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## Ministry of Health & Family Welfare Government of India

## **Committee B**

Agenda 19.3: Scale of assessments 2024-2025

Agenda 19.4: Amendments to the Financial Regulations and Financial Rules

## Thank you Chair,

India may like to raise the following concerns regarding the WHO Scale of Assessments for 2024-2025:

- There is a need to ensure that the scale of assessments is based on the principle of equity and fairness, where the contribution of each member state is proportional to its ability to pay.
- The programs and activities that are being funded through the WHO budget should be aligned with the country's priorities and needs.
- The WHO budget allocation and utilization should be in a transparent and accountable manner, with appropriate mechanisms in place to monitor and evaluate the impact of programs and activities.

•	There is a need to ensure that the funds are disbursed in a timely manner to support the implementation of health programs and activities at the national level.
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