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Assessment of new Members and
Associate Members
Assessment of the Republic of Nauru
Report by the Director-General

Following the admission of the Republic of Nauru to membership of WHO, and until the establishment of a United Nations rate of assessment for the Republic of Nauru by the United Nations General Assembly, the Director-General recommends that the Health Assembly fix a provisional assessment rate for this Member.

1. In accordance with Article 6 of the Constitution, the Republic of Nauru was admitted to membership

of the World Health Organization by the Forty-seventh World Health Assembly on 5 May 1994, subject to

its depositing a formal instrument of acceptance of the WHO Constitution with the Secretary-General of the United Nations.

2. Pending a decision concerning the rate of assessment for this State by the United Nations General

Assembly, on the basis of which the definitive assessment of the Republic of Nauru can be fixed by the

World Health Assembly, the Director-General recommends that the Republic of Nauru be assessed at a

provisional rate of 0.01% for the financial period 1994-1995 and for future financial periods, to be adjusted

to the definitive assessment rate when established by the Health Assembly.

3. When considering the provisional assessment rate for the financial period 1994-1995, the Assembly

will wish to take into consideration resolution WHA22.6 in which the Twenty-second World Health

Assembly decided "that from 1968 new Members shall be assessed in accordance with the practice followed

by the United Nations in assessing new Members for their year of admission".

4. In accordance with this practice, the 1994 instalment of the 1994-1995 assessment of the Republic of

Nauru should be reduced to seven-twelfths of 0.01%.

5. In the light of the above considerations, the Health Assembly may wish to consider the adoption of

' a resolution along the following lines:

The Forty-seventh World Health Assembly,

Noting the admission of the Republic of Nauru to membership in the Organization;

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Recalling that the Twenty-second World Health Assembly, in resolution WHA22.6, decided that from 1968 new Members shall be assessed in accordance with the practice followed by the United Nations in assessing new Members for their year of admission,
DECIDES:

(1) that the Republic of Nauru shall be assessed for the financial period 1994-1995 and for future financial periods at a rate to be fixed by the Health Assembly, as and when an assessment rate for this country has been established by the United Nations General Assembly;

(2) that the Republic of Nauru shall be assessed at the provisional rate of 0.01% for the financial period 1994-1995 and for future financial periods, to be adjusted to the definitive assessment rate when established by the Health Assembly;

(3) that the 1994 instalment of the assessment shall be reduced to seven-twelfths of 0.01%.