## **RESOLUTION ON AN ALL-AFRICAN TRADE FAIR**

The Council of Ministers of the Organization of African Unity, meeting in its Ninth Ordinary Session in Kinshasa, Congo, from 4 to 10 September 1967,

<u>Having</u> discussed the problems that Africa is facing in the realm of Trade and their impact on Economic Development in Africa (vide document CM/168 Part 3);

Noting that there is a vast potential, and that great possibilities exist for fostering intra-African trade to the mutual benefit of our States;

<u>Believing</u> that this potential for intra-African trade can be immediately developed by concerted efforts to exchange facts, ideas and existing resources for intra - African trade;

<u>Further believing</u> that an All-Africa Trade Fair offers the best forum for exchange and dissemination of information on intra-African trade:

INVITES the Assembly of Heads of State and Government to direct the OAU Administrative Secretary-General to organize an All-Africa Trade Fair as soon as possible.