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RESOLUTION ON SABOTAGE

AND HIGHJACKING OF CIVIL AIRCRAFT

The Council of Ministers of the Organization of African Unity, meeting in its Fourteenth Ordinary Session in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, from 27 February to 6 March 1970,

Having heard the declaration made by the Foreign Minister of Ethiopia regarding the repeated sabotage and hijacking of civil aircraft thereby endangering the safety of passengers,

Conscious of the disastrous consequences resulting from such criminal acts to international air travel,

1. CONDEMNS all attempts and acts of hijacking and sabotaging of civil aircraft;
2. CALLS UPON all States to undertake strict measures to protect civilian air travel from being endangered;
3. APPEALS to all States to apprehend and punish such criminals in order to ensure the safety of international air travel.