

**DECISION ON THE PROPOSAL BY H.E. PAUL KAGAME,
PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF RWANDA TO DESIGNATE THE ALLIANCE
FOR GREEN REVOLUTION IN AFRICA (AGRA) AS
A SPECIALIZED AGENCY OF THE AFRICAN UNION**

The Assembly,

1. **TAKES NOTE** of the call by H.E. Mr. Paul Kagame, President of the Republic of Rwanda, and supported by H.E. Mr. Lazarus Chakwera, President of the Republic of Malawi, to consider designating the Alliance for a Green Revolution in Africa (AGRA) as a Specialized Agency of the African Union (AU);
2. **EXPRESSES** deep concern over the persistent food insecurity on the continent, the slow pace of food systems transformation and the urgency needed to address food insecurity and malnutrition in Africa;
3. **APPLAUDS** the complementary work that AGRA is doing in supporting AU Member States to transform their food systems in order to improve their food security and nutrition outcomes;
4. **REQUESTS** the Commission to initiate the due process to designate AGRA a Specialized Agency of the AU and report to the Assembly in the February 2024.