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Dear Mrs Annalies Borel,

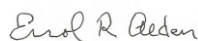
It was with the greatest shock and sorrow that we learnt of the tragic and untimely passing away of Dr Peter Salama. The International Pediatric Association (IPA) recognizes his enormous contributions to global health community ranging from work on the ground in the midst of conflict as well as outbreaks such as Ebola and importantly, his strategic leadership in various capacities in the two leading UN agencies globally.

Dr. Salama was not only the ultimate public health leader but an incredible advocate for women, children and adolescents globally. This is a huge loss for the pediatric fraternity globally.

On behalf of the IPA and ourselves, we express our deepest condolences to you and your family. We pray to the Almighty that his soul rests in peace and may God give you and your family and colleagues the strength in this time of loss. His memory and his enormous contributions will live on.

Sincerely,

On behalf of Executive and Standing Committee Members



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