

Arrears in payment of contributions: Azerbaijan

The Fifty-fifth World Health Assembly,

Having considered the second report of the Administration, Budget and Finance Committee of the Executive Board on Members in arrears in the payment of their contributions to an extent which would justify invoking Article 7 of the Constitution, with respect to the request of Azerbaijan for the settlement of its outstanding contributions, and the terms of that proposal as set forth in the report of the Director-General to the Administration, Budget and Finance Committee.¹

1. DECIDES to restore the voting privileges of Azerbaijan at the Fifty-fifth World Health Assembly;
2. ACCEPTS that Azerbaijan will pay its outstanding contributions, totalling US\$ 4 194 273, in 10 annual instalments (with a minimum payment of US\$ 100 000 per year) payable in each of the years 2002 to 2011, subject to the provisions of Financial Regulation 6.4, in addition to the annual contributions due during the period;
3. DECIDES that, in accordance with Article 7 of the Constitution, voting privileges will be automatically suspended again if Azerbaijan does not meet the requirements laid down in paragraph 2 above;
4. REQUESTS the Director-General to report to the Fifty-sixth World Health Assembly on the prevailing situation;
5. REQUESTS the Director-General to communicate this resolution to the Government of Azerbaijan.

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¹ Annex 3 of document EBABFC17/2, contained in document A55/26, Annex 1.