

**DECISION ON THE APPOINTMENT OF THE DIRECTOR GENERAL
OF AFRICA CDC**

The Assembly,

1. **TAKES NOTE** of the report and recommendations of the Committee of Heads of State and Government of the Africa CDC on the selection of the Director General of the Africa CDC;
2. **RECALLS** its Decision **Assembly/AU/Dec.835(XXXV) of February 2022** that granted Africa CDC the status of an autonomous institution of the African Union and to be led by a Director General as the Chief Executive Officer;
3. **FURTHER RECALLS** Decision **EX.CL/Dec.1169(XLI) adopted by the Executive Council in July 2022**, which adopted the revised Statute of Africa CDC and requested the Commission to accelerate the recruitment of the Director General of Africa CDC at SP3 grade;
4. **COMMENDS** the Governing Board of the Africa CDC and the African Union Commission for facilitating the selection process of Director General of the Africa CDC following the due process as outlined in the revised Statute;
5. **DECIDES** to appoint with immediate effect **Dr Jean Kaseya of the Democratic Republic of Congo** as the Director General of the Africa CDC for a mandate of four (4) years.