

Human resources for health and implementation of the outcomes of the United Nations' High-Level Commission on Health Employment and Economic Growth

Draft decision proposed by France and South Africa

The Executive Board, having noted the report on Human resources for health and implementation of the outcomes of the United Nations' High-Level Commission on Health Employment and Economic Growth¹ decided:

- (1) to welcome the report of the High-Level Commission on Health Employment and Economic Growth that was presented in September 2016 at the United Nations General Assembly and at the High-Level Ministerial Meeting on Health Employment and Economic Growth that was convened in December 2016;
- (2) to request the Director-General to finalize, by the time of the Seventieth World Health Assembly, in collaboration with ILO and OECD and in consultation with Member States, the five-year action plan 2017–2021 supporting the implementation of the recommendations of the High-Level Commission on Health Employment and Economic Growth;
- (3) to request the Director-General to submit the five-year action plan for consideration and possible adoption by the Seventieth World Health Assembly;
- (4) to further request the Director-General, in consultation with Member States, to ensure that measures be adopted forthwith, focusing on the key recommendations of the report of the High-Level Commission on Employment and Economic Growth, including the development of intersectoral plans and investment in transformative education, promoting decent job creation in the health and social sectors and mutual benefit from international mobility of health workers.

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¹ Document EB140/17.