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Public Health and Epidemiology Department

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Date: 29th May 2024

To: The Principal Investigator,
EN-RTP

Dear Sir

LETTER OF SUPPORT FOR EN-RTP

REF: Rikkia Thomas, MS.c

I write in support of the above-named candidate who is applying for Emory-Nigeria Long-term trainee position. Rikkia is currently a Research Fellow at Lead City University.

Rikkia is a researcher with great potentials and has the ability to work within deadline in tasks assigned to her whether independently or within the mainstream. Above all, she is responsible and respectable. Her proposed research work on assessing the uptake of HIV Counseling and Testing and identifying TB co-infection and malnutrition among women in conflict situations is well recognized by me as her lead mentor. As department Chair, I guarantee that Rikkia will be granted the protected time of 30 hours per week to dedicate to the EN-RTP program.

I have no doubt that she will make very good use of this opportunity to extend the frontiers of her research if given a chance.

Please kindly accord her the necessary support.

Should there be further questions concerning the applicant, please do not hesitate to contact me on +123 456 7890 or Fela.Kuti@nimr.gov

Yours sincerely,
FELA Kuti

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