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DECISION 11(XXVII)

FREQUENCY AND DURATION OF COUNCIL AND COMMITTEE SESSIONS

The International Tropical Timber Council,

Recalling Decisions 4(XXVI) and 4(XXV) on the frequency and duration of Council and Committee sessions and strengthening and streamlining the work of the Committees,

Also recalling the Executive Director's Preliminary Paper on Options for the "Frequency and Duration of the Sessions of the Council and Committees" [ITTC(XXVI)/11],

Welcoming the Report of the Officer-in-Charge on "Information Needed and Proposed Methodology for the Review and Reassessment of the Frequency and Duration of Council and Committees" [ITTC(XXVII)/5],

Reaffirming the need to improve the work effectiveness and cost efficiency of the Organization,

<u>Decides</u> to request the Executive Director to supplement the information presented in Document ITTC(XXVI)/11 by providing cost estimates of the options contained in the Annex of that document to the Council at its Twenty-eighth Session.

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