WHO reform: governance

The Seventy-third World Health Assembly, having adopted the written silence procedure through decision WHA73(7) (2020), decided:

(1) that comments and inputs on global strategies, policies and legal instruments such as conventions, regulations and codes, made in line with decision WHA65(9) (2012) on WHO reform, may be understood to include those provided by Member States in the context of technical meetings, informal consultations and other intergovernmental meetings in the regions;

(2) to request that the Director-General systematically include as substantive items on the agendas of meetings of the WHO governing bodies any global strategies or action plans that are scheduled to expire within one year in order to allow Member States to consider whether global strategies or action plans have fulfilled their mandates, should be extended and/or need to be adjusted.

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1 See also document A73/4.