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RESOLUTION ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RESOLUTION ON THE DE-NUCLEARIZATION OF AFRICA

The Council of Ministers of the Organization of African Unity, meeting in its Fifty-sixth Ordinary Session in Dakar, Senegal, from 22 to 28 June 1992,

Recalling Resolution AHG/Res.11 (I) on the De-nuclearization of Africa adopted by the OAU Assembly of Heads of State and Government in Cairo in 1964,

Reaffirming its precious Resolution CM/Res.3 (I), CM/Res.28 (II), CM/Res.718 (XXXIII), CM/Res.1101 (XLVI) Rev.1 and CM/Res.1342 (LIV) on general disarmament and de-nuclearization of Africa,

Bearing in mind the relevant resolutions of the United Nations on the issue, particularly Resolutions 1652 (XVI) and 46/34 B on the Implementation of the Declaration on the De-nuclearization of Africa,

Convinced that the development in the regional and international situation is conducive to the implementation of this Declaration as soon as possible:

1. DECIDES that the Inter-Governmental Group (IGG) of Experts established by Resolution CM/Res.1342 (LIV) be composed of: Algeria, Cameroon, Egypt, Ethiopia, Mauritius, Namibia, Nigeria, Senegal, the Sudan, Togo, Zaire and Zimbabwe and that this Group which is open to experts from all Member States is requested to consider the report of the United Nations Experts on the modalities and elements for the preparation of a convention or a treaty on the de-nuclearization of Africa;

2. DECIDES to convene a joint IGG, United Nations Group of Experts Meeting to draw up a draft treaty or convention to be sent to Member States for observations and comments before the Fifty-eighth Ordinary Session of the Council of Ministers;

3. REQUESTS the UN Secretary-General to provide the OAU with all the assistance that it could ask, so as to enable it to convene the meeting of the IGG and the joint meeting of the two Groups within the framework of voluntary contributions of the United Nations for the World Disarmament Campaign;

4. REQUESTS the Secretary-General of the OAU to take every step to implement this resolution.