

**DECISION ON THE NON-AGGRESSION AND  
COMMON DEFENCE PACT**

**The Executive Council:**

- 1. TAKES NOTE** of the reports of the First and Second meetings of Government Experts and the recommendations of the Third meeting of the African Union Ministers of Defence;
- 2. NOTES** that there were two decisions of the Extraordinary Summit Session held in Sirte, Libya, having the same references which has been circulated, and [that] this led to the confusion in the understanding of the Council, regarding the Decision of the Heads of State and Government on the Draft on Non-Aggression and Common Defence Pact;
- 3. REQUESTS** the Assembly of Heads of State and Government to clarify their decision taken in Sirte, Libya in February 2004.