

STATUTORY MEETINGS WITHIN THE MOVEMENT

(Geneva, October 1989)

The seventh session of the General Assembly of the League of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies took place in Geneva from 21 to 26 October 1989. The delegates from 144 National Societies who attended the Assembly elected Dr. Mario Villarroel as President of the League. Dr. Villarroel is President of the Venezuelan Red Cross Society and has served as acting President of the League since 1987. The Assembly also elected the League's eight Vice-Presidents, the 16 members of the Executive Council and the Treasurer General.

A full account of the General Assembly will appear in the January-February 1990 issue of the Review.

The Agreement between the International Committee of the Red Cross and the League of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies, replacing the 1969 Agreement specifying the respective functions of the two organizations and the 1974 Interpretation of that Agreement, came into force on 23 October 1989, the date on which it was approved by the League General Assembly (the ICRC Assembly having approved it on 5 October).

The full text of the Agreement, which exists in English, French, Spanish and Arabic, will appear in the January-February 1990 issue of the Review.

The Movement's Council of Delegates met on 26 and 27 October 1989. The resolutions it adopted appear on pages 000-000 and a full account of the proceedings will be given in the next issue of the Review.