## Resolution

## Adopted by the Emergency Meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers of the Member States of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation (OIC) on the Houthi-Saleh Militias Launching of a Ballistic Missile towards Makkah Al-Mukarramah

## 17 Safar 1438 A.H. (corresponding to 17 November 2016) Makkah Al-Mukarramah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

The emergency meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers of the Member States of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation (OIC-CFM) held in Makkah Al-Mukarramah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, on 17 Safar 1438 A.H. (corresponding to 17 November 2016),

- Proceeding from the principles and objectives enshrined in the OIC Charter, particularly those relating to non-interference in the domestic affairs of Member States and the respect for the sovereignty, independence and territorial integrity of each Member State;
- Reaffirming the OIC Member States' commitment to enhance their unity and solidarity as well as to promote mutually beneficial relations to maintain peace, security and stability, and prosperity among the OIC Member States and beyond in line with the spirit of Islam as Rahmatan lil Alamin (i.e. mercy for the universe).
- Recalling the vicious aggression by Houthi-Saleh militias which launched a ballistic missile towards the Holy Mosque in Makkah Al-Mukarramah, the prayer direction of Muslims and cradle of revelation, on Thursday 26 Muharram 1438 A.H. (corresponding to 27 October 2016);
- Recalling paragraph 33 of the Final Communiqué of the 13<sup>th</sup> Islamic Summit Conference held in Istanbul, Republic of Turkey, and the resolution 46/43-Pol adopted by the 43<sup>rd</sup> session of the Council of Foreign Ministers, held in Tashkent, Republic of Uzbekistan;

## **Decides to:**

1. Adopt the communiqué of the Executive Committee held at the ministerial level at the OIC headquarters in Jeddah on 5 November 2016 which called

on Member States to stand united against this heinous aggression and those behind it, who support its perpetrators with arms, as an established accomplice in the aggression on the holy sites of the Muslim world, an obvious party seeking to sow dissent and fuel sectarian discord, and a key sponsor of terrorism.

- 2. Constitute a working group of the member States in the Executive Committee to consider taking urgent practical steps to ensure non-recurrence of such vicious aggressions.
- 3. Address a message by the Executive Committee in the name of OIC Member States to the United Nations to take necessary international actions that would ensure that such vicious aggressions on Makkah Al-Mukarramah and other Islamic holy lands are not repeated.
- 4. Invite the OIC Secretary General to implement this resolution and inform the CFM of the outcomes as soon as possible.

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