CM/Res. 571(XXIX)

SPECIAL RESOLUTION ON THE SEARCH OF FUNDS FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF FOOD SUPPLIES TO CHAD FROM AFRICAN PORTS OF DISEMBARKATION UP TO THE AREA OF DISTRIBUTION

The Council of Ministers of the Organization of African Unity meeting in its Twenty- Ninth Ordinary Session in Libreville, Gabon, from 23 rd June to 3 July, 1977,

**Considering** the disastrous effects of drought in some African Countries;

**Considering** the relevant recommendations in document CM/837 (XXIX) of the fifth Ordinary Session of the OAU Ad-Hoc Committee on Drought and Other Natural Disasters in Africa;

**Considering** THE REQUEST SUBMITTED BY THE Republic of Chad to the OAU to search for necessary funds to finance the transportation of food supplies intended for 1976-1977 drought victims;

**Recalling** paragraph 3 of Resolution CM/540 (XXVIII):

1. **NOTES WITH CONCERN** the particularly difficult situation created by the drought in Chad;
2. **REQUESTS** the Secretary-General of the OAU to contact international organizations like the United Nations and others for financial assistance estimated at 4,000,000 US dollars, needed for routing food supplies donated to the Republic of Chad as emergency aid.