EM/RC49/R.5 EVALUATION REPORT OF THE JOINT GOVERNMENT/WHO PROGRAMME REVIEW MISSIONS IN 2001

The Regional Committee,

Having considered the report of the Regional Director on the Joint Government/WHO Programme Review Missions (JPRMs) for the biennium 2002–2003 carried out during 2001¹;

- 1. **THANKS** the Regional Director, staff of the Regional Office and all nationals involved in joint programme review missions at country level;
- 2. Affirms that the Joint Government/WHO Programme Review Mission continues to be a valid instrument for the development of operational plans at country level;
- 3. Welcomes the introduction of results-based management in programme planning and budgeting;
- 4. **URGES** Member States to:
 - 4.1 Develop the country cooperation strategy–a medium term strategy for technical cooperation;
 - 4.2 Adopt results-based management in programme planning and budgeting;
 - 4.3 Build national capacity in strategic planning and improve monitoring and evaluation of results;

5. **REQUESTS** the Regional Director to:

- 5.1 Continue to support national capacity-building in strategic planning and results-based management in programme planning and budgeting;
- 5.2 Expedite the process of preparation of the Joint Programme Review Missions.

¹ Document EM/RC49/6