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**REGIONAL SEMINAR ON RECENT TRENDS
IN TUBERCULOSIS CONTROL**

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Karachi, 23 - 30 October 1975

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PROVISIONAL AGENDA

- I OPENING OF THE SEMINAR**
- II ELECTION OF OFFICERS - Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Rapporteur**
- III ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**
- IV WHO POLICY IN TUBERCULOSIS CONTROL:**
 - Recommendations of the WHO Expert Committee on Tuberculosis
- V THE PRESENT SITUATION IN TUBERCULOSIS CONTROL IN THE REGION**
- VI THE DEVELOPMENT/IMPROVEMENT OF NATIONAL TUBERCULOSIS CONTROL PROGRAMMES**
 - 1. TECHNICAL PROGRAMME COMPONENTS**
 - (a) Prevention and BCG: Epidemiological, technical, administrative and evaluation considerations.
 - (b) Detection: Diagnostic methods and recent contributions of epidemiological research.
 - (c) Treatment: Recent chemotherapy findings and their application in programmes.
 - 2. OPERATIONAL PROGRAMME COMPONENTS**
 - (a) Planning and organization: The tuberculosis programme as a part of Basic Health Services.
 - (b) Programme implementation: Personnel and their training.
 - (c) Programme evaluation: The methods used.
 - (d) Non-governmental support: The role of other agencies and community participation.
- VII FIELD VISITS**
- VIII SUMMARY REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS**
- IX CLOSING SESSION**