The Thirty-eighth World Health Assembly,

Having considered resolution EB75.R4 of the Executive Board and resolution WPR/RC35.10 of the thirty-fifth session of the Regional Committee for the Western Pacific;

Recognizing the need to increase the number of Members from the Western Pacific Region entitled to designate a person to serve on the Executive Board from the current three to four, taking into account the recent increase in the number of Members in the Region and the size of its population;

REQUESTS the Director-General to propose for the consideration of the Thirty-ninth World Health Assembly draft amendments to the Constitution in order to increase the membership of the Executive Board from 31 to 32, so that the number of Members of the Western Pacific Region entitled to designate a person to serve on the Executive Board be increased to four, and to transmit such draft amendments to Members at least six months in advance of their consideration in accordance with the provision of Article 73 of the Constitution.