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RESOLUTION

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PAHO AWARD FOR HEALTH SERVICES MANAGEMENT AND LEADERSHIP 2019

THE 164th SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,

Having examined the *Report of the Award Committee of the PAHO Award for Health Services and Leadership 2019* (Document CE164/5, Add. I);

Bearing in mind the provisions of the procedures and guidelines for conferring the PAHO Award for Health Services and Leadership (previously known as the PAHO Award for Administration), as approved by the 56th Directing Council (2018),¹

RESOLVES:

1. To congratulate the candidates for the PAHO Award for Health Services Management and Leadership 2019 for their professionalism and outstanding work on behalf of their countries and the Region.
2. On the recommendation of the Award Committee, to confer the PAHO Award for Health Services Management and Leadership 2019 to Dr. Reina Roa Rodríguez, of Panama, for her dual contributions advocating to promote public health through tobacco control at the national, regional, and global levels, and as National Director of Health Planning, overseeing the formulation and implementation of Panama's National Health Policy and its Strategic Guidelines 2016-2025, designed for the first time with an intersectoral and results-based management approach. In addition, Dr. Reina Roa Rodríguez has contributed significantly to the drafting of the Sustainable Health Agenda

¹ The procedures and guidelines for conferring the Award were approved by the 18th Pan American Sanitary Conference (1970) and amended by the 24th Pan American Sanitary Conference (1994), by the Executive Committee at its 124th (1999), 135th (2004), 140th (2007), 146th (2010), and 158th (2016) sessions, and by the 56th Directing Council (2018).

for the Americas 2018-2030, and to the preparation of the Strategic Plan of the Pan American Health Organization 2020-2025.

3. To transmit the *Report of the Award Committee of the PAHO Award for Health Services Management and Leadership 2019* (Document CE164/5, Add. I), to the 57th Directing Council.

(Eighth meeting, 27 June 2019)