



PAN AMERICAN HEALTH ORGANIZATION
WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION



36th DIRECTING COUNCIL
43rd SESSION OF THE REGIONAL COMMITTEE

Washington D.C., 21-25 September 1992

RESOLUTION

CD36.3

**ADMISSION OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO AS
ASSOCIATE MEMBER OF THE PAHO**

THE 36th DIRECTING COUNCIL,

Considering,

That the United States of America, as a Member Government (State) responsible for the international relations of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, has presented to the Director a request, on behalf of the Governor of Puerto Rico, for the admission of Puerto Rico as an Associate Member of PAHO;

That Puerto Rico was admitted as an Associate Member of the World Health Organization in May 1992; and

That the Directing Council of PAHO has approved a resolution which provides for the direct participation as Associate Members in PAHO of territories or groups of territories in the Region that are not fully responsible for their international relations,

RESOLVES

1. To admit Puerto Rico as an Associate Member of PAHO effective immediately, in accordance with the terms of Resolution II of the XXXVI Meeting of the Directing Council.

2. To establish the assessment of Puerto Rico at 0.02% of PAHO's budget for the biennium 1992–1993.
3. To instruct the Director to take the necessary measures to facilitate Puerto Rico's enjoyment of the rights and fulfillment of the obligations of an Associate Member of PAHO.

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