

**ACHPR/Res.38 (XXV) 99: RESOLUTION ON THE DESIGNATION OF A SPECIAL RAPPORTEUR ON THE RIGHTS OF WOMEN IN AFRICA**

*The African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights, meeting at its Twenty-Fifth Ordinary Session, in Bujumbura, Burundi, 26 April – 5 May 1999,*

**Recalling** the United Nations Convention on the Elimination of all Forms of Discrimination against Women;

**Recalling further** the provisions of article 18.3 of the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights;

**Referring** to the provisions of article 45.1(a) of the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights;

**Recognising** the need to place particular emphasis on the problems and rights specific to women in Africa;

**Recalling further** the decision taken by the Commission at its 23<sup>rd</sup> Ordinary Session, held in Banjul (The Gambia) to designate Mrs. Julienne Ondziel-Gnelenga to the post of Special Rapporteur on the Rights of Women in Africa;

**DESIGNATES** Mrs .Julienne Ondziel-Gnelenga to the post of Special Rapporteur on the Rights of Women in Africa for a period of two years, subject to renewal, with effect from 31<sup>st</sup> October 1998.