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RESOLUTION ON A SYMPOSIUM TO DRAW UP A DRAFT INFORMATION CHARTER

The Council of Ministers of the Organization of African Unity meeting in its Thirtieth Ordinary Session in Tripoli, Libya from 20 to 28 February, 1978,

**Noting** with satisfaction the outcome of the First Ordinary Session of the Conference of African Ministers of Information which met from 7th to 11th November 1977 in Kampala, Uganda and endorsing the “Declaration on the establishment of Pan -African News Agency”;

**Welcoming** the establishment of an Inter-Governmental Council of Ministers of Information to study and follow up questions relating to the launching of t he Pan-African News Agency;

1. **TAKES NOTE** of the recommendation of the Conference of African Ministers of Information to organize a symposium to draw up a draft Information Charter on the basis of the Kampala Declaration;
2. **INVITES** the Administrative Secretary-General to submit a detailed document with financial implications to the Thirty-first Ordinary Session of the council of Ministers for examination.