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## **26th DIRECTING COUNCIL**

31st SESSION OF THE REGIONAL COMMITTEE

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### ***RESOLUTION***

#### ***CD26.R31***

### **EVALUATION OF PAN AMERICAN CENTERS**

*THE 26<sup>th</sup> DIRECTING COUNCIL,*

Having examined the progress report on the evaluation of the Pan American Centers (Document CD26/21, Annex I) submitted by the Director to the 82nd Meeting of the Executive Committee in compliance with Resolution XXXI of the XX Pan American Sanitary Conference;

Bearing in mind that this resolution emphasizes the need for the Centers to relate their activities to the total PAHO program; and

Noting that the 82nd Meeting of the Executive Committee also approved<sup>1</sup> the schedule for reviews of all the Pan American Centers over the next five years, in conformity with the development of medium-term programming in the Region, starting with the Caribbean Epidemiology Center (CAREC) and the Latin American Center for Perinatology and Human Development (CLAP),

#### ***RESOLVES***

1. To thank the Director for the progress report on the evaluation of the Pan American Centers (Document CD26/21).
2. To take note of the progress being made in applying this model procedure to the detailed review of CAREC.

3. To request the Director to re-examine the schedule for evaluation of the Centers and to take such action as is necessary to have it completed in a shorter time than proposed.
4. To request the Director to present the final report on CAREC, the Pan American Zoonoses Center, and the Pan American Foot-and-Mouth Disease Center, as well as a progress report on CLAP, to the 84th Meeting of the Executive Committee.
5. To request the Director to submit, in compliance with operative paragraph 7 of Resolution XXXI of the XX Pan American Sanitary Conference, a more detailed report on each of the Pan American Centers to the XXVII Meeting of the Directing Council.

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