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**Sent:** Sun, 23 Feb 2020 02:42:32 +0000 **To:** AYLWARD, Raymond Bruce J.

Cc: Dale Fisher; Zhou, Weigong (CDC/DDID/NCIRD/ID); Zhou, Weigong

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Subject: Re: REVISED ASSESSMENT ETC.

Agreed, and I'm revising – this is the COVID-19 virus, as has been agreed to by WHO... I'll make these changes throughout. China agrees with this as well.

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**Date:** Sunday, 23 February 2020 at 03:37

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Yes but definitely do not use SARS-COV2 - I'm not signing anything with that in it. I prefer we use nCoV - intentional.

I'm not going to be part of that mess.

On 23 Feb 2020, at 07:43, Dr VAN KERKHOVE, Maria <vankerkhovem@who.int> wrote:

Hi Bruce,

Looks really good. I made some v minor edits to be consistent with our nomenclature (we don't use nCoV anymore and added influenza instead of flu). None of the content is changed but took away 2 qualifiers in 2 sentences. I do think its balanced and fair and reflects our discussions.

**Thanks** 

From: "AYLWARD, Raymond Bruce J." <aylwardb@who.int>

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Hey Rockstars both....