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## RESOLUTION

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## REPORT ON THE COLLECTION OF QUOTA CONTRIBUTIONS

THE 22<sup>nd</sup> DIRECTING COUNCIL,

Having considered the report of the Director on the collection of quota contributions (Document CD22/8 and Add.);

Having noted that in the first six months of 1973 the amount of quotas received was less than the amount received during this period the year before;

Noting that not all of the five countries with approved payment plans for liquidating their arrears had made payments by the time of the Directing Council Meeting; and

Bearing in mind the importance of prompt and full payment of quota contributions to assure financing of the authorized program and budget and to maintain the Organization's sound financial position,

## **RESOLVES**

1. To take note of the report of the Director on the collection of quota contributions (Document CD22/8 and Add).

- 2. To permit, after noting the report of the working party on the application of Article 6.B of the Constitution, the Representatives of Chile, Haiti, Paraguay, and Uruguay to vote in the XXII Meeting of the Directing Council.
- 3. To thank the Governments that have already made payments in 1973, and to urge the other Governments to pay their outstanding balances of arrears and current year quotas as soon as possible so that the work of the Organization can continue and the financial burden of its programs may be fairly spread among all the Members.
- 4. To again direct the attention of the Governments to the provisions of paragraph 5.4 of Article V of the Financial Regulations of PAHO which reads in part as follows "Contributions shall be considered as due and payable in full...as of the first day of the financial year to which they relate...As of 1 January of the following financial year, the unpaid balance of such unpaid contributions shall be considered to be one year in arrears."
- 5. To request the Director to continue to inform the Governments of any balances due.

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