**DECISION ON THE REPORT OF THE INTERIM CHAIRPERSON ON THE CONFERENCE  
ON ELECTIONS, DEMOCRACY AND GOOD GOVERNANCE  
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**The Assembly:**

**1. TAKES NOTE** of the Report of the Conference;

**2. COMMENDS** the Government of South Africa for hosting the Conference;

**3. WELCOMES** the Communique of the Conference on Elections, Democracy and Good Governance held in Pretoria, South Africa, from 7-10 April 2003;

**4. UNDERSCORES** the importance and role of democracy and good governance in economic and social development and **REAFFIRMS** the commitments of the Union in this respect;

**5. DIRECTS** the Commission to transmit to Member States the Communique and the other conclusions of the Pretoria Conference for consideration and comments.

**6. ENCOURAGES** Member States to study and implement the provision of the Communique and Conclusion of the Conference.