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PAHO AWARD FOR ADMINISTRATION, 1998

Report of the Award Committee

The Award Committee of the PAHO Award for Administration, 1998, was comprised of Dr. Merceline Dahl-Regis (Bahamas), Dr. Carlos Anríquez Loyola (Chile), and Dr. Miguel Angel Lezana and Dr. Melba Muñoz Martelón (Mexico).

The Committee met on 23 June 1998 and examined the information on the candidates nominated by Member States, namely:

| <i>Name</i> | <i>Country</i> |
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| Dr. Carlos César Silva de Albuquerque | Brazil |
| Dr. Alvaro Salas Chaves | Costa Rica |
| Dr. Ida Berenice Molina Aguilera | Honduras |
| Dr. Christine Olive Moody | Jamaica |
| Dr. Alberto E. Calvo | Panama |
| Dr. Donaldo Williams | Panama |
| Dr. Miguel Dicancro | Uruguay |
| Ms. María Mata de Castro | Venezuela |
| Dr. Raúl Martínez Vera | Venezuela |

The Committee noted that an additional candidacy had been received after the deadline for nominations and therefore was not eligible for consideration. According to Procedure 8 of the Award, it recommended that the candidacy be held in abeyance for consideration in 1999, subject to the endorsement of its government.

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After extensive debate, the Committee unanimously decided to confer the PAHO Award for Administration, 1998, on Dr. Cristina Olive Mood, of Jamaica, for her contribution to the planning, administration, and leadership of the health services of Jamaica, and her continuous efforts towards the development of primary health care at the regional and global levels.

The Award Committee proposes to the Executive Committee adoption of the following:

Proposed Resolution

THE 122nd MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,

Having examined the report of the Award Committee of the PAHO Award for Administration, 1998 (Document CE122/6, Add. I); and

Bearing in mind the provisions of the Procedure and Guidelines for conferring the PAHO Award for Administration as approved by the 18th Pan American Sanitary Conference (1970) and amended by the 24th Pan American Sanitary Conference (1994),

RESOLVES:

1. To note the decision of the Award Committee to confer the PAHO Award for Administration, 1998, on Dr. Christine Olive Moody, of Jamaica, for her contribution to the planning, administration, and leadership of the health services of Jamaica, and her continuous efforts towards the development of primary health care at the regional and global levels.
2. To transmit the report of the Award Committee of the PAHO Award for Administration, 1998 (Document CE122/6, Add. I), to the 25th Pan American Sanitary Conference.