RESOLUTION

CE138.R16

NONGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS IN OFFICIAL RELATIONS WITH PAHO

THE 138th SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,

Having studied the report of the Standing Committee on Nongovernmental Organizations (Document CE138/8, and Add. 1); and


RESOLVES:

1. To continue official relations between PAHO and the Latin American Confederation of Clinical Biochemistry (COLABIOCLI) and the National Alliance for Hispanic Health for a period of four years.

2. To request the Director to:

(a) inform the respective NGOs of the decisions taken by the Executive Committee;

(b) continue developing dynamic working relations with inter-American NGOs of interest to the Organization in areas which fall within the program priorities that the Governing Bodies have adopted for PAHO;

(c) continue fostering relationships between Member States and NGOs working in the field of health.

(Ninth meeting, 23 June 2006)