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Assessment of new Members and Associate Members

Assessment of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia

Report by the Director-General

1. After admission as a new Member of the United Nations, the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia became a new Member of WHO with effect from 28 November 2000.
2. Consequently, the Health Assembly must establish the rate of assessment for the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia for the years 2000-2001.
3. The principle, established in resolution WHA8.5, and confirmed in resolution WHA24.12, is that the latest available United Nations scale of assessments should be used as a basis for determining the scale of assessments to be used by WHO.
4. The United Nations scale for the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia has been fixed at 0.026% for the year 2000 and 0.020% for the year 2001.
5. In accordance with past practice, the Director-General recommends that the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia should be assessed at a rate of 0.026% for the financial year 2000, and at 0.020% for the financial year 2001, and that the assessment for 2000 should be reduced to two-twelfths, reflecting the fact that Yugoslavia became a Member in November 2000.

ACTION BY THE HEALTH ASSEMBLY

6. The Health Assembly may wish to consider the adoption of a resolution along the following lines:

The Fifty-fourth World Health Assembly,

Noting that the United Nations General Assembly, in resolution 55/5, established the assessment of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia at the rate of 0.026% for 2000 and of 0.020% for 2001;

Recalling the principle established in resolution WHA8.5, and confirmed in resolution WHA24.12, that the latest available United Nations scale of assessments should be used as a basis for determining the scale of assessments to be used by WHO,

DECIDES:

- (1) that the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia shall be assessed at an annual rate of 0.026% for the year 2000;
- (2) that its assessment for the year 2000 shall be reduced to two-twelfths of 0.026%;
- (3) that the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia shall be assessed at an annual rate of 0.020% for the year 2001.

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