Washington D.C., 29 September – 8 October 1975

RESOLUTION

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FIRST INTERSECTORAL MEETING ON THE HEALTH OF MAN IN THE AMERICAS

THE 23rd DIRECTING COUNCIL.

Having examined the report of the Director on the preparations for the First Intersectoral Meeting on the Health of Man in the Americas (Document CD23/24), pursuant to instructions of the XIX Pan American Sanitary Conference (Resolution XLII);

Considering that the report brings out the economic impact which the holding of such an event would have on PAHO:

Bearing in mind that the advantages of intersectoral coordination are already being studied by other United Nations agencies (UNICEF, Quito, August 1975), and that specific recommendations have been made on this topic;

Taking into account that, as a result of the discussions at the Quito meeting, UNICEF is preparing a document which will serve as a basis for establishing norms and methodologies applicable to multisectoral coordination; and

Considering that the resolutions adopted in Quito emphasized the need for establishing coordination among the international organizations in order to avoid duplication of efforts and expenditures and to achieve greater efficiency in bringing technical assistance to the countries,

RESOLVES

- 1. To postpone the holding of the First Intersectoral Meeting on the Health of Man in the Americas.
- 2. To request UNICEF to make available the document resulting from the meeting in Quito in August 1975, so that the PAHO Executive Committee can study it at its 76th Meeting and submit a report on its findings to the XXIV Meeting of the Directing Council.
- 3. To ratify operative paragraphs 1 and 2 of Resolution XLII of the XIX Pan American Sanitary Conference.

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