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12nd DIRECTING COUNCIL

12nd SESSION OF THE REGIONAL COMMITTEE

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RESOLUTION

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TECHNICAL DISCUSSIONS

THE 12nd DIRECTING COUNCIL,

Having received the report of the Technical Discussion on the subject "Technical, Administrative, Legal, and Financial Aspects of Garbage and Refuse Disposal" 1 presented by the Moderator, Dr. Gustavo Fricke (Chile), and prepared by the Rapporteur, Mr. Juan L. Radelat (Cuba); and
Recognizing the importance of efficient refuse disposal services to public health and the responsibility that public health officials have for the improvement of these services,

RESOLVES

1. To take note of the report (Document CD12/DT/2, Rev. 1).
2. To express its satisfaction with the manner in which the discussions were conducted, and to thank the Moderator, the Rapporteur, the consultants, and the members of the panel for their valuable contribution to the success of the discussions.
3. To recommend to ministries of health that they adopt measures for the promotion and strengthening of sound refuse disposal practice throughout their countries.

4. To urge the Governments to give more attention to the provision of adequately trained personnel for the management and operation of such services.
5. To instruct the Pan American Sanitary Bureau to provide technical advice on refuse disposal and to give all assistance practicable, within budgetary limitations, to the requests of the Governments for collaborative programs in this field.

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