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FIRST WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY

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12.3.7. Office International d'Hygiène Publique (OIHP)

COMMITTEE ON RELATIONS (Off.Rec.WHO, 10, page 81)

Draft Resolution proposed by the Delegation of the United States.

THE HEALTH ASSEMBLY, taking note of

- a. the Protocol concerning the Office International d'Hygiène Publique, signed on 22 July 1946, and
- b. the decisions taken by the Interim Commission with respect to
 - (1) the transfer to it of the duties and functions of OIHP and
- taking note of the co-operative spirit of OIHP in giving effect to the measures which have been taken in anticipation of the dissolution of OIHP, including the transfer of funds for the purpose of financing certain of the duties which the Interim Commission has been performing on behalf of OIHP, agrees to the continuation by the World Health Organization of the responsibilities which were assumed by the Interim Commission, including the administration of the pension fund, and requests the Director-General to continue such arrangements with OIHP as may be necessary to ensure co-operation in matters of common interest pending the termination of the Rome Agreement of 1907 and the dissolution of OIHP as provided for in the Protocol of July 22, 1946.

The Health Assembly further instructs the Executive Board to maintain the present liaison with OIHP with a view eventually to the transfer of assets and liabilitites of OIHP of the Rome Agreement of 1907. In this connexion, the Executive Board should be guided by the decisions which were taken by the Interim Commission in regard to OIHP and by the resolution which was adopted by the Permanent Committee of OIHP on 31 October, 1946.