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EXECUTIVE BOARD

Fifty-third Session

Agenda item 6.4

HEADQUARTERS ACCOMMODATION: FUTURE REQUIREMENTS

(Draft resolution proposed by the Rapporteurs)



The Executive Board,

Considering resolution WHA26.46<sup>1</sup> adopted by the Twenty-sixth World Health Assembly;

Having examined the Director-General's report on future requirements for headquarters accommodation;<sup>2</sup>

Noting the present state of the negotiations with the Swiss authorities in relation to the possible financing of an extension to the headquarters building;

Noting further that, since the adoption of resolution WHA26.46, no decisive factor, or other, has emerged that would justify a resumption in the immediate future of the studies with a view to extending the headquarters building; and

Taking into account the discussions during its current session,

1. NOTES the Director-General's report and transmits it to the Twenty-seventh World Health Assembly;
2. RECOMMENDS to the Twenty-seventh World Health Assembly that any decision on the continuation of the study and the erection of the permanent extension to the headquarters building be deferred for another year; and
3. REQUESTS the Director-General to follow the development of the situation and to report again to the Board at its fifty-fifth session.

<sup>1</sup> Off. Rec. Wld Hlth Org., 1973, No. 209, p. 25.

<sup>2</sup> Documents EB53/23 and EB53/23 Add.1.