

RESOLUTION ON THE SPECIAL EMERGENCY
ASSISTANCE FUND FOR DROUGHT AND FAMINE IN AFRICA

The Assembly of Heads of State and Government of the Organization of African Unity, meeting in its Twenty-first Ordinary Session in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, from 18 to 20 July, 1985,

Recalling its Resolution AHG/Res. 133 (XX) by which it established the Special Emergency Assistance Fund for Drought and Famine in Africa,

Taking note of Resolutions CM/Res. 962 (XLI) and CM/Res. 1006 (XLII) by which the Council of Ministers set up the operational and administrative arrangements for the immediate commencement of the operation of the Special Fund;

Having considered the text of the Draft Statute of the Special Emergency Assistance Fund – for Drought and Famine in Africa contained in Document CM/1335 Annex I:

1. **ADOPTS** the Statute of the Special Emergency Assistance Fund for Drought and Famine in Africa;
2. **EXPRESSES APPRECIATION** to all the Member States and non-African Governments which have made or pledged contributions to the Special Fund;
3. **APPEALS** to other Member States, African institutions, as well as non-African Governments and institutions to contribute generously to the Special Fund for the effective amelioration of drought and famine in Africa;
4. **REQUESTS** the Secretary-General to publicize the existence of the Fund as widely as possible, and to make periodic progress reports on its status to the Council of Ministers.

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