SUMMARY RECORD OF THE NINTH MEETING

WHO Conference Hall, Manila
Monday, 15 September 1980 at 2.30 p.m.

CHAIRMAN: Mr J. Jaminan (Papua New Guinea)

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1. STATEMENTS BY REPRESENTATIVES OF THE UNITED NATIONS, THE SPECIALIZED AGENCIES, AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL AND NONGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS IN OFFICIAL RELATIONS WITH WHO: Item 28 of the Agenda (continued from the eighth meeting, section 3)

At the invitation of the CHAIRMAN, statements were presented on behalf of the following:

1.1 Nongovernmental organizations (continued from the eighth meeting, section 3.3)

- International Committee of Catholic Nurses
- International Council of Nurses
- International Federation of Ophthalmological Societies
- World Psychiatric Association
- International Council of Societies of Pathology
- World Federation of Public Health Associations
- League of Red Cross Societies
- Rehabilitation International

2. ADOPTION OF THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE: Item 31 of the Agenda (Document WPR/RC31/30)

The CHAIRMAN presented the draft report of the thirty-first session of the Regional Committee for comment. He drew attention to an amendment to the second paragraph of section 14, in Part VI - regarding time and place of the thirty-second and thirty-third sessions of the Regional Committee. That paragraph should read "The Committee also decided that the thirty-third session should be held at regional headquarters in Manila for five or six continuous working days from Monday to Friday, or to Saturday if necessary."

Dr NICHOLSON (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland) referred to section 1 in Part VI. The penultimate paragraph of that section should read "The representative of the United Kingdom referred to the importance of the Regional Committee's views on the subject being presented to the Programme Committee of the Executive Board in November 1980."

Dr MINNERS (United States of America) moved that the draft report should be adopted, and Dr EVANS (Australia) seconded the motion.

Decision: The draft resolution, as amended, was adopted (see resolution WPR/RC31.R30).

3. RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION

Dr KOH (Singapore) presented a draft resolution of appreciation.

Decision: The draft resolution was adopted unanimously (see resolution WPR/RC31.R31).
4. CLOSURE OF THE SESSION: Item 32 of the Agenda

The CHAIRMAN thanked representatives for their cooperation, and declared the thirty-first session of the Regional Committee closed.

The meeting closed at 3.50 p.m.