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**DECISIONS, DECLARATIONS, MESSAGE OF
CONGRATULATIONS AND MOTION**



**DECISION ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF A ROADMAP AND
PLAN OF ACTION FOR MICRO-FINANCE IN AFRICA
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The Assembly:

1. **TAKES NOTE** of the Report of the Extraordinary Conference of African Ministers of Economy and Finance (CAMEF), held in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, on 14 January 2009;
2. **FURTHER TAKES NOTE** of the Study on Development of a Roadmap and Plan of Action for Micro-Finance in Africa;
3. **ENDORSES** the recommendations of the Extraordinary Conference of CAMEF on Development of Micro-Finance in Africa;
4. **REQUESTS** the Commission to deepen the study on Development of a Roadmap and Plan of Action for Micro-Finance in Africa, and draw on Member States' experiences in this area;
5. **ALSO REQUESTS** the Commission to undertake a feasibility study on the creation of a Guarantee Fund for development of micro-finance in Africa.

