

## 160th SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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### **RESOLUTION**

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#### **NON-STATE ACTORS IN OFFICIAL RELATIONS WITH THE PAN AMERICAN HEALTH ORGANIZATION**

#### ***THE 160th SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,***

Having considered the report of the Subcommittee on Program, Budget, and Administration *Non-State Actors in Official Relations with PAHO* (Document CE160/7);

Mindful of the provisions of the *Framework of Engagement with Non-State Actors*, adopted by the 55th Directing Council through Resolution CD55.R3 (2016), which governs official relations status between the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO) and such entities,

#### **RESOLVES:**

1. To renew official relations between PAHO and the following non-State actors for a period of three years:
    - a) the American Public Health Association (APHA),
    - b) the American Society for Microbiology (ASM),
    - c) the Inter American Association of Sanitary and Environmental Engineering (AIDIS),
    - d) the March of Dimes,
    - e) the United States Pharmacopeial Convention (USP),
    - f) the World Association for Sexual Health (WAS).
  
  2. To defer the decision for maintaining official relations with the Latin American Federation of the Pharmaceutical Industry (FIFARMA) until 2018.
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3. To discontinue official relations with the International Diabetes Federation (IDF).
4. To request the Director to:
  - a) advise the respective non-State actors of the decisions taken by the Executive Committee;
  - b) continue developing dynamic working relations with inter-American non-State actors of interest to the Organization in areas that fall within the program priorities that the Governing Bodies have adopted for PAHO;
  - c) continue fostering relationships between Member States and non-State actors working in the field of health.

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