) AND MINOR CHILDREN
WHERE THOSE MIGHT BE CONSIDERED TO BE CAPABLE OF GIVING RISE TO A
CONFLICT OF INTEREST (Article 3(4)(a) of the Code)**

(*) Stable non matrimonial partner as defined in Article 1(2)(c) of Annex VII of the Staff Regulations.
(Please provide in that case, in principle, the same information as under III.)

Financial interests of spouses/partners

where those might be considered to be capable of giving rise to a conflict of interest

Assets

Shares

NOT APPLICABLE ☒

Bonds

NOT APPLICABLE ☒

Other assets

NOT APPLICABLE ☒

Liabilities

Loans

NOT APPLICABLE ☒

Other liabilities

NOT APPLICABLE ☒

Financial interests of minor children

where those might be considered to be capable of giving rise to a conflict of interest

Assets

Shares

NOT APPLICABLE ☒



Bonds

NOT APPLICABLE ☒

Other assets

NOT APPLICABLE ☒

<u>Liabilities</u>

Loans

NOT APPLICABLE ☒

Other liabilities

NOT APPLICABLE ☒

Kind of liability	Entity concerned	Size of interest	Currency

V. MEMBERSHIP OF ASSOCIATIONS, POLITICAL PARTIES, TRADE UNIONS, NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANISATIONS OR OTHER BODIES IF THEIR ACTIVITIES, IN PUBLIC OR PRIVATE, ARE INTENDED TO INFLUENCE OR AFFECT THE EXERCISE OF PUBLIC FUNCTIONS (Article 3(4)(d) of the Code)

MEMBERSHIP OF ASSOCIATIONS, POLITICAL PARTIES, TRADE UNIONS, NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANISATIONS OR OTHER BODIES

(Please specify the name of the organisation and its area of activity; membership of clubs in the cultural, artistic, social, sporting or charitable fields does not have to be declared.) NOT APPLICABLE ☐

Nature of membership	Name of the organisation	Area of activity of the organisation
Member	CDA/EPP	Political Party
Member	Friese Elfstedentocht Vereniging	Organisation of the Elfstedentocht, a 200 km skating tour

VI. REAL ESTATE (Article 3(4)(e) of the Code)

REAL ESTATE (Article 3(4)(e) of the Code)

(Homes reserved for the exclusive use of the owner and his/her family do not need to be declared.)

NOT APPLICABLE ☐



Description	Ownership: direct or through a real estate company
1/9 ownership through inheritance of a plot long-leased farmland in Drenthe, the Netherlands. Total plot-size 20 ha. Worth as per 2023 tax return: 97.240 EUR.	Prior to becoming Finance Minister in 2017, the Dutch State Attorney advised me on how to renounce any decision-making ability for the length of my term in office. I have signed a contract in 2017, in which the renouncement is formalized and power of attorney is granted to my uncle. I have extended the renouncement in 2023, for as long as I am Commissioner.

VII. SPOUSE'S/PARTNER'S(*) PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY (Article 3(4)(f) of the Code)

(*) Stable non matrimonial partner as defined in Article 1(2)(c) of Annex VII of the Staff Regulations.

SPOUSE'S/PARTNER'S PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

(Please set out the nature of the activity, the title of the position held and the name of the employer.)

NOT APPLICABLE ☐

Nature of the activity	Title of the position	Name of the employer
Medical Doctor	General Practitioner	Healthcare Center Diemen-Noord (self-employed)
Member	Member Nederlands Huisartsengenootschap NHG (Organisation for General Practitioners)	Nederlands Huisartsengenootschap (NHG)
Ambassador - Promote the work (Pediatric Oncology) of the Princess Maxima Centre, in Utrecht, the Netherlands.	Ambassador Prinses Maxima Centrum (Pediatric Oncology)	Prinses Maxima Centrum, Utrecht, Nederland.

SIGNATURE

I hereby declare that the information given above is correct.

Date:

17/09/2024 (*) Mandatory

Signature :

This declaration will be made public in line with Article 3(5) of the Code.