ACTION PLAN 2015-2019
INTER-AMERICAN CHILDREN’S INSTITUTE

(Adopted at the fifth plenary session, held on November 25, 2014)

THE DIRECTING COUNCIL,

HAVING SEEN:

The Action Plan 2015-2019 submitted by the Director General of the Inter-American Children’s Institute (IIN) to the 90th Regular Meeting of the Directing Council, in compliance with paragraph d) of Article 26 of the Institute’s Statutes;

CONSIDERING:

The resolutions CD/RES.02 (87-R/12); CD/RES.02 (88-R/13); CD/RES.02 (89-R/14); CD/RES.02 (90-R/15), by means of which the Directing Council adopted the management reports submitted by the Director General of the IIN with regard to Action Plan 2011-2015, which provided an account of the implementation of said plan;

That the overarching purpose of the Institute, as an OAS Specialized Organization that operates autonomously with regard to planning and fulfilling its objectives, includes cooperating with the governments of the member states in promoting the development of public policies that ensure the promotion and protection of children’s rights and the improvement of living conditions for children in the Americas through a family and community-based approach;

That the Action Plan should provide continuity to the processes which are being put into operation in compliance with the mandates received from the Summit of the Americas, the agencies of the OAS and the Institute, through its Directing Council and the Pan American Congress, as well as the new strategic vision of the OAS;

That the Action Plan should 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 [consolidation] of comprehensive policies for the promotion and protection of child rights;

The importance of facilitating partnerships with other organizations to ensure the effective
implementation of the Action Plan and to avoid the duplication of existing efforts;

The work carried out by the President and the Vice-President of the Directing Council in the coordinated and collaborative development of Action Plan 2015-2019;

The active participation of the IIN’s member states in the development of Action Plan 2015-2019,

RESOLVES:

1. To adopt Action Plan 2015-2019 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 December 15th, 2015 the Action Plan with the inclusion of the input made in the fourth plenary session of the 90th 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 urge member states to contribute to the implementation of the Action Plan adopted herein.

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