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COMIBAM INTERNATIONAL NAMES THE NEW EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Buenos Aires, Argentina, March 2009- - - After many months of prayer, conversations and the confirmation from God for the election of a new Executive Director, a position currently held by Jesús Londoño, the Executive Board would like to announce the name of the next Director that will take up this position in the International Assembly in Bogotá- Colombia.

After a consensus and following a spiritual process, the official invitation was extended to our brother in Christ Decio de Carvalho, to consider the position for Executive Director of COMIBAM International.

Decio de Carvalho, Brazilian, currently living in Puerto Rico, with his wife and three children, has accepted this great challenge of continuing with this mission. In his own words he has expressed: *"...Personally I feel like Moses when he received the impossible mission and felt limited to accomplish it. He, in obedience, accepted the calling of the Lord, and through His grace, strength and direction, succeeded at an immense task. In this same way, my family and I have decided to obey and accept this new role. We do it with complete confidence that we are serving the same God, faithful and powerful. We also understand that through this mission we are joining a great community of disciples and servants of the Lord, profoundly committed with God and his Great Commission"*.

His twenty years experience as a missionary as well as his work in the missionary movement inside and outside his country, have made him an ideal candidate to take on this role. Today, Decio serves as the executive director of RECOMI (Puerto Rico Network Missionary Cooperation).

The next step will be that our current executive director, Jesús Londoño, holds an induction process during these months until he takes full responsibility of the role in November 2009, in the International Assembly meeting.

Jesús will remain linked to the Iberoamerican movement in a different role with the international initiative called: "Back to Europe Movement" and also collaborating with some projects with COMIBAM International.

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