

**DECISION ON THE ACTIVITY REPORT OF THE AFRICAN CAPACITY
BUILDING FOUNDATION (ACBF)**

The Executive Council,

1. **CONGRATULATES** ACBF for its work of Capacity development for African countries and organizations and **ADOPTS** its report with its recommendations;
2. **CALLS ON** the AUC and ACBF to strengthen collaboration in particular on the feasibility study on the African Manufacturing Institute (AMI);
3. **DIRECTS** the ACBF to contribute to the study on the establishment of the African Credit Rating Agency;
4. **EXPRESSES** its deep concern over the non-implementation by the AUC of its previous decisions on the budget of ACBF, strongly **REITERATES** its decision EX.CL/1160 of February 2022; and **REQUESTS** the AU Commission to implement without delay existing decisions made on the ACBF's Budget (EX.CL/Dec.1073, 1107, 1126) in order to allow the ACBF to implement its mandate;
5. **FURTHER REITERATES** its decision EX.CL/1160 of February 2022, by which it **URGES** the AU Commission to champion the development of ACBF's Strategic Plan for the period 2023-2027; and **DIRECTS** the Commission to work with the ACBF for convening the Donors Conference for the ACBF 2023-2027 Strategic Plan due to take place in mid-2023;
6. **REQUESTS** the Commission to strengthen its collaboration with the ACBF;