TEFAF CORONAVIRUS STATEMENT

11 March 2020 – TEFAF organization has learned that one of our exhibitors has tested positive for coronavirus on Monday 9, 2020. The exhibitor was at the fair Thursday 5, March – Saturday 7, March as planned. The exhibitor did not show any symptoms at the fair and left Maastricht on Sunday 8, March and was tested in his hometown for coronavirus on Monday 9, March.

We have been in touch with the health authorities (VRZL/GGD) who contacted the exhibitor directly and have looked into the details of this case. Based on their assessment, the exhibitor was not showing symptoms at the fair and therefore did not cause a health risk for visitors or anyone working at the fair. Frank Klaasen, head of GGD, said “the exhibitor was not contagious during his time in TEFAF.”

Further to the health protocol and as an extra precautionary measure, the health authorities will be in touch with the exhibitor’s team today.

Please rest assured that TEFAF is in daily/hourly contact with the health authorities to monitor the situation as it evolves. The assessment from the authorities remains that the fair can go ahead as planned. For more details, please visit our health desk in the entrance area of the fair or visit RIVM.

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