

**RESOLUTION ON THE PROGRESS OF THE PROPOSED  
SETTING-UP OF A CONFERENCE OF AFRICAN INTER-  
CONVENTIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

The Council of Ministers of the Organization of African Unity, meeting in its Thirty-Second Ordinary Session in Nairobi, Republic of Kenya, from 23 February to 4 March, 1979,

**Having studied** the Report of the Administrative Secretary-General on the proposed setting-up of a Conference of African Inter-Governmental organizations, Doc. CM/953 (XXXII);

**Recalling** the various OAU resolutions on the setting-up of sub-regional economic groupings in Africa;

**Desirous** of obtaining as fully as possible information on the implications of the setting-up of a Conference of African Inter-Governmental Organizations, its institutionalization and running;

**Aware** of the needs for these African Inter-Governmental Organizations to hold regular consultations with one another in order to harmonize their programmes of work among themselves on the one hand and with the OAU on the other;

1. **TAKES NOTE** of the Progress Report presented by the Administrative Secretary-General on the proposed setting-up of a Conference of African Inter-Governmental Organizations;
2. **REAFFIRMS** the contents of Resolution CM/Res. 495 (XXVII) of the Twenty-Seventh Ordinary Session;
3. **REQUESTS** the OAU Administrative Secretary-General

- a) to submit to the Thirty-Fourth Ordinary Session of the Council of Ministers, a report analysing new developments regarding co-operation with Inter-Governmental Organizations as well as the implications of the setting-up, the institutionalization and running of a Conference of African Inter-Governmental Organizations;
  
- b) to convene the Conference of Inter-Governmental Organizations as soon as financial arrangements are made.