Appointment of the Regional Director for Africa

1. The present appointment of Dr Luis Gomes Sambo as Regional Director for Africa expires on 31 January 2015.

2. At its sixty-fourth session, the Regional Committee for Africa, in accordance with the provisions of Article 52 of the Constitution of the World Health Organization, and with Rule 52 of its own Rules of Procedure, nominated Dr Matshidiso Rebecca Moeti as Regional Director for Africa and adopted the following resolution:¹

   The Regional Committee,
   
   Considering Article 52 of the WHO Constitution; and
   
   In accordance with Rule 52 of the Rules of Procedure of the Regional Committee for Africa,
   
   1. NOMINATES Dr Matshidiso Rebecca Moeti as WHO Regional Director for Africa;
   
   2. REQUESTS the Director-General to propose to the Executive Board the appointment of Dr Matshidiso Rebecca Moeti for a five-year term with effect from 1 February 2015.

ACTION BY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD

3. The Board may wish to consider the above resolution of the Regional Committee for Africa in accordance with the provisions of Article 52 of the Constitution, and of Rule 48 of the Rules of Procedure of the Executive Board.

4. Further, the Board is invited in this connection to consider the following draft resolution:

   The Executive Board,
   
   Considering the provisions of Article 52 of the Constitution of the World Health Organization;
   
   Considering also the nomination made by the Regional Committee for Africa at its sixty-fourth session,

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¹ Resolution AFR/RC64/R1.
1. APPOINTS Dr Matshidiso Rebecca Moeti as Regional Director for Africa as from 1 February 2015;

2. AUTHORIZES the Director-General to issue to Dr Matshidiso Rebecca Moeti a contract for a period of five years from 1 February 2015, subject to the provisions of the Staff Regulations and Staff Rules.