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## CONFERENCE

### Thirty-seventh Session

Rome, 25 June - 2 July 2011

### Proposal to amend Article V.1 of the FAO Constitution submitted by Morocco

1. The proposal to amend Article V.1 of the FAO Constitution contained in the attached letter from the Ambassador of Morocco to FAO and G77 Chairperson, was communicated to the membership through circular letter ref. LEG-81 of 25 February 2011 and through the Permanent Representatives Web site.





The proposed allocation of additional 12 seats is as follows:

Regional Group	New Seats	Rationale
Africa	2	To enhance Regional representation
Asia	2	To enhance Regional representation
Europe	3	To enhance Regional representation
GRULAC	2	To enhance Regional representation
Near East	2	To enhance Regional representation
South-West Pacific	1	To enhance Regional representation
North America	-	This Region already has 100% representation

Please accept, your Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Hassan Abouyoub,  
Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Morocco  
G77 Chairperson



His Excellency  
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