RESOLUTION

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PAHO AWARD FOR ADMINISTRATION 2008

THE 142nd SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,

Having examined the report of the Award Committee of the PAHO Award for Administration 2008 (Document CE142/5, Add. I); and

Bearing in mind the provisions of the procedures 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), the 124th Session of the Executive Committee (1999), the 135th Session of the Executive Committee (2004), and the 140th Session of the Executive Committee (2007),

RESOLVES:

1. To congratulate all the candidates for the 2008 PAHO Award for Administration for their professionalism and outstanding work on behalf of their countries and the Region.

2. To note the decision of the Award Committee to confer the PAHO Award for Administration 2008 on Dr. Hugo Villar Teijeiro, of Uruguay, for his contribution to the improvement of health conditions, in several countries of the Americas, for the decentralization of health systems; management of health issues and hospitals; as well as
for the training in human resources to manage health systems at the national and regional levels.

3. To transmit the report of the Award Committee of the PAHO Award for Administration 2008 to the 48th Directing Council.

(Ninth meeting, 27 June 2008)