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OF THE REGIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE WHO FOR THE AMERICAS

Article 10-A of the Constitution of the Pan American Health Organization provides that "the Council shall meet normally at least once each year."

The XIII Pan American Sanitary Conference (1950) instituted the following schedule for meetings of the Conference and of the Directing Council:

- a) During the odd years between Conferences the annual meetings of the Directing Council shall be held at the headquarters of the Pan American Sanitary Bureau;
- b) The Directing Council shall determine the place for its meetings in those even years in which a meeting of the Conference is not scheduled.

That Conference further resolved that "meetings of the Directing Council in the future shall be held only in those years in which the Conference does not meet."

In accordance with the decision taken at the 37th Meeting of the Executive Committee, the Director called the attention of the Member Governments to the fact that at this meeting the Council is to select the site for its meeting in 1960, and transmitted a list of the countries where meetings of the Council and the Conference have been held to date.

On the other hand, in a communication of 24 June the Director-General of WHO indicated that, in the event the Thirteenth World Health Assembly accepts the invitation of the Government of India to hold the Fourteenth Assembly in New Delhi, that meeting should start not later than 7 February 1961, because of the climate conditions in that city. Consequently, in order that the WHO proposed program and budget may be presented sufficiently

in advance, the Director-General requested that the regional committees complete their 1960 activities no later than 31 August.

The Director trusts that the above circumstances, as well as the attached list, will be taken into account by the Directing Council in reaching a decision on the matter.

Annex I: Places and Dates of the Pan American Sanitary Conferences and Meetings of the Directing Council of the Pan American Health Organization Held since 1902

PLACES AND DATES OF THE PAN AMERICAN SANITARY CONFERENCES AND MEETINGS
OF THE DIRECTING COUNCIL OF THE PAN AMERICAN HEALTH ORGANIZATION
HELD SINCE 1902

Place	Year	Meeting	Date
ARGENTINA	1934	IX Pan American Sanitary Conference	12-22 November
	1947	I Meeting of the Directing Council	24 September- 2 October
BRAZIL	1942	XI Pan American Sanitary Conference	6-18 September
CHILE	1911	V Pan American Sanitary Conference	5-11 November
	1954	XIV Pan American Sanitary Conference	7-22 October
COLOMBIA	1938	X Pan American Sanitary Conference	4-14 September
COSTA RICA	1909-1910	IV Pan American Sanitary Conference	25 December- 3 January
CUBA	1924	VII Pan American Sanitary Conference	5-15 November
	1952	VI Meeting of the Directing Council	15-24 September
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	1950	XIII Pan American Sanitary Conference	1-10 October
	1950	IV Meeting of the Directing Council	25-30 September
GUATEMALA	1956	IX Meeting of the Directing Council	16-27 September
MEXICO	1907	III Pan American Sanitary Conference	2-7 December
	1948	II Meeting of the Directing Council	8-12 October
PERU	1927	VIII Pan American Sanitary Conference	12-20 October
	1949	III Meeting of the Directing Council	6-13 October
UNITED STATES	1902	I Pan American Sanitary Conference	2-4 December
	1905	II Pan American Sanitary Conference	9-14 October
	1951	V Meeting of the Directing Council	24 September- 3 October
	1953	VII Meeting of the Directing Council	9-19 October

Place	Year	Meeting	Date
UNITED STATES (continued)	1955	VIII Meeting of the Directing Council	9-21 September
	1957	X Meeting of the Directing Council	16-27 September
PUERTO RICO	1958	XV Pan American Sanitary Conference	21 September- 3 October
URUGUAY	1920	VI Pan American Sanitary Conference	12-20 December
VENEZUELA	1947	XII Pan American Sanitary Conference	12-24 January