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**6th DIRECTING COUNCIL**  
4th SESSION OF THE REGIONAL COMMITTEE

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***RESOLUTION***

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**PROGRAM OF ECONOMICS AND DECENTRALIZATION OF THE  
PASB**

*THE 6<sup>th</sup> DIRECTING COUNCIL,*

Considering that the members of the Directing Council and the Director of the Pan American Sanitary Bureau have expressed their desire that a program of economies and decentralization be carried out in the Pan American Sanitary Bureau; and,

Considering that it is desirable that this purpose be achieved promptly, without affecting the fundamental activities of the Bureau,

***RESOLVES***

1. To establish a committee of three members of the Directing Council, [whose duties would be to] study the measures that would be appropriate to take in order to effect economies and decentralize the activities of the Pan American Sanitary Bureau and to report periodically thereon to the Executive Committee and the Directing Council at their meetings in 1953 and, if necessary, at their

later meetings. This committee will be composed of representatives of Chile, Mexico, and the United States of America.

2.To authorize the Director to defray the expenses of this committee.

3.To authorize the committee to utilize, if necessary, the services of expert advisers and to take into consideration the suggestions made.

4. o authorize the Executive Committee to apply any economies effected to additional projects in field programs.

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