RESOLUTION A.238(VII)

ADOPTION OF THE REPORTS OF THE
MARITIME SAFETY COMMITTEE

The Assembly,

Taking note of Article 16(i) of the Convention on the Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organization concerning the functions of the Assembly,

Noting further Article 29 of the Convention on the Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organization concerning the duties of the Maritime Safety Committee,

Noting in addition Article 30(b) of the Convention on the Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organization providing that the Maritime Safety Committee shall report to the Assembly on its work since the previous session of the Assembly,

Noting also that, as provided in Article 22 of the Convention on the Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organization, the Council considered the Reports of the Maritime Safety Committee on its twentieth, twenty-first, twenty-second, twenty-third and twenty-fourth sessions and transmitted them to the Assembly,

Having considered those Reports of the Maritime Safety Committee and the comments of the Council on the said Reports,

Recalling that the Assembly at this session has adopted a number of Resolutions which concern certain items of the work of the Maritime Safety Committee,

Expresses its appreciation of the work carried out by the Maritime Safety Committee,

Approves the Reports of the Maritime Safety Committee.

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RESOLUTION A.239(VII)

RECOMMENDATION ON FACILITATION IN
MARITIME TRAVEL AND TRANSPORT

The Assembly,

Convinced that the implementation of the Convention on Facilitation of International Maritime Traffic, 1965, and its Annex and the adoption, on a global basis, of standardized shipping documents as provided in that Annex, will greatly benefit international shipping and trade,

Recalling its Resolutions A.136(V) and A.194(VI) by which it encouraged early acceptance of the Convention on Facilitation of International Maritime Traffic and recommended universal adoption of standardized Model Forms of shipping documentation as developed by the Organization,