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Date and Place of Seminar

As stated in Information Bulletin No.1, the Seminar on Health Education of the Public will be held in Teheran from 28 October to 9 November 1958. The meetings of the Seminar will be held in the University Club, University of Teheran.

Discussions

Copies of the Provisional Agenda have been distributed to all participants so far nominated. There will be an opportunity for all participants to contribute to the discussions outlined in the Agenda, and it is hoped that the various aspects of health education will be approached from a practical and constructive point of view.

Nominations of Government Participants

The following participants in the Seminar have so far been nominated:

CYPRUS : Dr. J.H.C. Clarke, Director of Medical Services
 ETHIOPIA : Ato Johannes Tseghe, Adviser, Ministry of Health
 Ato Hailu Sebsibe, Health Educator, Ministry of Health
 FRENCH : Le Médecin-Commandant Constant, Ministère de la Santé
 SOMALILAND : Publique et des Affaires Sociales

- IRAN : ~~Dr. Hadi Montavazi, Chief, Trachoma Control Section~~
Mrs Shukran
Dr. Saïd Moatameni, Chief, Hospital Administration

Mr. Abolmadjd Hojjati, Acting Chief, Health Education Division

Mr. Tophich Ghafouri, Health Educator

Mr. Johanguir Hedayat, Chief, Educational Plans Health Section,
Seven Years Plan
- IRAQ : Dr. Nimat AL-Chokhachi, Health Education Services, Ministry
of Health

Dr. Shabender, Ministry of Health
- JORDAN : Mr. Muawiya El-Khalidi, Chief, Health Education Section,
Ministry of Health
- LEBANON : Dr. F. Saade, Chef du Service de la Médecine Préventive

Mr. A. El-Khalil, Educateur Sanitaire
- PAKISTAN : Dr. Akhtar Hussein Awan, Principal Medical Tuberculosis
Officer, Directorate of Health Services, West Pakistan

Dr. Akbaruddin Ahmed, Assistant Director, Public Health,
East Pakistan
- SAUDIA ARABIA - *Dr Mes'ed*
- SUDAN : Mr. Khalafalla Babikir El-Bedri, Chief Public Health Inspector

Mr. Sayed Abdel Gadir Yousif, Director, Ministry of Social
Affairs

Mr. Mustafa Ahmed El Baroudi, Assistant Curator of the
Graphic (Health) Museum, Khartoum

Mr. Sayed Abdel Rahman Deab, Assistant Province Education
Officer, Khartoum
- TUNISIA : Dr. Mustapha Ben Salem, Médecin-Inspecteur, Chargé de
l'Education Sanitaire au Secrétariat d'Etat à la Santé
publique

Mr. Habib Omar, Section Education sanitaire
- UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC (Egyptian Province) : Dr. Mokhtar El Shereif, Deputy Director, Department of Social
Hygiene

Dr. Kamal Abdel Razzak, Director of Public Health Education
Section, Ministry of Health

Dr. Ibrahim Missak, Director of Training, Qalyub Demonstration
& Training Centre

Dr Hanié Ammeé ?????

Replies are still awaited from the Governments of Saudi Arabia, ~~Tunisia,~~

Morocco and Turkey.

The Government of Greece has nominated:

Dr. Paul D. Kapalas, Director, Public Health Education
Ministry of Social Welfare, Athens

and the Government of Afghanistan has nominated:

Dr. Amir Mohammad, Health Educator,
Ministry of Public Health

Nomination of Representatives and Observers

The following nominations have been received from the international and inter-governmental agencies, and private organizations, invited to be represented:

United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization:
Mr. Colin Ewers, Chief of the UNESCO Technical Assistance Mission, Iran

United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East:
Mr. Shawqi Ali Hasna, Health Educator, UNRWA, Beirut, Lebanon

Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations:
Miss Doreen Low, Nutritionist

The League of Arab States:
Dr. N. Nabulsi, Deputy-Director, Social and Health Affairs Department

The Red Lion and Sun Society, Iran (Representing the League of Red Cross Societies):
Dr. Ali Mohammad Samari, Professor, Faculty of Medicine, University of Teheran

The Rockefeller Foundation:
Dr. Guy S. Hayes, Assistant Director for Medical Education and Public Health, Baghdad

American University of Beirut:
Mr. Thomas H. Gray, Assistant Professor, Public Health Education

Arabian American Oil Company:
Mr. Mitchell V. Owens, Health Educator, Dhahran

Nominations are still awaited from The Secretary-General of the United Nations; The United Nations Children's Fund; The International Union for Health Education of the Public; and, The United States International Cooperation Administration.

Faculty Staff

In addition to staff listed in the first Bulletin, Dr. Anne Burgess, formerly Deputy-Director, Central Council for Health Education, will also act as a WHO temporary adviser.

Documents & Library

The working paper on Health Education in the Region is under preparation. Contributions for this document have so far been received from Aden, Cyprus, Ethiopia, French Somaliland, Iraq, Jordan, Lebanon, Tunisia, Sudan and the United Arab Republic (Egyptian Province).

A small reference library will also be set up at the site of the Seminar for use by participants.

Subsistence Allowance

For the period of their attendance at the Seminar, those participants not resident in Teheran will receive a daily subsistence allowance in Iranian rials equivalent to US \$18. The EMRO Administrative Services Officer will make the first payment of this allowance to participants arriving at the University Club on the first day of the Seminar. For those participants arriving in Teheran or before 27 October, it will be arranged as far as possible to make an advance payment of the allowance at their hotels.

Travel and Hotel Reservations

Participants from Governments have already been contacted by the EMRO Administrative Services Officer about their travel arrangements. In view of fact that the opening meeting will be at 0900 hours on 28 October, it is requested that participants arrange to arrive in Teheran by 27 October at the latest in order to facilitate arrangements.

If the questionnaire on hotel requirements has not yet been sent by individual participants to the EMRO Administrative Services Officer, kindly fill in the attached copy and return to the address in Teheran stated in the heading. This should be done with the utmost speed, if hotel arrangements are to be satisfactorily made.