APPROVAL OF ACTION PLAN 2019-2023

(Adopted at the First Plenary Session, held on October 31, 2019)

THE DIRECTING COUNCIL,

HAVING SEEN:
The Action Plan 2019-2023, submitted by the Director General of the Inter-American Children’s Institute (IIN) to the 94th Regular Meeting of the Directing Council, in compliance with paragraph d) of Article 26 of the Institute’s Statutes;

HAVING TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT

The resolutions CD/RES. 02 (91-R/16); CD/RES. 04 (92-R/17); CD/RES. 08 (93-R/18) and CD RES. 07 (94-R19), by means of which the Directing Council adopted the management reports submitted by the Director General of the IIN with regard to Action Plan 2015-2019, which provided an account of the implementation of said plan;

CONSIDERING:

That the primary purpose of the IIN, as a specialized agency of the OAS with technical autonomy in the planning and realization of its objectives, is to cooperate with the Governments of the Member States in promoting the development of comprehensive proposals in the normative and programmatic dimensions, with Human Rights, Gender Equality and Integral Protection approach, which guarantees the promotion, protection and exercise of the human rights of children in the region;
That the Action Plan should provide continuity, within the framework of the new strategic vision of the OAS, the processes that it develops in compliance with the mandates received by the corresponding bodies of the OAS and the IIN; and, that it must take into account the needs of all of the sub-regions of the Americas;

The commitment of the IIN and its Member States with regard to the comprehensive policies for the promotion, protection and exercise of children’s human rights;

The active participation of the IIN Member States in the elaboration of the proposal of the 2019-2023 Action Plan, as well as all the contributions made by the children and civil society organizations which have been consulted,

RESOLVES:

1. To adopt Action Plan 2019-2023 submitted by the Director General of the IIN.

2. To instruct the Director General of the IIN to send to member States no later than April 1 the Action Plan with the inclusion of the input made at the 94th Regular Meeting of the Directing Council of the IIN.

3. To instruct the Director General to proceed with its immediate implementation and the presentation of progress reports during the Regular Meetings of the Directing Council.

4. To approve the programmed activities for 2020, which were presented and reviewed, in the frame work of this new Action Plan, by the Directing Council.

5. To urge Member States to contribute to the implementation of the Action Plan adopted herein.

6. To charge the office of the Director General of the IIN with disseminating the adopted Action Plan widely, so that other government and international organizations, as well as other stakeholders may become aware of it.