

**DECISION ON THE DATES OF TICAD VII MINISTERIAL
MEETING AND SUMMIT**

The Executive Council,

1. **TAKES NOTE** of the proposed dates by the Japanese side;
2. **ENDORSES** the dates of 6 to 7 October 2018 for the TICAD VII Ministerial Meeting to be preceded by the Senior Officials' Meeting (SOM), on 5 October 2018, in Tokyo, Japan;
3. **RECOMMENDS** to the Assembly to endorse the dates of 28 to 30 August 2019 for the TICAD VII Summit preceded by the Ministerial Preparatory Meeting on 27 August 2019 in Yokohama, Japan;
4. **REQUESTS** the Commission, in collaboration with the PRC, to commence the relevant preparations of the said Ministerial meeting in accordance with the relevant Assembly and Executive Council decisions on the organization of the partnership meetings.