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of African Trade Promotion Organizations

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CONSTITUTION OF THE ASSOCIATION
OF AFRICAN TRADE PROMOTION ORGANIZATIONS
(Proposed Amendments)

ARTICLE III

Membership

2. Add at end: "provided that a member State shall designate the representative of one of the organizations referred to in this paragraph to exercise the powers of a member State prescribed in paragraph 1 of Article VI".

ARTICLE XI

Deposit and signature

Entire article to be replaced by the following:

1. "This Constitution of which both the English and French texts are equally authentic shall be deposited in two original copies with the Administrative Secretary-General of the Organization of African Unity and shall remain open until 31 December 1974 for signature on behalf of the African States referred to in Article III of this Constitution.
2. "The Administrative Secretary-General of the Organization of African Unity shall transmit copies of this Constitution to all member States and to the Executive Secretary of the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa.

ARTICLE XII

Suspension, withdrawal, and cessation of membership

2. Remove the word "Depositories" at end and add: "to the Administrative Secretary-General of the Organization of African Unity".

ARTICLE XV

Facilities, immunities and privileges

The Host Government in whose territory the headquarters of the Association shall be situated shall grant to officials of the Secretariat, privileges and immunities accorded to all Organization of African Unity and United Nations personnel of comparable rank.

ARTICLE XVI

Final provisions

2. Add at end: "The President of the Association shall immediately notify all members of the Association of any such accession".