

**RESOLUTION ON HALF-DAY SPECIAL MEETING ON “SELECTED ITEMS ON THE
AGENDA OF THE INTERNATIONAL LAW COMMISSION”
(Deliberated)**

The Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization at its Fifty-First Session,

Having considered the Secretariat Document No.AALCO/51/ABUJA/2012/S 1;

Having heard with appreciation the introductory statement of the Secretary-General and the views expressed by the Chairperson and the Panelists and the statements of the Member States during the Special Half-Day Meeting on “Selected Items on the Agenda of the International Law Commission” jointly organized by the Government of Federal Republic of Nigeria, International Law Commission (ILC) and AALCO held on 20 June 2012 at Abuja, Nigeria;

Having followed with great interest the deliberations on the item reflecting the views of Member States on the work of the International Law Commission (ILC);

Expressing its appreciation for the statement made by the Representative of the ILC on its work;

Recognizing the significant contribution of the ILC to the codification and progressive development of international law;

Also Recognizing the outstanding contribution of the Special Rapporteurs in preparation of Guide to Practice on Reservation of Treaties, Draft Articles on the Responsibility of International Organizations, and Draft Articles on Effects of Armed Conflicts on Treaties;

Commending the initiative of the Secretary-General in convening the Inter-Sessional Meeting of Legal Experts to discuss Matters relating to the ILC on 10 April 2012 at AALCO Headquarters, New Delhi, India and the fruitful exchange of views on the items deliberated during that meeting:

1. **Recommends** Member States to contribute to the work of ILC, in particular by communicating their comments and observations regarding issues identified by the ILC on various topics currently on its agenda to the Commission.
2. **Requests** the Secretary-General to continue convening AALCO-ILC meetings in future.
3. **Also requests** the Secretary-General to bring to the attention of the ILC the views expressed by Member States during the Annual Sessions of AALCO on the items on its agenda during its Fifty-First Annual Session, and
4. **Decides** to place the item on the provisional agenda of the Fifty-Second Annual Session.