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RESOLUTION No. 1/36-AF

**ON THE REPORT OF THE GENERAL SECRETARIAT ON THE
STATUS OF THE ARREARS OF MANDATORY CONTRIBUTIONS OF
THE MEMBER STATES**

The Council of Foreign Ministers in its thirty-sixth session (Session of Enhancing Islamic Solidarity), held in Damascus, Arab Republic of Syria from 28th Jumadul Azwal to 1st Jumadu Thani 1430H (23rd to 25th May 2009),

Having considered the report of the General Secretariat on the status of the arrears of the mandatory contributions of the member states towards its budgets as of 30th April 2009;

Having considered the fact that a good number of defaulting member states have benefited from the incentives offered by Resolution No. 1/10-AF(IS) prior to its final expiry on December 31, 2007 and the subsequent adoption of applying certain measures against the defaulters as of 1st January 2008;

Pursuant to the recommendations of the 37th Session of the Permanent Finance Committee;

Urges the member states to pay their respective mandatory contributions towards the budgets of the General Secretariat and the Subsidiary Organs for the financial year 2009 and, for the defaulting member states, to settle their arrears so as to enable those organs to carry out their tasks.

RESOLUTION No. 2/36-AF

ON THE AUTHORIZATION TO THE 38TH PFC TO APPROVE THE BUDGETS OF 2010 OF THE GENERAL SECRETARIAT OF THE OIC AND ITS SUBSIDIARY ORGANS AS WELL AS ALL FINANCIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE ISSUES REFERRED TO IT.

The Council of Foreign Ministers in its thirty-sixth session (Session of Enhancing Islamic Solidarity), held in Damascus, Arab Republic of Syria from 28th Jumadul Azwal to 1st Jumadu Thani 1430H (23rd to 25th May 2009),

Taking into consideration the recommendations of the Senior Officials Meeting Preparatory to the 36th Council of Foreign Ministers on the General Secretariat's request to the 36th CFM to authorize the 38th PFC to approve the proposed budgets of the General Secretariat of the OIC and its subsidiary organs for the financial year 2010 as well as all financial and administrative issues referred to it;

Recalling the Financial Regulations of the OIC, according to which the CFM has the authority to decide on the budget and other financial and administrative issues proposed by the Permanent Finance Committee (PFC);

Acknowledging once more the extreme need for the rescheduling of the annual Council meetings to the fourth quarter of the year which would give sufficient time for the OIC General Secretariat and its Subsidiary Organs to prepare their proposed annual budgets for the Council's approved.

Cognizant to this avoidable situation that the General Secretariat & its Subsidiary Organs are helpless to resolve it;

DECIDES to grant to the 38th PFC an exceptional mandate to examine and approve, on behalf of the Council, the proposed budgets of the General Secretariat of the OIC and its subsidiary organs for the financial year 2010. The exceptional mandate covers other financial and administrative issues.