

21<sup>st</sup> September 2023

Attention: WHO CA+ (Pandemic Treaty) being pushed in 194 countries

Dr. Abela, Prime Minister & Member of European Council,

On Independence Day, we write to you with grave concern about the potential conflict you face when making decisions in your dual roles as Prime Minister of Malta and a member of European Council.

The European Council has been actively advocating for a power grab by the World Health Organisation (WHO) including proudly publishing its Conclusions on 17<sup>th</sup> November 2020 whereby it is stated that the Council and of the European Union and the Representatives of the Governments of the Member States in para 11. & 12.

*11. ARE COMMITTED to ensuring that the EU and its Member States, based on their commitment to multilateralism, continue to take a leadership role in global health, and ARE DETERMINED to ensuring a coordinating, proactive and leading role in an inclusive process aimed at strengthening global health security and the WHO, in particular the latter's capacity for preparedness and response in health emergencies and to examine future outcomes from the IPPR, the IHR Review Committee and the IOAC aiming at their translation into actions as well as to supporting WHO Member States with strengthening national health systems and public health policies. In this context, a strong and constant dialogue with the WHO Member States is important.*

*12. CONCLUDE, while acknowledging varying national contexts, that there is a need to address the disparity between WHO Member States' expectations vis-à-vis the organisation and its capacities and WILL CONTINUE TO ENGAGE with other WHO Member States in the organisation's governing bodies to promote appropriate actions on the best way forward.*

The Conclusions go on to recognise the challenges that the WHO faces in para 13. & 14. – the first item mentioned is “transparency” as well as “those relating to its response to the current pandemic”

*13. RECOGNIZE that addressing the challenges that the WHO currently faces, inter alia in terms of transparency, synergies, predictable and sustainable financing, and accountability, as well as those relating to its response to the current pandemic and the disparity between WHO Members States' expectations and the organisation's capacities, should be taken up with priority in its governing bodies.*

*14. ENCOURAGE all relevant actors, including other global health actors and non-state actors to jointly strengthen the WHO's capacity on prevention, preparedness and response, while at the same time STRESSING the importance of further strengthening partnerships as well as the organization's independence, normative work, technical capacity, accountability, efficiency, effectiveness and transparency.*

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We put it to you that the European Council, knowing the WHO was not fit for purpose, has continued to promote and support a failing incompetent institution and has actively sought to further empower the WHO, an unelected and unaccountable institution with “privileges and immunities as may be necessary for the fulfilment of its objective and for the exercise of its function in every Member State” included in its Constitution.

In your capacity as member of the European Council you will be responsible for the recommendation of the adoption of proposed amendments to the International Health Regulations 2005 (IHR) and the approval of the World Health Organisation (WHO) proposed CA+ (aka Pandemic Treaty). Each of these decisions, should they be adopted/approved will result in a highly significant change to global public health governance, permanently undermining, even removing national sovereignty in a health emergency (planned, perceived, simulated or otherwise) and handing sovereignty over to the WHO (for the benefit of their sponsors and funders).

In your capacity as Prime Minister you are responsible for protecting the Constitution of Malta, and the health & freedoms of her people.

We cannot allow an Institution, which is unelected by the people, to declare an emergency based on a mere suspicion of potential risk and to threaten our health and freedoms. The WHO is not fit for purpose and is not a democratically elected organisation and those who make decisions are not accountable and therefore cannot be held responsible. In a democracy, policy makers should be democratically elected and be held accountable accordingly.

Unlike the WHO, you cannot deny accountability for wilful negligence and misconduct in knowingly breaching the Constitution of Malta and failing to serve the people of Malta. We therefore ask you to stand by what is Right for the Good of our Nation.

Silence is complicity.

We require a response by 28<sup>th</sup> September 2023 after which we will publish this letter and inform your voters that you have full knowledge and awareness of the threat to Malta and her people.

Signed by Concerned Maltese and Expatriate Residents

