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17th DIRECTING COUNCIL
19th SESSION OF THE REGIONAL COMMITTEE

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RESOLUTION

CD17.R21

SUPPLY OF TEXT BOOKS FOR MEDICAL STUDENTS

THE 17th DIRECTING COUNCIL,

Having considered the report on the program for the supply of textbooks for medical students (Document CD17/20);¹

Bearing in mind the value, importance, and pressing necessity of this program for raising the level of medical education;

Considering that the XII Meeting of the Directing Council, XII Meeting of the Regional Committee of WHO for the Americas, urged the Director, in Resolution XXIV, to intensify his efforts to obtain extrabudgetary funds with which to expand the PAHO educational program; and

Bearing in mind that the Executive Committee, at its 56th Meeting, recommended to the Director that he continue pertinent negotiations for implementing the program and use existing funds for that purpose,

RESOLVES

1. To note with satisfaction the report on the program for the supply of textbooks for medical students (Document CD17/20).

2. To reaffirm the importance, interest, and urgency of the program, and to approve the steps taken so far.
3. To endorse Resolution XIX of the 56th Meeting of the Executive Committee.
4. To commend the Director for the progress made in implementing the program.
5. To request the Director to continue his negotiations with the Inter-American Development Bank and with other potential sources of funds for financing this program.
6. To reaffirm Resolution XXIV of the XII Meeting of the Directing Council and to urge the Director to seek extrabudgetary funds with which to strengthen and expand the PAHO program for the education and training of health personnel.
7. To request the Director to submit for review to the XVIII Meeting of the Directing Council a report on the progress achieved in the first phase of the currently planned program covering the first five subjects selected, as set forth in Document CD17/20.2

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