

Unitaid Executive Board Meeting 35<sup>th</sup> Session 17-18 June 2020 Organised via videoconference

## Resolution n°3

## **ACT-A Bridge Funding Mechanism**

Acknowledging recent briefings by the Secretariat on the impact of the current COVID-19 pandemic on Unitaid's grant portfolio and noting that the pandemic will delay Unitaid's planned investments in 2020; and

Recognising the need to identify Unitaid funds that can be committed to support time-critical projects and interventions within the framework of the Access to COVID-19 Tools Accelerator (ACT-A), pending the commitment to Unitaid of additional donor funding to support this work:

The Executive Board approves the use of the bridge financing mechanism set out in document UNITAID/EB35/2020/13 to fund new COVID-19 investments for up to a maximum amount of US\$ 35 million. The availability of this mechanism will end at the closure of the ACT-A or upon an earlier decision of the Executive Board.

The Secretariat will report regularly to the Executive Board on the implementation of this mechanism.

Marisol Touraine

Chair of the Unitaid Executive Board

Date:

17.06. 2020