EUROPEAN UNION AGENCY FOR RAILWAYS

Moving Europe towards a sustainable and safe railway system without frontiers.

ERA Declaration of interests – Staff members

1. Personal details

Surname	ACCOU
Forename	Bart
Unit	Safety Methods
Position	Head of Unit
Description of duties in the Agency[1]	Leading the Safety Methods Unit

I, in my own name and own behalf and on behalf of my close family members[2] do hereby declare on my honour, to the best of my information, knowledge and belief:

☒ Not to have any interests[3] to declare in relation with my duties and responsibilities within the Agency.

☐ To have recorded the following interests[4] in relation with my duties and responsibilities within the Agency.

[1] *Summarise your annual objectives (this declaration is made annually).*

[1] *For this purpose, 'close family members' are considered to be the persons forming a household with the person making the declaration (spouse, life partner, dependent children). Only current interest's held by close family members are of relevance and not past ones. The names of household member do not need to be declared but only the relationship.*

[3] *In the sense of the category defined by Decision 199 of the Management Board (art.6.1) and INS_AFS_001 (section 2.4). Fill 'NA' in each section if no interest declared.*

[4] *idem*

Title/Function (you or your close family members)	*Period of activity (within past 3 years)*	*Company or organisation*	*Description of the activity (including contracts with the Agency, as well as Products, Projects, and/or Activity references in accordance with the Agency Programming Document)*
1. Employment			
N/A			
2. Consultancy, legal representation, advice			
N/A			
3. Member of a Managing Board/Advisory Board or equivalent structure			
N/A			
4. Other membership or affiliation			
N/A			

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5. Research funding			
N/A			
6. Intellectual property rights			
N/A			
7. Financial Investments			
N/A			
8. Public statements or positions			
N/A			

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9. Other relevant information			
N/A			

Should there be any change to the information provided above due to the fact that I acquire additional interests or abandon the current ones, I shall promptly notify the Agency and complete a new Declaration of Interests.

I understand that this declaration of interests will be entered into the conflict of interests situation register and may be disclosed in the context of a request of access to documents according to Regulation (EC) no 2018/1725.

The Agency will handle the information provided above in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 2018/1725[5]. See Privacy Statement.

Done at		*On*	
Signature	ACCOU Bart	Digitally signed by ACCOU Bart DN: DC=INT, DC=EU, DC=ERA, OU=Managed Users, OU=Staff, CN=ACCOU Bart Reason: I am the author of this document Location: Valenciennes Date: 2026.06.24 10:03:06+02'00' Foxit PhantomPDF Version: 10.1.0	

[5] *Regulation (EC) N°1725/2018 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data by the Union institutions, bodies, offices and agencies and on the free movement of such data*