

**COM/CITEL RES.27 (III-95)**

**TO GRANT AUTHORITY TO THE CITEL SECRETARIAT TO COOPERATE  
WITH THE PROPOSED HEMISPHERIC SEMINAR ON  
VALUE ADDED SERVICES**

The Third Meeting of the Permanent Executive Committee of CITEL (COM/CITEL),

**CONSIDERING:**

That the Summit of the Americas asked that CITEL work to develop regional guidelines for value added services. In response to this mandate, at the PCC.I meeting in Honduras members agreed to create an Ad Hoc Working Group to write guidelines for Value Added Services.

At the September meeting of PCC.I in Washington, the Ad Hoc Working Group on Value Added Services decided to meet during COM/CITEL to begin work. On December 11, in Montevideo, at an informal meeting, the Ad Hoc Working Group on Value Added Services developed a work plan in order to accomplish the objective of developing guidelines for value added services.

In order to reach the objectives of the Summit of the Americas Action Plan a seminar will be held in Miami to bring together government and private sector entities to discuss value added services. All governments and private sector entities from OAS member nations will be invited to present their experiences and participate in the seminar.

The seminar should be conducted with the cooperation of CITEL.

Considering that CITEL cooperation in such an endeavor will not only ensure success of the working group, but will promote associate membership in CITEL,

**RESOLVES:**

1. To give authority to the Executive Secretariat to take the necessary steps to allow the seminar to be held with the cooperation of CITEL.
2. To give authority to the Executive Secretariat to sign any documents that will be necessary to allow CITEL to cooperate.
3. That the organizers will have the cooperation of the CITEL secretariat insofar as it does not incur any financial responsibility or additional expenses.
4. That the CITEL secretariat may authorize use of the CITEL name to the organizers of the seminar, provided the Legal Secretariat of the OAS gives a favorable opinion to this arrangement.