

Your TEAM-PRRC association Newsletter

Special Issue No (MINUS) 1

Editorial:

Dear members & future members, bonjour!

Here is your first monthly TEAM-PRRC Association Newsletter. We decided at first to number it "Issue No MINUS 1" (one month to go!) in memory of some historic date but it is more likely to be "Issue No MINUS 13" (more than one year to go!!) thanks to Mister COVID-19. Let's wait & see! However, every cloud has a silver lining, we agreed to extend our special welcome fee of 200 € (vs 250 €) for new members joining us until 26th May 2021.

We strive and hope that it will be the start of a long series of publications reflecting an active life of your association. You will find inside latest news and events to come and links to articles published on our website. We are almost 40 members to date, mainly French, and we work on and invite you to work on spreading the good news of our launch all over Europe.

This association is YOUR association so feel free to pass on this newsletter to Europe and to your colleagues and acquaintances. They are all welcome.

Stay safe and keep on with compliance!

With our kind regards.

The TEAM

Membership: A word from the secretary and the treasurer.

The setup of the web site including online membership was a great digital adventure for both of us. We used a young and well performing platform "AssoConnect" and it has been an everyday challenge to make it work. For some of you, thanks for your patience.

We still have some of you in the system who have not yet completed the form, agreed the statutes and Ethical code, or simply paid their membership fee. Please proceed!

We decided to set up this multiple step process of membership to maintain a high level of professionalism in our association as we claim in our statutes!

We also added some features such as your business card in web directory (default value = NO), optionally your company and occupation could also be added.

Please update your profile.

If you are experiencing difficulties, do not hesitate to contact us: inform@team-prrc.eu

Events to come

TEAM-PRRC Webinars

TEAM-PRRC is currently preparing a webinar about the most important things to know regarding the Persons Responsible for Regulatory Compliance according to the article 15 of MDR & IVDR. There will be 2 sessions of this webinar:

- A session in English on 17th June, trained by our Vice-President, Anne Jury
- A session in French on 19th June, trained by our President, Elem Ayne

These webinars will last 1 hour and are free for our members; You can book your place and register in our website: www.team-prrc.eu

The members can ask their questions, as from now, into the FAQ in the member space. For those who could not attend, these free webinars will be recorded and be available on member space for further access.

Webinars and training:

In collaboration with selected organisations, we will soon propose access to specific trainings on MDR such as "what a PRRC needs to know" HUGE program!! Special discount for TEAM-PRRC members; more news to come; follow us on TEAM-PRRC.

Under construction

TEAM-PRRC has always had the ambition to officially launch our association at a major event, mainly in Brussels inviting EU commissioners and MDCG representatives. Mister COVID-19 did not help us but we are still working on it. We aim now to organize our inauguration sometime in mid-October.

All proposals and offers of support are welcome: President

We need your opinion

To promote your TEAM-PRRC Association, we need a striking motto such *as 'Compliant together'* (not complaint together!). To help us to decide, we offer you a poll to be passed on (send proposals to <u>Secretariat</u>) and voted here: <u>TEAM-PRRC motto poll</u>
Our motto will be disclosed and announced in our next issue!

Last minute

As we go to print with this edition, the postponement of MDR has been definitively voted and adopted...

That's all for that first issue of YOUR association newsletter. Hope you enjoyed.

Hear from you very soon

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