**DECISION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF “A COUNCIL ON THE FUTURE OF THE UNION”  
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**The Assembly:**

**1. TAKES NOTE** of the presentation made by President Aboudoulaye WADE of Senegal on the establishment of a “Council on the Future of the Union”;

**2. CONGRATULATES** President Aboudoulaye WADE on this initiative;

**3. APPROVES** the principle of the establishment of such a Council;

**4. MANDATES** the Chairperson of the Commission to work out the modalities for the implementation of this initiative and submit to its next session proposals regarding the status, mandate, functioning and composition of this Council.