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CORRIGENDUM TO THE SUMMARY RECORD OF THE SIXTY-FOURTH MEETING

Held at Lake Success, New York
on Tuesday, 7 March 1950, at 10:30 a.m.

Page 5, paragraph 2.

This paragraph should read as follows:

"Dr. FORREST (World Health Organization) said that recommendations regarding streptomycin had been prepared by the Joint Streptomycin Conference, while standardization was done through the expert committees of WHO, and these findings were reported to various interested organs, including UNICEF."

Page 17, paragraph 6.

This paragraph should read as follows:

"Dr. FORREST (World Health Organization) said that there were three WHO officials employed on full-time duties at the European headquarters of UNICEF. At least three other senior officials were employed outside these headquarters. There were a number of officials employed in part-time work servicing UNICEF programmes in regional offices and elsewhere."

Page 18, paragraph 1.

In 1949 some \$400,000 of the UNRRA grant of \$1,000,000 had been authorized for expenditure, and had been spent upon projects sanctioned by the Joint Committee on Health Policy. That figure included a substantial sum for the BCG Research Programme in Copenhagen, which, as was well known, was a long-term research programme arising out of the joint enterprise for mass BCG vaccination. For the current

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year that would cost some \$225,000. In addition to that amount WHO had allocated during 1949 substantial sums for other projects directly sanctioned by the Joint Committee on Health Policy, or in support of UNICEF programmes. The Second World Health Assembly had authorized the Director-General to spend up to \$400,000 of the UNRRA grant on such projects during 1950. From that it was clear that about \$200,000 would remain for expenditure in 1951, and he believed that WHO intended to ask its Assembly to reserve that sum to provide for part, at least, of the continuing expenditure necessary for evaluating the results of the work of the joint enterprise in BCG. In addition to the sums which had been allocated from the UNRRA grant, WHO had already spent large sums from its own resources in implementing UNICEF programmes, and it had always been WHO's policy to finance the provision of such technical services from its own resources so far as possible. The programmes that had just been approved by the Board were not envisaged at the time the 1950 Budget of WHO had been drawn up and it was, therefore, impossible for that reason, if for no other, to provide for them. A full statement on the use made of the UNRRA grant would be made available.