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43rd DIRECTING COUNCIL
53rd SESSION OF THE REGIONAL COMMITTEE

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RESOLUTION

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COLLECTION OF QUOTA CONTRIBUTIONS

THE 43rd DIRECTING COUNCIL,

Having considered the report of the Director on the collection of quota contributions (Document CD43/20 and Addendum I), and the concern expressed by the 128th Meeting of the Executive Committee with respect to the status of the collection of quota contributions; and,

Noting that, due to economic circumstances beyond its control, Argentina is not in compliance with its deferred payment plan as submitted at the 42nd Directing Council,

RESOLVES:

1. To take note of the report of the Director on the collection of quota contributions (Document CD43/20 and Addendum I).
2. To express appreciation to those Member States that have already made payments in 2001, and to urge all Member States in arrears to meet their financial obligations to the Organization in an expeditious manner.
3. To congratulate those countries that have fully met their quota obligations through 2001.
4. To compliment the countries which have made significant payment efforts to reduce quota arrearages for prior years.

5. To express grave concern regarding Argentina's accumulation of arrears and failure to comply with its deferred payment plan, and to encourage Argentina to make settlement of its arrears a priority of the Government.
6. To request the President of the Directing Council to notify the Delegation of Argentina that its voting rights will be maintained at this 43rd Session of the Directing Council; however, no further extensions will be granted after 2001.
7. To request the Director:
 - (a) To continue to monitor the implementation of special payment agreements by Member States in arrears for the payment of prior years' quota assessments;
 - (b) To advise the Executive Committee of Member States' compliance with their quota payment commitments;
 - (c) To report to the 26th Pan American Sanitary Conference on the status of the collection of quota contributions for 2002 and prior years.

(Third meeting, 25 September 2001)