

**Numbering of the Rules of Procedure of the World Health Assembly  
in *Basic documents*<sup>1</sup>**

<b>48th edition</b>	<b>49th edition</b>
SESSIONS OF THE HEALTH ASSEMBLY	
<i>Rule 1</i>	<i>Rule 1</i>
<i>Rule 2</i>	<i>Rule 2</i>
<i>Rule 3</i>	<i>Rule 3</i>
AGENDA OF HEALTH ASSEMBLY SESSIONS	
<i>Regular sessions</i>	
<i>Rule 4</i>	<i>Rule 4</i>
<i>Rule 5</i>	<i>Rule 5</i>
<i>Special sessions</i>	
<i>Rule 6</i>	<i>Rule 6</i>
<i>Rule 7</i>	<i>Rule 7</i>
<i>Regular and special sessions</i>	
<i>Rule 8</i>	<i>Rule 8</i>
<i>Rule 9</i>	<i>Rule 9</i>
<i>Rule 10</i>	<i>Rule 10</i>
<i>Rule 11</i>	<i>Rule 11</i>
<i>Rule 12</i>	<i>Rule 12</i>
Rule 12bis	Rule 13
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SECRETARIAT OF THE HEALTH ASSEMBLY	
Rule 16	Rule 17
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Rule 18	Rule 19
PLENARY MEETINGS OF THE HEALTH ASSEMBLY	
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<sup>1</sup> Rule numbers in italics indicate no change in the numbering between the 48th and 49th editions.

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<b>COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS</b>	
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<b>OFFICERS OF THE HEALTH ASSEMBLY</b>	
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<b>GENERAL COMMITTEE</b>	
Rule 29	Rule 30
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<b>MAIN COMMITTEES OF THE HEALTH ASSEMBLY</b>	
Rule 32	Rule 33
Rule 33	Rule 34
Rule 34	Rule 35
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Rule 38	Rule 39
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<b>OTHER COMMITTEES OF THE HEALTH ASSEMBLY</b>	
Rule 40	Rule 41
<b>RAPPORTEURS</b>	
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<b>PARTICIPATION OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD</b>	
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PARTICIPATION OF REPRESENTATIVES OF ASSOCIATE MEMBERS, INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS, NON-STATE ACTORS IN OFFICIAL RELATIONS, AND OBSERVERS OF NON-MEMBER STATES AND TERRITORIES <sup>1</sup>	
Rule 44	Rule 45
Rule 45	Rule 46
Rule 46	Rule 47
Rule 47	Rule 48
CONDUCT OF BUSINESS AT PLENARY MEETINGS	
Rule 48	Rule 49
Rule 49 [deleted]	–
<i>Rule 50</i>	<i>Rule 50</i>
<i>Rule 51</i>	<i>Rule 51</i>
<i>Rule 52</i>	<i>Rule 52</i>
<i>Rule 53</i>	<i>Rule 53</i>
<i>Rule 54</i>	<i>Rule 54</i>
<i>Rule 55</i>	<i>Rule 55</i>
<i>Rule 56</i>	<i>Rule 56</i>
<i>Rule 57</i>	<i>Rule 57</i>
<i>Rule 58</i>	<i>Rule 58</i>
<i>Rule 59</i>	<i>Rule 59</i>
<i>Rule 60</i>	<i>Rule 60</i>
<i>Rule 61</i>	<i>Rule 61</i>
<i>Rule 62</i>	<i>Rule 62</i>
<i>Rule 63</i>	<i>Rule 63</i>
<i>Rule 64</i>	<i>Rule 64</i>
<i>Rule 65</i>	<i>Rule 65</i>
<i>Rule 66</i>	<i>Rule 66</i>
<i>Rule 67</i>	<i>Rule 67</i>
<i>Rule 68</i>	<i>Rule 68</i>

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<sup>1</sup> The heading reflects that in the 49th edition of *Basic documents*.

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<b>VOTING IN PLENARY MEETINGS</b>	
<i>Rule 69</i>	<i>Rule 69</i>
<i>Rule 70</i>	<i>Rule 70</i>
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Rule 71	Rule 72
Rule 72	Rule 73
–	Rule 74 <sup>1</sup>
Rule 73	Rule 75
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Rule 75	Rule 77
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Rule 82	Rule 84
<b>CONDUCT OF BUSINESS AND VOTING IN COMMITTEES AND SUBCOMMITTEES</b>	
Rule 83	Rule 85
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<b>LANGUAGES</b>	
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<b>RECORDS OF THE HEALTH ASSEMBLY</b>	
Rule 90	Rule 92
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<sup>1</sup> This Rule reflects Rule 72 bis adopted by the Seventy-second World Health Assembly through decision WHA72(23) (2019).

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BUDGET AND FINANCE	
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EXECUTIVE BOARD	
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Rule 104	Rule 106
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THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL	
Rule 106	Rule 108
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Rule 112	Rule 114
ADMISSION OF MEMBERS AND ASSOCIATE MEMBERS	
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AMENDMENT OF THE CONSTITUTION	
Rule 117	Rule 119
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AMENDMENT AND SUSPENSION OF RULES OF PROCEDURE	
Rule 119	Rule 121
Rule 120	Rule 122

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