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Recommendation of the Executive Director for an
Apportionment for a Continued and Expanded Malaria Control Programme

Corrigendum

Page 1, paragraph 1: Substitute \$350,000 for \$300,000, so that this paragraph reads as follows:

"1. In this paper the Administration recommends, subject to the availability of funds, an apportionment to Iran of \$350,000 from the Eastern Mediterranean Area allocation for the purchase by UNICEF of DDT and vehicles for the continuation and expansion of the country-wide malaria control programme which was started in 1950 and is expected to continue to 1960, by which time control will be maintained on a minimum basis of treating special areas. The request to UNICEF for aid is for a one year period".

Page 5, paragraph 14, last sentence: Substitute "59 additional vehicles" for "32 additional vehicles", so that the sentence reads as follows:

"59 additional vehicles are needed to maintain the present ratio of vehicles to persons to be protected".

Page 10, paragraph 29: Change UNICEF commitments to read as follows:

	US \$
"1. DDT 417 tons of 75% water dispersible at a total cost of	220,000
2. 59 vehicles	123,000
3. Contingencies	7,000
Total: US \$	<u>350,000</u>

Page 13, paragraph 43, sub-paragraph a): Substitute \$350,000 for \$300,000 so that the paragraph reads as follows:

"The Administration recommends, subject to the availability of funds:

- a) the apportionment to Iran of \$350,000 out of the Eastern Mediterranean Area allocation for the provision of vehicles and insecticides to assist the Government to continue its anti-malaria campaign through 1954;
- b) that the Administration be authorized to approve a plan of operations as outlined above, after review by the head of the WHO Malaria Section.

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Note by the Executive Director

Since this recommendation was circulated to the Executive Board, additional information has been received as to the requirements of transport for the campaign on the basis of which the Administration recommends that the allocation originally recommended for transport be increased and the total of the apportionment raised from \$300,000 to \$350,000.

The Administration had based its original recommendation on the assumption that the number of vehicles used in the 1953 campaign was 103, the same number as is shown in paragraph 14 of the recommendation as being available in 1954. It has now been established that in fact 204 vehicles were in use in the 1953 campaign (some of them for shorter periods than the whole year) and that the minimum total number of vehicles required for the accomplishment of the 1954 programme is 160. There are, as already reported, 103 vehicles now in service, of which 8 are worn beyond repair. It is proposed to transfer 6 vehicles from the UNICEF-aided BCG campaign to the anti-malaria campaign, leaving 59 additional new vehicles as the minimum requirement for which UNICEF help is sought, rather than 32 as originally calculated.