

**DECISION ON THE DRAFT PROTOCOL TO THE AFRICAN CHARTER ON HUMAN AND
PEOPLES' RIGHTS RELATING TO THE RIGHTS OF WOMEN**

The Assembly:

1. **TAKES NOTE** of the recommendations of the Executive Council;
2. **ADOPTS** the Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights relating to the Rights of Women;
3. **APPEALS** to all Member States to sign and ratify this important instrument in order to ensure its speedy entry into force.