

DECISION ON THE REFORM OF THE UN SYSTEM
AND THE SECURITY COUNCIL

The Assembly meeting in its Fifth Extraordinary Session in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia on 31st October 2005;

1. **TAKES NOTE** of the Report of the Committee of Ten (10);
2. **CONGRATULATES** the Committee of Ten (10) for the work it has done and the progress made in advancing the African Common Position on the Reform of the United Nations and the Security Council;
3. **REAFFIRMS** the African Common Position as embodied in the Ezulwini Consensus and the Sirte Declaration and Resolution;
4. **STRESSES** the importance for Africa to remain united in the process of the reform of the United Nations and the Security Council in particular;
5. **MANDATES** the Follow-up Mechanism as expanded to submit, at the appropriate time, a Resolution on the Common African Position as embodied in the Sirte Declaration and Resolution, to the General Assembly of the United Nations for adoption and to continue to present, canvas, advocate and seek support for the African Common Position with all the other regions of the world within the framework of the Ezulwini Consensus and the Sirte Declaration and Resolution;
6. **REQUESTS** the Follow-up Mechanism to keep the Chairperson of the African Union informed of its progress.