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**Extension of the International Coffee  
Agreement 2007**

### **Background**

1. The Council will consider a draft Resolution extending the time limit for the International Coffee Agreement 2007 which is due to expire on 1 February 2021.
2. Members are invited to send any comments on this draft Resolution to the Executive Director in writing by **21 August 2020**.

### **Action**

The Council is requested to consider and, if appropriate, to approve this draft Resolution.

## **DRAFT RESOLUTION**

### **EXTENSION OF THE INTERNATIONAL COFFEE AGREEMENT 2007**

WHEREAS:

The International Coffee Agreement 2007 is due to expire on 1 February 2021;

Sufficient time is needed for countries to negotiate a new ICA and to complete the procedures for the entry into force of a new Agreement; and

Under the provisions of paragraph (3) of Article 48, the Council may decide to extend this Agreement beyond its expiry date for one or more successive periods not to exceed eight years in total. Any Member which does not accept any such extension of this Agreement shall so inform the Council and the Depositary in writing before the commencement of the period of extension and shall cease to be a Party to this Agreement from the beginning of the period of extension.

THE INTERNATIONAL COFFEE COUNCIL

RESOLVES:

To extend the International Coffee Agreement 2007 for a period of one year from 1 February 2021, in accordance with the provisions of paragraph (3) of Article 48.