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DECISION 5(XXIX)

FREQUENCY AND DURATION OF COUNCIL AND COMMITTEE SESSIONS

The International Tropical Timber Council,

Recalling Decisions 4(XXV) relating to Further Strengthening and Streamlining the Work of the Committees, and 4(XXVI) on Frequency and Duration of the Sessions of the Council and Committees;

Noting documents ITTC(XXVI)/11 and ITTC(XXVII)/5 prepared by the Executive Director providing further information on options to facilitate review and reassessment of the issue of frequency and duration of sessions of the Council and Committees;

Welcoming the report ITTC(XXIX)/8 of the Executive Director on the same subject;

<u>Recognizing</u> the importance of continual improvement of efficiency in the functioning of the International Tropical Timber Organization;

Decides to:

- 1. Continue with the current frequency and duration of Council and Committee Sessions; and
- 2. Request the Executive Director to include this item in the agenda of the Thirty-first session for consideration by the Council.

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