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#### RESOLUTION

# REGIONAL COMMITTEE FOR THE EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN

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**Fiftieth Session** 

Agenda item 13

## FOUNDATION FOR THE STATE OF KUWAIT PRIZE FOR THE CONTROL OF CANCER, CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES AND DIABETES IN THE EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN REGION

The Regional Committee,

Having reviewed the proposed Statutes for the Foundation for the State of Kuwait Prize for the Control of Cancer, Cardiovascular Diseases and Diabetes in the Eastern Mediterranean Region<sup>1</sup>;

Recalling its endorsement of the Regional Consultative Committee's proposal at its Twenty-first session held in May 1997, to agree to the establishment of prizes that may be offered from institutions, governments or persons for significant contributions or for research on priority problems in the Region;

- 1. **PROPOSES** the establishment of a regional foundation prize for the control of cancer, cardiovascular diseases and diabetes in the Eastern Mediterranean Region:
- 2. **CONVEYS** its appreciation to the State of Kuwait for endowing the funds to be used to initiate this prize;
- 3. **APPROVES** the text of the Statutes for the Foundation for the State of Kuwait Prize for the Control of Cancer, Cardiovascular Diseases and Diabetes in the Eastern Mediterranean Region;
- 4. **RECOMMENDS** the establishment of such a Foundation to the 113th session of the Executive Board to be held in January 2004.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Document EM/RC50/10