ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES

PERMANENT COUNCIL

CP/RES. 288 (403/79)

REQUEST BY THE GOVERNMENT OF GREECE TO ACCREDIT A PERMANENT OBSERVER TO THE ORGANIZATION

THE PERMANENT COUNCIL OF THE ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES;

CONSIDERING:

That by its resolution AG/RES. 50 (I-O/71), the General Assembly established the status of Permanent Observers to the Organization of American States and entrusted the Permanent Council with the task of determining the criteria and timeliness to give effect to this provision and to implement it; and

That in accordance with resolution CP/RES. 52 (61/72), non-American States that participate in programs of the Organization may request the status of Permanent Observer to the OAS in accordance with resolution AG/RES. 50 (I-O/71);

HAVING SEEN the request presented by the Government of Greece that it be granted the benefits referred to (CP/doc. 964/79 corr. 1 and CP/doc. 964/79 add. 1), and the information provided by the General Secretariat reporting that that country has offered to participate in programs of the Organization (CP/CG-1028/79); and

BEARING IN MIND that that country has shown interest in having the Permanent Observer it designates accredited to the various organs, agencies and entities of the Organization,

RESOLVES:

1. To grant the request of the Government of Greece in accordance with the terms of resolution AG/RES. 50 (I-O/71) of the General Assembly resolution CP/RES. 52 (61/72) of this Council.

2. That the Government of Greece may accredit Permanent Observers to the various organs, agencies and entities of the Organization. As regards accreditation to the Specialized Organizations, the provisions of paragraph 7 of resolution CP/RES. 52 (61/72) shall apply.
3. To request the Secretary General to take the steps necessary to implement this resolution.