***ACHPR/RES.98(XXXIX)06:* RESOLUTION ON THE APPOINTMENT OF A COMMISSIONER AS MEMBER OF THE WORKING GROUP ON INDIGENOUS POPULATIONS/COMMUNITIES IN AFRICA**

*The African Commission on Human and Peoples’ Rights, meeting in its 40th Ordinary Session held in Banjul, The Gambia, from 15 to 29 November 2006,*

***Considering*** that at its 28th Ordinary Session held in Cotonou, Benin in October 2000, the African Commission on Human and Peoples’ Rights adopted a Resolution on the Rights of Indigenous Populations/Communities in Africa providing for the establishment of a Working Group and defining its mandate;

***Recalling*** the Resolution of the African Commission on Human and Peoples’ Rights on the Adoption of the Report of the Working Group on Indigenous Populations/Communities in Africa, taken at its 34th Ordinary Session held in Banjul, The Gambia, from 6 - 20 November, 2003 on the composition of the Group and specifying its mandate;

***Bearing in mind*** the Resolution on the Composition and the Renewal of the Mandate of the Working Group on Indigenous Populations/Communities in Africa**,** taken at the 38th Ordinary Session held in Banjul, The Gambia from 21 November - 5 December, 2005;

***Taking into consideration*** the intensification of the activities of the Working Group and the need to boost its composition;

1. **APPOINTS** Commissioner **Mumba Mallila** as Member of the Working Group on Indigenous Populations/Communities in Africa.