

**DECISION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN AFRICAN EDUCATION,
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY FUND**

The Assembly:

1. **TAKES NOTE** of the decision of the Executive Council on the Establishment of an African Education, Science and Technology Fund;
2. **AUTHORIZES** the establishment of an African Education, Science and Technology Fund;
3. **REQUESTS** the AU Commission and the African Development Bank to expedite the creation of the Fund by 2009.