

RESOLUTION ON THE
ADMISSION OF NEW STATES

The Council of Ministers of the Organization of African Unity, meeting in its Twenty-Fifth Ordinary Session in Kampala, Uganda, from 18 to 25 July 1975,

Noting the application for OAU Membership submitted by the People's Republic of Mozambique, Cape Verde Islands, Comoro Islands and the Democratic Republic of Sao Tome and Principe, in conformity with Article IV of the Charter paying homage to the peoples of these states for the sacrifices made for the attainment of national liberation,

Considering the pledges made by the states of People's Republic of Mozambique, Republic of Cape Verde Islands, Comoro Islands and Democratic Republic of Sao Tome and Principe to adhere to the principles enshrined in the OAU Charter and to work for the achievements of the objectives therein;

Having heard the proposals by the Heads of Delegation of Mauritius, Sierra Leone, Burundi and the Kingdom of Morocco;

1. **UNANIMOUSLY** decides and by acclamation to admit as Members of the OAU, the following States:
 - The People's Republic of Mozambique
 - The Republic of Cape Verde
 - The Republic of Comoro
 - The Democratic Republic of Sao Tome and Principe

2. **EXPRESSES** warm congratulations to the new Member States on the valiant victories scored and for their accession to national independence.