

**DECISION ON THE 2018 ACTIVITY REPORT OF THE AFRICAN  
COURT ON HUMAN AND PEOPLES' RIGHTS  
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**The Executive Council,**

- 1. TAKES NOTE** of the Activity Report of the African Court on Human and Peoples' Rights (the Court) for the period 1 January to 31 December 2018;
- 2. CONGRATULATES** the Republic of Tunisia on the successful hosting of the 51<sup>st</sup> Ordinary Session, held in Tunis, Tunisia, from 12 November to 7 December 2018;
- 3. RECOMMENDS** the Draft Framework for the implementation of judgments of the Court to the STC on Justice and Legal Affairs, for consideration, prior to its submission to the Executive Council;
- 4. TAKES NOTE** of the Court's request to suspend the establishment of a Trust Fund for the Court pending the outcome of the All Institutional Reform Process;
- 5. URGES** the Commission to take all necessary measures in conformity with previous Executive Council Decisions to operationalize the Legal Aid Fund in 2019, and to this end, **ENCOURAGES** all Member States of the Union as well as other relevant human rights stakeholders on the continent, to make generous voluntary contributions to the Fund to ensure its sustainability and success;
- 6. URGES** Member States which are yet to ratify the Protocol on the Establishment of the Court to do so, and **CALLS UPON** State Parties to deposit the Declaration required under Article 34 (6) allowing individuals and NGOs to bring cases before the Court;
- 7. REQUESTS** the Court to report at the 36<sup>th</sup> Ordinary Session of the Executive Council in February 2020, on the implementation of this Decision.