Article 12.A of the Constitution of the Pan American Health Organization stipulates that "The Council shall normally meet once each year in those years in which the Conference does not meet."

Article 14.A of the PAHO Constitution also provides that it is a function of the Executive Committee to "authorize the Director of the Bureau to convene meetings of the Council," and Rule 1 of the Rules of Procedure of the Directing Council likewise states that meetings of the Council shall be convened by the Director pursuant to a resolution of the Executive Committee.

Accordingly, the Director submits to the Executive Committee the proposed dates of 21 to 26 September 1987 for the XXXII Meeting of the Directing Council of PAHO, XXXIX Meeting of the Regional Committee of WHO for the Americas.

In view of the foregoing, the Committee may wish to consider a resolution along the following lines:

**Proposed Resolution**

THE 99th MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,

Considering that the Director has proposed the dates 21 to 26 September 1987 for the XXXII Meeting of the Directing Council of PAHO, XXXIX Meeting of the Regional Committee of WHO for the Americas; and

RESOLVES:

To authorize the Director to convocate the XXXII Meeting of the Directing Council of PAHO, XXXIX Meeting of the Regional Committee of WHO for the Americas, to meet at the Headquarters building in Washington, D.C., from 21 to 26 September 1987.