

**RESOLUTION ON THE WORLD CONFERENCE TO REVIEW AND  
APPRAISE THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE UNITED NATIONS  
DECADE FOR WOMEN: EQUALITY, DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE**

The Council of Ministers of the Organization of African Unity, meeting in its Forty-fourth Ordinary Session in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, from 21 to 26 July 1986,

**Having considered** the report of the Secretary-General contained in document CM/1396 (XLIV) on the World Conference to Review and Appraise the Achievements of the United Nations Decade for Women: Equality, Development and Peace,

**Bearing in mind** the provisions of resolutions CM/Res.714 (XXXII), CM/Res.876 (XXXXVII) and CM/Res.991 (XLII) as adopted by the Thirty-second, Thirty-seventh and Forty-second Ordinary Sessions of the Council of Ministers,

**Convinced** that the present economic situation of the Continent, and the use of all of Africa's human resources constitute the basis of our development policies,

**Seriously concerned** by the deterioration in the food situation in Africa,

**Recognizing** the essential role played by women in African economies and in food production,

**Deeply concerned** by the blatant repression and acts of aggression perpetrated by the racist regime of Pretoria as well as the insecurity and deteriorating situation in South Africa and Namibia,

**Nothing with interest** the provisions of the Arusha Forward Looking Strategies for the Advancement of Women in Africa beyond the United Nations Decade for Women:

**1. TAKES NOTE of the report of the Secretary-General contained in**

**Document CM/1396 (XLIV) and ENDORSES the decisions and  
recommendations contained in the [THE REST OF THE RESOLUTION IS  
MISING FROM THE ORIGINAL TEXT]**