#### **INTERNATIONAL PLANNED PARENTHOOD FEDERATION**

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## Agenda Item: Tributes

## AFRICA REGIONAL OFFICE (ARO)

The family of IPPFAR would like to pay tribute to the following volunteers and staff who passed away since the last Board of Trustees meeting. However, some volunteers and staff who passed away earlier are included.

Member Association of Ethiopia

• Getachew Bekele, staff passed away on 26 September 2020

#### Member Association of Central African Republic

- Sinea Pélagie, Vice Chair of the YAM Executive Committee, Ouham Branch, passed away on 7 September 2020
- NDOTIGA Aimé Galbert, Volunteer Legal Advisor, passed away 17 March 2020

#### **Member Association of Eswatini**

- Dr. Ndakit Kambale, Volunteer, passed away on 29 August 2020 due to COVID
- Ms. Chantelle Ann Celest Horton Rous, Volunteer, passed away on 6<sup>th</sup> September 2020 due to COVID
- Mr. Mawethu Chiloane, Regional Youth Coordinator, Manzini passed away on 16 April 2020

#### Member Association of Nigeria

- Chief Wilfred Nkwagu Mbam, National President of the Association passed away 18 June 2020
- Chief Okon Ani, Former National Treasurer, Passed away on 13 May 2020
- Mrs. Regina Lee, National Executive Committee Member of the Association passed away on 4 March 2020

#### **Member Association of Chad**

- Abbas Ali, Founding Member of the Association and Chairperson of the Resources Mobilization Committee, passed away on 6 May 2020
- Dé Laurent, Volunteer, passed away in May 2020 due to COVID

#### Member Association of Cote d'Ivoire

- Yorocoda Bouka Therese, former President, passed away on 24 June 2020
- Coulibaly Florence, Counsellor, passed away on 6 March 2020

#### Member Association of Sierra Leone

- Mr. I. May-Parker, served as Treasurer & president of the MA as well as member of the Governing Council of IPPF, passed away on 16 October 2020
- Mr. Francis Gbenda Gassimu, former Chairperson Kenema Branch and member of the National Executive Committee passed away on 31 July 2020
- Ambrose Conteh, staff, passed away on 21 June 2020
- Osman Bangura, staff, passed away on 10 September 2020

# **SOUTH ASIA REGION (SARO)**

The family of IPPFSARO would like to pay tribute to volunteers and staff who have passed away.

#### Tribute to the late Khalil Rahman, Afghan Family Guidance Association (AFGA)

AFGA lost one of our respected, loyal, honest and hardworking colleagues due to COVID-19 on 15<sup>th</sup> of July. Khalil Rahman was working as Public Relations Officer for around 18 years. He had been working since re-establishment of AFGA. He had many years of experience with both public and private sector due to which he had established very strong and good connections within the government institutes and was a bridge between AFGA and Government. He was the only bread winner of his family, his death is a big loss for his family and AFGA.

### Tribute to the late Ms Fozia, Family Planning Association of Pakistan (FPAP)

Ms Fozia, Clinic helper at Turbat, Balochistan Region of FPA of Pakistan. Brave and strong woman who worked with us for long time.

## EAST AND SOUTH EAST ASIA & OCEANIA REGION (ESEAOR)

#### **INDONESIAN PLANNED PARENTHOOD ASSOCIATION (IPPA)**

- **Dr Sarsanto Wibisono Sarwono**, the past Chairperson of Indonesian Planned Parenthood Association (IPPA). He had represented IPPA at ESEAOR Regional Councils and on several occasions represented the Indonesian Government in meetings at the United Nations in New York, specifically the Commission on Population and Development. He passed away on 30 September 2020.
- **Mr Jamaludin Falah**, IT Officer of IPPA Head Office and was the key staff in developing Clinical Management Information System (CMIS) for all IPPA Branches. Mr Falah passed away on 5 August 2019.

#### FEDERATION OF REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH ASSOCIATIONS, MALAYSIA (FRHAM)

- Dr M. N. Guha Majumder is the Founder Chairman of Sarawak Family Planning Association (SFPA) Sibu Branch in 1964. He chaired the SFPA Council from 1970-1974; SFPA Honorary Advisor from 1975-2017 and Vice-President of the Federation of Reproductive Health Associations of Malaysia from 1979-1980. He was an Observer with the Regional Council, IPPF South East & Oceania and appointed by IPPF Central Office as a member of the Ad-hoc Committee on Work Programme & Budget in 1984-1985. Dr Majumder passed away on 3 June 2020.
- Ms Kim Lau Kung Ming served in the Sarawak Family Planning Association Miri Branch from 1988 - 2007. She headed the management of the urban-based office, which offered mobile clinics to serve the rural marginalized communities and plantations with her nursing specialization. She retired in 2007. Ms Kim Lau passed away on 13 July 2020.

- Mrs B.P. Chopra passed away on 22 August 2020 at the age of 85 years. She was one of the Founder and Life Member since the inception of the Perlis State Family Planning Association in 1962. An ExCo Member from 1962 1992.
- Mrs Nor Asfaliza Bte Harun, a long serving staff for 22 years of the Negri Sembilan State Family Planning Association (NSFPA). She passed away on 12 May 2020.

### **TUVALU FAMILY HEATLH ASSOCIATION (TuFHA)**

Dr Miliama Simeona was Executive Director for TuFHA from April 2011 - November 2016. During her time as Executive Director, TuFHA went through successfully the IPPF accreditation review in 2012, two restricted projects (PRSRH-CB and P4H) and expansion of its clinical services among many others. She passed away at the Princess Margaret Hospital in Funafuti on 27 September 2020.