THE INTERNATIONAL COFFEE COUNCIL

RESOLVES:

1. To designate the International Coffee Organization as the Depositary for the International Coffee Agreement 2007.

2. To request the Executive Director, in his capacity as chief administrative officer of the International Coffee Organization, to take the necessary steps to ensure that the Organization performs the functions of the Depositary for the 2007 Agreement, in a manner consistent with the 1969 Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties, including but not limited to:

(a) Keeping custody of the original text of the Agreement and of any Full Powers delivered to the Depositary.
(b) Preparing and circulating certified true copies of the original Agreement.
(c) Receiving any signatures to the Agreement, and receiving and keeping custody of any instruments, notifications and communications relating to it.
(d) Examining whether the signature or any instrument, notification or communication relating to the Agreement is in due and proper form.
(e) Circulating acts, notifications and communications relating to the Agreement.
(f) Advising when the number of instruments of ratification, acceptance or approval, or notifications of provisional application, required for the entry or provisional entry into force of the Agreement as set out in Article 42 thereof, have been deposited.
(g) Registering the Agreement with the Secretariat of the United Nations.
(h) In the event of any questions about the performance of the Depositary's functions, bringing the matter to the attention of the signatories and Contracting Parties, or, where appropriate, to the International Coffee Council.