Washington D.C., 10 – 13 October 1972

RESOLUTION

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PAN AMERICAN CENTER FOR HEALTH PLANNING

THE 21st DIRECTING COUNCIL.

Having considered the report on the activities of the Pan American Center for Health Planning (Document CD21/20), presented by its Director in compliance with Resolution XXIII of the 66th Meeting of the Executive Committee;

Having considered the report of the First Meeting of the Technical Advisory Committee of the Center, held in 1971;

Bearing in mind the programming of the second phase of the Center, in which its program of work is expanded and reoriented with a view to completing the transfer of training and research responsibilities to the countries, and to strengthening and expanding its information services; and Recognizing that the Center is complying with the general guidelines for the establishment, operation, and financing of multinational centers, established in Resolution XXXIII of the XVIII Pan American Sanitary Conference,

RESOLVES

1. To commend and thank the Director of the Center for the training, research, and information activities the Pan American Center for Health Planning is providing in support of the countries.

- 2. To thank the United Nations Development Program (UNDP) for the financial assistance it is giving to the Center through Program RLA/68/083.
- 3. To endorse the new orientation of the activities of the Center for a second phase, especially the emphasis on information services and the way in which they will be used to continue to support and orient the training and updating of specialized manpower and the research they are carrying out in the countries on planning problems.
- 4. To recognize the importance of maintaining the level of efficiency of the Center, especially for carrying out its second phase, and to support the Director of the Pan American Sanitary Bureau in the negotiations that are being conducted with the UNDP for the financing of the second phase of Program RLA/68/083.
- 5. To request the Director of PASB to report to the Directing Council on the projected activities and the financial needs of the Center as well as on the negotiations being conducted with the United Nations Development Program.

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