RECOGNITION OF DR. SARA OVIEDO FIERRO, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD

(Adopted at the Fourth Plenary Session, held on October 28, 2016)

THE DIRECTING COUNCIL,

RECALLING:

That the Directing Council, at its 87th Regular Meeting held in San José Costa Rica in 2012, took note of the candidacy of Dr. Sara Oviedo Fierro to the Committee on the Rights of the Child proposed by the Government of Ecuador;

That in session of December 18th, 2012 the States Parties to the Convention elected Dr. Sara Oviedo Fierro as a member of the Committee on the Rights of the Child for the 2013-2017 period;

BEARING IN MIND:

That on February 28th, 2017 the statutory period for which Dr. Sara Oviedo Fierro was elected will conclude;

That Dr. Sara Oviedo Fierro in her capacity as Vice Chair of the Committee on the Rights of the Child has promoted coordination between that body and the Inter-American Children's Institute (IIN), an action which served to strengthen the rights based perspective in the region,

RESOLVES:

1. To express appreciation for and commend the work done by Dr. Sara Oviedo Fierro in the Committee on the Rights of the Child as Vice President, highlighting her contributions from the perspective of the Americas, as well as the work done to enhance the relationship between the Committee on the Rights of the Child and the Inter-American Children’s Institute (IIN).