

## Article 28

*The existing text is replaced by the following:*

The Maritime Safety Committee shall consist of all the Members.

## Article 31

*The existing text is replaced by the following:*

The Maritime Safety Committee shall meet at least once a year. It shall elect its officers once a year and shall adopt its own Rules of Procedure.

## Article 32

*This Article is deleted.*

*Articles 33 through 63 are renumbered accordingly.*

## **RESOLUTION A.316(ES.V)**

*Adopted on 18 October 1974  
Agenda item 4*

### **WIDER REPRESENTATION IN THE COUNCIL**

THE ASSEMBLY,

RECALLING Resolution A.315(ES.V) adopted unanimously by the fifth extraordinary session of the Assembly of the Organization regarding the increase of the membership and composition of the Council and the opening of the Maritime Safety Committee to all Members,

NOTING FURTHER that a high number of the Members of the Organization is constituted by developing countries and that such fact has not so far been reflected in the composition of the governing bodies of the Organization,

DECLARES that the amendments included in the above-mentioned Resolution were adopted as a recognition of the need of a wider and more equitable representation in the Council of all sectors interested in the work of the Organization, having regard to the increased membership of the Organization and the need to improve the representation of developing countries on the Council.