

**RESOLUTION ON THE RATIFICATION OF THE CONVENTION ON THE
ESTABLISHMENT OF THE MULTI-NATIONAL PILOT AND AIRCRAFT
MAINTENANCE TECHNICIANS TRAINING CENTRE IN ADDIS ABABA,
ETHIOPIA AND MVENGUE, GABON**

The Council of Ministers of the Organization of African Unity, meeting in its Thirty-seventh Ordinary Session in Nairobi, Kenya from 15 to 26 June 1981,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Specialized Agencies contained in Document CM/1120 (XXXVII) Part IV,

Recalling Council Resolution CM/Res. 568 (XXIV) and CM/Res.655 (XXXI) on the establishment of Multinational Pilot and Aircraft Maintenance Technicians Training Centres in Africa,

Further recalling Resolution No. 4-3 adopted by AFCAC on the establishment of Multinational Pilot and Aircraft Maintenance Technicians Training Schools in Africa,

Noting that the convention establishing a Multinational Pilot Training Centre in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia and Mvengue, Gabon, was signed by some Member States in 1978 and 5 September 1980 respectively,

Realizing that the application of the Convention require ratification by Member States:

1. **URGES** all Member States that have not signed the Convention to do so and to take urgent measures to ratify it;

2. **EXPRESSES its appreciation to UNDP for the financial assistance given for the establishment of the centres and appeals to other International Financing Institutions to extend similar assistance;**

3. **REQUESTS the Secretary-General to follow up the appeal made above and to report on the implementation of this Resolution to the Thirty-ninth Ordinary Session of the Council.**