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## Resolution adopted by the General Assembly

[on the report of the Sixth Committee (A/59/520)]

## 59/51. Observer status for the Economic Community of West African States in the General Assembly

The General Assembly,

Wishing to promote cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Community of West African States,

- 1. Decides to invite the Economic Community of West African States to participate in the sessions and the work of the General Assembly in the capacity of observer;
- 2. *Requests* the Secretary-General to take the necessary action to implement the present resolution.

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