DRAFT RESOLUTION No. 28

Amendments to the WOAH Aquatic Animal Health Code

CONSIDERING THAT

1. The content of the WOAH Aquatic Animal Health Code (the Aquatic Code) is the result of modifications made by the World Assembly of Delegates during previous WOAH General Sessions;

2. It is necessary to update the Aquatic Code in accordance with amendments proposed by the WOAH Aquatic Animal Health Standards Commission (Annexes 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39 of Document 91 GS/Tech-06), after consultation with the World Assembly of Delegates.

THE ASSEMBLY

RESOLVES

1. To adopt the updates to the Aquatic Code proposed in Annexes 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39 of Document 91 GS/Tech-06 in English, French and Spanish, each text being authentic;

2. To adopt the updates to the Aquatic Code proposed in Annex 8 of Document 91 GS/Tech-06 in English, French and Spanish, each text being authentic, with the following modifications:

2.1. In Annex 8 (Chapter 1.3. ‘Diseases Listed by WOAH’)
   a) Replace ‘the genogroups of the virus species infectious spleen and kidney necrosis virus’ with ‘Megalocytivirus pagrus 1’.

3. To ask the Director General to publish the adopted texts in a revised edition of the Aquatic Code with appropriate numbering and formatting.