



**WEST AFRICAN POWER POOL**  
**SYSTEME D'ECHANGES D'ENERGIE ELECTRIQUE OUEST AFRICAIN**

*General Secretariat / Secrétariat Général*

**SECOND SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
THE WEST AFRICAN POWER POOL ORGANISATION**

**DECISION WAPP/20/DEC.26/10/07 RELATING TO RELATING TO  
URGENT SUPPORT TO DISTRESSED MEMBERS OF WAPP**

**The General Assembly**

**CONSIDERING** the Decision A/DEC.5/12/99 of the Authority of the Heads of States and Governments of ECOWAS relating to the establishment of the West African Power Pool (WAPP);

**CONSIDERING** the Decision A/DEC. 18/01/06 of the twenty-ninth summit of the Authority of Heads of State and Government in Niamey on January 12, 2006, relating to the Articles of Agreement for the establishment and functioning of the WAPP.

**CONSIDERING** the Decision A/DEC. 20/01/06 of the twenty-ninth summit of the Authority of Heads of State and Government in Niamey on January 12, 2006, relating to the establishment of the WAPP Secretariat as a specialized institution of ECOWAS.

**RECALLING** the Headquarters Agreement signed between the Republic of Benin and the West African Power Pool Secretariat;

**CONSIDERING** the Articles of Agreement relating to the organisation and functions of the West African Power Pool dated July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2006 in particular Articles 4, 5, and 7;

**CONSIDERING** the Decision WAPP/09/DEC.06/07/06 of the first session of the General Assembly of WAPP in Cotonou on July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2006, approving the Taskforce Reports and Project Concept Documents on Liberia, Sierra Leone, Guinea, Guinea Bissau, and The Gambia;

**DECIDE:**

- Article 1:** The Chairperson of the Executive Board is mandated to undertake an appraisal mission to Liberia, Sierra Leone and Guinea Bissau to assess the situation on the ground, catalogue the scope of urgent assistance required and prioritise the fast track interventions needed.
- Article 2:** The Chairperson of the Executive Board is mandated to urgently engage WAPP Members, the ECOWAS Commission, WAPP Donors and other partners to mobilise all support and means possible for the implementation of the fast track interventions.
- Article 3:** The present Resolution comes into effect upon its signature.
- Article 4:** The Secretary General shall take all necessary measures to ensure the implementation of this Resolution.

**Done in Abuja, Nigeria on this day of October 26<sup>th</sup>, 2007,**

**Chairperson  
Engr. (Dr.) J.O. Makoju**