<u>DECISION ON THE PROGRESS REPORT ON AIDS WATCH AFRICA (AWA)</u> (Doc. Assembly/AU/6 (VI))

The Assembly:

- **1. TAKES NOTE** of the Progress Report and the AIDS Watch Africa (AWA) Strategic Framework contained therein;
- 2. **WELCOMES** the decision to allocate each of the AWA Heads of State and Government a specific responsibility to spearhead in advocacy to combat HIV/AIDS in Africa:
- **3. ALSO WELCOMES** the emphasis in the Strategic Framework on promotion of Universal Access to Prevention, Treatment and Care as well as the crisis of orphans and vulnerable children;
- **4. URGES** Heads of State and Government to intensify efforts to maximize the visibility of AWA as an advocacy platform;
- **5. REQUESTS** the Commission to coordinate and monitor the implementation of the AWA Strategic Framework, and to annually report to the Ordinary Session of the Assembly on progress made.