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F I N A L R E P O R T

FINAL REPORT

The 93rd Meeting of the Executive Committee of the Pan American Health Organization was held at the Headquarters building in Washington, D.C., on 24 September 1984, pursuant to the decision taken at the third plenary session of its 92nd Meeting. Its purpose was to examine the changes in the situation and to advise the Directing Council on matters relating to the provisional draft of the program budget of the World Health Organization for the Region of the Americas for the biennium 1986-1987.

The single session of the above-mentioned Meeting was attended by the following members of the Committee, observers, and staff members of the Bureau:

MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Dr. Lyall M. Black

Mr. Ian C. Inglis

Mr. Percy Abols

Ms. Jacqueline Caron

Dr. Juan Jaramillo Antillón

Dr. Guillermo Contreras

Dr. Abelardo Ramírez

Dr. Juan Roberto Menchaca Dr. Gabriel Montalvo Alvarez

Dr. José González Rojas

Mr. Charles A. Maynard

Dr. Desmond McIntyre

Ms. Eudora Shaw

Dr. Amiro Pérez Mera

Dr. Juan Guillermo Franco

Dr. Virgilio Macías Murillo

Dr. Humberto Baquero

Dr. Alberto E. Calvo

Dr. Ernesto Rothery

Mr. Neil A. Boyer Ms. Marlyn Kefauver

Dr. Hugo Damasco

CANADA

COSTA RICA

CUBA

DOMINICA

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

ECUADOR

PANAMA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

URUGUAY

OBSERVERS

Members of PAHO

Dr. José Manuel Borgoño

CHILE

Dr. Jeanne Broyelle

FRANCE

PAN AMERICAN HEALTH ORGANIZATION

Dr. Carlyle Guerra de Macedo Director

Dr. H. David Banta Deputy Director

Dr. Ramón Alvarez Gutiérrez Assistant Director

Mr. Thomas Tracy Chief of Administration

Dr. George O. Alleyne Area Director Health Program Development

Dr. Luis Carlos Ochoa Area Director Health Systems Infrastructure

Chief, Conference and Secretariat Services

Mr. Carlos L. García

OFFICERS

In the absence of the Chairman, Dr. Armando Lépez Scavino (Uruguay) and in accordance with Rule 10 of the Rules of Procedure of the Executive Committee, at its single plenary session the Vice Chairman, Dr. Abelardo Ramírez (Cuba), became the Chairman pro tempore. The Executive Committee elected Dr. Hugo Damasco (Uruguay) as Vice Chairman pro tempore. The officers of the Committee were as follows:

OFFICERS (cont.)

Chairman

pro tempore: Dr. Abelardo Ramírez CUBA

Vice Chairman

pro tempore: Dr. Hugo Damasco URUGUAY

Rapporteur: Dr. Lyall M. Black CANADA

Secretary

ex officio: Dr. Carlyle Guerra de Macedo DIRECTOR,

PAN AMERICAN SANITARY BUREAU

PROGRAMA DE TEMAS

Pursuant to Rule 5 of the Rules of Procedure, at its single plenary session the Executive Committee adopted the provisional agenda (Document CE93/1, Rev. 2) submitted by the Director.

DECISION

Representation of the Executive Committee at the XXX Meeting of the Directing Council of PAHO, XXXVI Meeting of the Regional Committee of WHO for the Americas

The 92nd Meeting had decided that its Chairman, Dr. Armando López Scavino (Uruguay), supported by Dr. Fidel Endara (Ecuador), should represent the Executive Committee at the XXX Meeting of the Directing Council of PAHO, XXXVI Meeting of the Regional Committee of WHO for the Americas. As alternates to these representatives the Committee had appointed Dr. Luis J. Bonilla Salas (Costa Rica) and Dr. Amiro Pérez Mera (Dominican Republic). However, in the absence of the Chairman, Dr. Armando López Scavino (Uruguay), of the other Representative of the Executive Committee, Dr. Fidel Endara (Ecuador), and of the Alternate Representative, Dr. Luis J. Bonilla Salas (Costa Rica), the 93rd Meeting decided that the Committee should be represented by Dr Juan Roberto Menchaca (Cuba) and by Dr. Amiro Pérez Mera (Dominican Republic).

RESOLUTION ADOPTED

During the course of the Meeting the Executive Committee adopted the following resolution:

RESOLUTION I CE93 R1

PROVISIONAL DRAFT OF THE PROGRAM BUDGET OF THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION FOR THE REGION OF THE AMERICAS FOR THE BIENNIUM 1986-1987

THE 93rd MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,

Having considered Document CE^o3/2 pertaining to the tentative projection of \$58,076,000 of the World Health Organization's funding for the Region of the Americas for the biennium 1986-1987.

Noting that, within the tentative projection, a subprogram has been established in the Regional Director's Development Program for Country Activities to give the Organization greater flexibility in responding to unexpected changes in the situations of Member Countries which affect the cost of the programs and to support those countries that are making genuine efforts to fulfill their obligations by carrying out the policies and strategies they have adopted collectively; and

Noting that the proposed amount of \$58,076,000 is \$484,000 less then the original \$58,560,000 regional allocation,

RESOLVES:

To recommend to the XXX Meeting of the Directing Council, XXXVI Meeting of the Regional Committee of the World Health Organization for the Americas, that it adopt the following resolution:

THE XXX MEETING OF THE DIRECTING COUNCIL.

Having considered Resolution I of the 93rd Meeting of the Executive Committee and the tentative projection of \$58,076,000 of the World Health Organizations's funding for the Region of the Americas for the biennium 1986-1987; and

Noting that the proposed amount of \$58,076,000 is \$484,000 less than the original \$58,560,000 regional allocation,

RESOLVES:

1. To recommend to the Director General of the World Health Organization provisional approval of the distribution of the \$58,076,000 program budget for the Region of the Americas.

- 2. To request the Director General to consider the possibility of providing increased support to the program budget in the amount of \$484,000 in order to support the Regional Director's Development Program for Country Activities, which is being established to give the Organization greater flexibility in responding to unexpected changes in the situations of Member Countries which affect the cost of the programs and to support those countries that are making genuine efforts to fulfill their obligations by carrying out the policies and strategies they have adopted collectively.
- 3. To request the Director General, when formulating his budget, to take into account the views of Member Countries expressed in the Meeting of the Regional Committee for the Americas.

(Adopted at the single plenary session, 24 September 1984)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Chairman <u>pro</u> <u>tempore</u> of the Executive Committee and the Director of the Pan American Sanitary Bureau, Secretary <u>ex officio</u>, sign the present Final Report in the English and Spanish languages, both texts being equally authentic.

DONE in Washington, D.C., United States of America, this twenty-fourth day of September, nineteen hundred and eighty-four. The Secretary shall deposit the original texts in the Archives of the Pan American Sanitary Bureau and shall send copies thereof to the Governments of the Organization.

Abelardo Ramírez
Chairman pro tempore
93rd Meeting of the Executive Committee
Representative of Cuba

Carlyle Guerra de Macedo
Secretary ex officio of the
Executive Committee
Director of the
Pan American Sanitary Bureau