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RESOLUTION

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PAHO AWARD FOR HEALTH SERVICES MANAGEMENT AND LEADERSHIP (2017)

THE 160th SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,

Having examined the *Report of the Award Committee of the PAHO Award for Health Services Management and Leadership (2017)* (Document CE160/5, Add. I);

Bearing in mind the provisions of the procedures and guidelines for conferring the PAHO Award for Health Services Management and Leadership, as approved by the 158th Session of the Executive Committee (Resolution CE158.R14 [2016]),¹

RESOLVES:

1. To congratulate the candidates for the PAHO Award for Health Services Management and Leadership (2017) for their professionalism and outstanding work on behalf of their countries and the Region.
2. On the recommendation of the Award Committee, to confer the PAHO Award for Health Services Management and Leadership (2017), upon Dr. Stella Bolaños Varela, of Costa Rica, for her significant professional career and her long-standing commitment to the quality and management of health services at the national level. Dr. Bolaños Varela is recognized for her outstanding contributions in the field of health education, management of health services for the older adult population, and for her leadership in the implementation of people-centered models of care.

¹ The original PAHO Award for Administration was approved by the 18th Pan American Sanitary Conference (Resolution CSP18.R18 [1970]). Subsequent amendments were approved by the 20th Pan American Sanitary Conference (CSP20.R17 [1978]), the 27th Directing Council (CD27.R5 [1980]), the 24th Pan American Sanitary Conference (CSP24.R10 [1994]), and by the Executive Committee at its 124th (CE124.R10 [1999]), 135th (CE135[D6] [2004]), 140th (CE140.R12 [2007]), 146th (CE146.R11 [2010]), and 158th (CE158.R14 [2016]) sessions.

3. To transmit the *Report of the Award Committee of the PAHO Award for Health Services Management and Leadership (2017)* (Document CE160/5, Add. I) to the 29th Pan American Sanitary Conference.

(Sixth meeting, 28 June 2017)