The Ninth World Health Assembly,

Having discussed the proposal advanced by the Government of Burma for convening a conference in South-East Asia regarding leprosy control; and

Considering the importance of leprosy problems and of national and international activities carried out in different parts of the world,

1. recognizes the advantage of convening a conference such as that proposed by the Government of Burma, for discussion of leprosy control in countries having similar epidemiological, social and administrative problems; and

2. requests the Director-General to study the feasibility of holding such a conference, as an inter-regional activity, in 1958.

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