RESOLUTION

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NONGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS
IN OFFICIAL RELATIONS WITH THE
PAN AMERICAN HEALTH ORGANIZATION

THE 158th SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,

Having considered the report of the Subcommittee on Program, Budget, and Administration on Nongovernmental Organizations in Official Relations with PAHO (Document CE158/7);

Mindful of the provisions of the Principles Governing Relations between the Pan American Health Organization and Nongovernmental Organizations,

RESOLVES:

1. To renew official working relations between PAHO and the following nongovernmental organizations for a period of four years:

   a) Healthy Caribbean Coalition (HCC),
   b) Inter-American College of Radiology (ICR),
   c) Interamerican Society of Cardiology (IASC),
   d) Latin American and Caribbean Women’s Health Network (LACWHN)
   e) Latin American Association of Pharmaceutical Industries (ALIFAR, Spanish acronym),
   f) Latin American Federation of Hospitals (FLH, Spanish acronym),
   g) Panamerican Federation of Associations of Medical Schools (PAFAMS),
   h) Pan American Federation of Nursing Professionals (FEPPEN, Spanish acronym).
2. To admit *Mundo Sano* into official relations with PAHO for a period of four years.

3. To take note of the progress report on the status of relations between PAHO and nongovernmental organizations.

4. To request the Director to:
   a) advise the respective nongovernmental organizations of the decisions taken by the Executive Committee;
   b) continue developing dynamic working relations with inter-American nongovernmental organizations of interest to the Organization in areas that fall within the programmatic priorities that the Governing Bodies have adopted for PAHO;
   c) continue fostering relationships between Member States and nongovernmental organizations working in the field of health.

*(Eighth meeting, 23 June 2016)*