RESOLUTION No. 30

Designation of OIE Collaborating Centres

CONSIDERING THAT

- 1. The OIE's *Basic Texts* provide the Terms of Reference, designation criteria, and internal rules for OIE Collaborating Centres,
- 2. The Terms of Reference of each of the four elected OIE Specialist Commissions include the responsibility to examine applications from Members relating to the designation of new OIE Collaborating Centres with activities corresponding to the Commission's area of expertise,
- 3. All OIE Collaborating Centres applications are assessed by the appropriate OIE Specialist Commission using standardised criteria that include: the institution's ability, capacity and readiness to provide services; the scientific and technical standing of the institution concerned at the national and international levels; the quality of its scientific and technical leadership including internationally recognised expertise; the institution's prospective stability in terms of personnel, activity and funding; and the technical and geographical relevance of the institution and its activities to OIE's programme priorities,
- 4. Details of the applicant institutions that have been assessed by a Specialist Commission are published in the reports of the meeting of the Commission,
- 5. All Collaborating Centre applications are assessed by the corresponding Regional Commission and endorsed by the OIE Council,
- 6. Proposals for a major change in an OIE Collaborating Centre follow the same procedure,
- 7. Article 4 of the Internal Rules for OIE Reference Centres states that "Applications endorsed by the Council shall be presented to the Assembly for approval",

THE ASSEMBLY

RESOLVES

To designate the following new OIE Collaborating Centres and add them to the list of OIE Collaborating Centres (available on the OIE web site):

OIE Collaborating Centre for Detection and Identification in Humans of Emerging Animal Pathogens and Development of Tools for their Diagnoses

Institut Pasteur, Paris, FRANCE

OIE Collaborating Centre for Health of Marine Mammals

Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale del Piemonte Liguria e Valle d'Aosta (IZSPLVA), Italian National Reference Centre for Diagnostic Activities in Stranded Marine Mammals (C.Re.Di.Ma.), Torino, ITALY

University Research Institute of Animal Health and Food Safety (IUSA-ULPGC), University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria (ULPGC), Atlantic Center for Cetacean Research (ACCR), Arucas Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, SPAIN

OIE Collaborating Centre for Animal Welfare

Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale dell'Abruzzo e del Molise "G. Caporale" (IZSAM), Teramo, ITALY

Swedish Centre for Animal Welfare (SCAW), Faculty of Veterinary Medicine and Animal Science, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Uppsala, SWEDEN

OIE Collaborating Centre for Risk Analysis and Modelling

The Royal Veterinary College (RVC), Royal College Street, London, UNITED KINGDOM Animal and Plant Health Agency (APHA), Woodham Lane, New Haw, Addlestone, Surrey, UNITED KINGDOM

OIE Collaborating Centre for Emerging Aquatic Animal Diseases

Centre for Environment, Fisheries and Aquaculture Sciences (CEFAS), The Nothe, Dorset, UNITED KINGDOM

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