

## Arrears in payment of contributions: The Dominican Republic

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 the Dominican Republic 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,<sup>1</sup>

1. DECIDES to restore the voting privileges of the Dominican Republic at the Fifty-fifth World Health Assembly;
2. ACCEPTS that the Dominican Republic should settle its outstanding contributions for the period 1993-2001, totalling US\$ 957 988, in 10 annual instalments as follows:

	US\$
2002	95 788
2003	95 800
2004	95 800
2005	95 800
2006	95 800
2007	95 800
2008	95 800
2009	95 800
2010	95 800
2011	95 800
<b>Total</b>	<b>957 988</b>

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 automatically remain suspended if the Dominican Republic does not meet the requirements laid down in paragraph 2 above;

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<sup>1</sup> Annex 4 of document EBABFC17/2, contained in document A55/26, Annex 1.

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 the Dominican Republic.

Eighth plenary meeting, 17 May 2002  
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