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## Topic 13: PLAN OF LONG-RANGE PUBLIC HEALTH PROGRAMS

The Executive Committee at its 20th Meeting adopted the following Resolution (Document CE20/12, Rev.1, Page 7) with regard to this item on the agenda.

## Resolution I

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,

HAVING STUDIED Document CE20/4, presented by the Director of the Pan American Sanitary Bureau,

#### RESOLVES:

To recommend that the Directing Council adopt a resolution along the following lines:

### "WHEREAS:

"The Executive Committee and the Director of the Pan American Sanitary Bureau have complied with paragraph 4 of Resolution VI on Program and Budget Policy of the Pan American Sanitary Organization, adopted by the Directing Council at its V Meeting;

"The Executive Committee, at its 16th Meeting, adopted Resolution V approving the development of a long-range program; and

"The Executive Committee has submitted to the Directing Council for approval certain guiding principles for continuous planning, requesting at the same time that the Director be entrusted with the preparation of budgets in harmony with this program,

"THE DIRECTING COUNCIL

### "RESOLVES:

- "1. To approve the development of a long-range public health program, based on continuous survey and evaluation of the needs and the resources of the Member Countries, in conformity with Resolution V approved by the Executive Committee at its 16th Meeting, in order to:
  - a. Strengthen the fundamental services for the promotion and preservation of the health of the people in each country.
  - b. Provide means for the training of professional and sub-professional personnel for the health services of the Member Countries, and develop local and regional resources to this end.
  - c. Coordinate and assist in the planning and operation of individual or
    regional programs for the eradication
    of communicable diseases, such as
    urban yellow fever, malaria, smallpox, syphilis, and yaws, which constitute a potential threat to the
    Hemisphere and for which there are
    suitable means of eradication.
- "2. To instruct the Director to prepare the future budgets in harmony with this program."