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## COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

## First Report

The Committee on Credentials met on 4 May 1954.

Representatives of the following Members were present: Australia, Chile, Finland, Germany, India, Italy, Lebanon, Liberia, Mexico, the United States of America, Venezuela and Yemen.

Dr. Fernando Garcia-Oldini (Chile) was elected Chairman, and Dr. Harold M. Erickson (USA), Rapporteur.

The committee examined the credentials deposited by the delegations taking part in the Health Assembly.

The credentials presented by the delegations listed below were found to be in order, thus entitling these delegations to take part in the work of the Health Assembly, as defined by the Constitution of the World Health Organization. The committee therefore proposes that the Health Assembly should recognize the validity of the credentials presented by the following delegations:

Afghanistan, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Burma, Cambodia, Ceylon, Chile, China, Cuba, Denmark, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, the Federal Republic of Germany, Finland, France, the Hashemite Kingdom of the Jordan, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Iraq, Iran, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Laos, Lebanon, Liberia, Luxembourg, Mexico, Monaco, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Norway, Pakistan, Panama, Paraguay, the Philippines, Portugal, Saudi Arabia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Syria, Thailand, Turkey, the Union of South Africa, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the United Kingdom of Libya, the United States of America, Venezuela, Viet-Nam and Yugoslavia; Morocco - French and Spanish Zones, Southern Rhodesia and Tunisia (Associate Members).

Notifications from Canada, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Haiti, Peru, the Republic of Korea, Uruguay and Yemen, giving the composition of their delegations, state that credentials are being forwarded and the committee therefore recommends to the Health Assembly that these delegations be recognized with full rights in the Health Assembly pending the arrival of their credentials.