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Topic 15: REVISION OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE PAN AMERICAN
SANITARY ORGANIZATION

Membership and Associate Membership in the Organ-
ization

Proposal of the Government of Cuba)

In accordance with the request of the Chief of the Delegation of Cuba, Ambassador in charge of International Health Affairs, Dr. Félix Hurtado, the Director of the Pan American Sanitary Bureau transmitted to the Member Governments of the Organization, with letter SGC-CL-56-54 of 22 September 1954, the attached proposal of the Government of Cuba, presented to the XIV Pan American Sanitary Conference for consideration.

Pursuant to Article 24-C of the Proposed Rules of Procedure, this proposal has been included as a subtopic of Topic 15 on the Draft Agenda of the XIV Pan American Sanitary Conference.

Annex: Proposal of Cuba to the XIV Pan American Sanitary Conference

Havana, 2 August 1954

THE DELEGATION OF CUBA TO THE XIV PAN AMERICAN SANITARY CONFERENCE
SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING PROPOSAL:

Considering that the Pan American Organization of Public Health is an entity that should function within the framework of international public law as an inter-American agency, it is proper that the Constitution should establish explicitly the character of its Full Members, which can be **only** those that, as "juridical persons", are Members of the Organization of American States.

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R E S O L V E S :

To incorporate in the Constitution of the Organization a basic provision to define the two types of Members of the Organization:

- a) Full Members (Miembros Titulares)
- b) Associate Members (Miembros Asociados)