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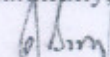
The Directors/Director-in-Charge
of all permanent Institutes/Centers
of the Council.

Subject: Brown/Tufts Fogarty AIDS International Research and Training Program

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to send herewith a copy of letter dated 29.06.2010 received from Dr. Kenneth H. Mayer, MD, Prof. of Medicine and Community Health, Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown Univ. on the subject mentioned above for your information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,



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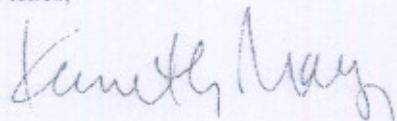
Dear Colleague:

I am very pleased to be able to announce to you that the Brown/Tufts Fogarty AIDS International Research and Training Program has been re-funded by the National Institutes of Health for the next five years.

Some of the comments that we received from the reviewers, and then from the program officers, suggested that they are very impressed with the work that we have been able to do with you over these past few years, but that they would like to see an increased focus in the future. Specifically, they suggested that they would like to see an increased number of long-term trainees; i.e., individuals who would come to Brown or Tufts for a degree program or at least spend a year as a post-doctoral trainee in a laboratory and another setting. They also indicated that they would like to see us engage in activities that will enhance capacity building with our major collaborating institutions. Thus, if you have ideas for workshops or other kinds of training activities where US faculty can work with your faculty to better train individuals in the conduct of clinical, laboratory, behavioral, and public health research, please do not hesitate to contact us.

We would not have been successful in this re-application process without your support and wisdom over the years, and will be looking to you in the near future for guidance. In the meantime, please recommend our training program to your colleagues and let us know about promising new candidates. We are very much open for business and look forward to enhancing our collaboration with you to improve the health of people living with HIV and assisting you in the prevention of HIV transmission in your setting. Many thanks for your help and consideration.

Best Wishes,



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