RESOLUTION ON INTEGRATED FOUTA DJALLON PROJECT

The Council of Ministers of the Organization of African Unity, meeting in its Fortieth Ordinary Session in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia from 27 February to 5 March 1984,

<u>Having studied</u> the report of the Secretary-General a.i. concerning the project for the Integrated Development of the Fouta Djallon Highlands,

<u>Recalling</u> its Resolution CM/Res.756 (XXXIII), Rev. 1 and CM/Res.811 by the Thirty-third and Thirty-fifth Sessions of the OAU Council of Ministers,

<u>Considering</u> the progress made so far with regards to the implementation of the Fouta Djallon Project by the OAU Secretariat, UNDP, UNSO, FAO and UNESCO,

<u>Noting with appreciation</u> the commendable efforts and the positive contribution made by the Government of the People's Revolutionary Republic of Guinea, to facilitate and accelerate the implementation of this very important project,

<u>Convinced</u> of the advantages which would accrue from the realization of the Fouta Djallon Project for the Development of the West African Sub-region in particular, and Africa in general:

- 1. ADOPTS the Experts' Report and all the recommendations contained in the Document CM/1214 (XL) Rev.1;
- APPROVES the establishment in Labe, People's Revolutionary Republic of Guinea of the International Co-ordination Office for the Fouta Djallon Projects as an in-put of the OAU;

- 3. AUTHORIZES the Secretary-General to sign the Project Document so as to enable immediate implementation of the project by UNDP, UNSO, FAO and other interested international organizations;
- FURTHER AUTHORIZES the Secretary-General to formalize and strengthen co-operation with International Organizations, specially UNDP, UNSO, FAO, UNESCO and UNEP which are parties to the Fouta Djallon Project.