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RESOLUTION

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**MONITORING THE STRATEGIES OF HEALTH FOR ALL BY THE
YEAR 2000**

THE 33rd DIRECTING COUNCIL,

Having seen Document CD33/22, which constitutes the chapter for the Region of the Americas in the document titled "Monitoring of the Strategies of Health for All by the Year 2000";

Recognizing that the presentation corresponding to the Region of the Americas has been prepared in compliance with the provisions contained in Resolution WHA39.71 of the Thirty-ninth World Health Assembly;

Aware of the difficulties faced by the countries in the implementation and utilization of this instrument-guideline; and

Bearing in mind that the report for this Region will be presented to the WHO Executive Board for consideration by the World Health Assembly along with the reports from the other WHO Regions,

RESOLVES

1 To thank the Director for the report which has been prepared and presented by the Secretariat in cooperation with the countries of the Region of the Americas

2 To recommend to the Member Governments that they:

a) Adopt appropriate measures to strengthen both the process of health for all and implementation of the primary health care strategy;

b) Strengthen their health sector information, analysis, and evaluation systems in order to improve program planning and program execution.

3 To request that the Director:

a) Forward the report to WHO Headquarters, together with the comments of the Regional Committee for the Americas;

b) Request WHO to prepare guidelines that are more specific and operational than those used in the past, which have posed serious difficulties in their utilization;

c) Inform the members of the WHO Executive Board designated by Member Countries in the Region of the Americas about the report, the comments of the Regional Committee, and the need to improve the guidelines to be used in the future for monitoring of the health for all strategies;

d) Continue cooperating with the Member Governments to assist them as necessary in preparing any reports and evaluations that may be needed in the future.

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