REPORT OF THE REGIONAL COMMITTEE

WPR/RC31.R17 HEALTH 2000 RESOURCES GROUP

The Regional Committee,

Having considered the background information provided by the Regional Director on the establishment, terms of reference and membership of the Health 2000 Resources Group,¹

ELECTS Papua New Guinea as the member of the Group from the Western Pacific Region, for a period of three years from 1 January 1980.

Seventh meeting, 12 September 1980


The Regional Committee,

Having considered the main items of the provisional agenda of the sixty-seventh session of the Executive Board,²

NOTES with approval the efforts being made to correlate the work of the Regional Committees, the Executive Board and the World Health Assembly.

Seventh meeting, 12 September 1980

WPR/RC31.R19 RESOLUTIONS OF REGIONAL INTEREST ADOPTED BY THE THIRTY-THIRD WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY

The Regional Committee

TAKES NOTE of the following resolutions adopted by the Thirty-third World Health Assembly

WHA33.3 - Declaration of global eradication of smallpox
WHA33.4 - Global smallpox eradication
WHA33.20 - Organizational study on the "Role of WHO expert advisory panels and committees and collaborating centres in meeting the needs of WHO regarding expert advice and in carrying out technical activities of WHO"

¹Documents WPR/RC31/17 and WPR/RC31/17 Add.l.
²Document WPR/RC31/19.
WHA33.25 - Development and coordination of biomedical and health services research

WHA33.26 - Tuberculosis control

WHA33.27 - Action in respect of International Conventions on Narcotic and Psychotropic Substances: Abuse of narcotic and psychotrophic substances

WHA33.31 - Workers' health programme

WHA33.32 - Infant and young child feeding

WHA33.35 - WHO's programme on smoking and health

Seventh meeting, 12 September 1980

WPR/RC31.R20 REGIONAL PROGRAMME FOR DISABILITY PREVENTION AND REHABILITATION

The Regional Committee,

Recalling resolution WHA29.68 and United Nations General Assembly resolutions 31/123, 32/133, 33/170 and 34/154;

Having considered the Regional Director's report on the present situation and the action taken in the Western Pacific Region;

1. RECOMMENDS that Member States should develop programmes, aimed at disability prevention and rehabilitation, by way of primary health care where appropriate, as their contribution to the International Year of Disabled Persons;

2. REQUESTS the Regional Director:

(1) to develop a programme for collective action in the Region on disability prevention and rehabilitation;

(2) to provide support to Member States in the development and implementation of their programmes within the framework of technical cooperation among developing countries;

1Document WPR/RC31/21.