RESOLUTION OF THE ASSEMBLY CONGRATULATING PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA UPON HIS RE-ELECTION AS THE 44TH PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Moved by Hon. Hafsa Mossi and adopted by the Assembly on Wednesday January 30th, 2013

WHEREAS President Barack Obama took oath of office on the 20th day of January 2013 upon his re-election as the 44th President of the United States of America;

NOTING that President Obama has remained steadfast in his efforts to eradicate the threats and acts of terrorism globally and at the same time promoting the peaceful existence of all the nations of the world;

RECOGNISING that during his Presidency, there has been increased collaboration between the United States of America and the East African Community as envisaged by the message of Her Excellency Rebecca Blank, the United States Assistant Secretary of Commerce during the EAC Heads of Summit meeting in Nairobi on November 30th, 2012;

THIS ASSEMBLY DO RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS; TO:

1. Extend its very warm congratulations to H.E. Barack Obama on his re-election as the 44th President of the United States of America.

2. Call upon the East African Community to seize this opportunity to renew its collaboration with the United States government in upholding the values of democracy and to seek development opportunities.
3. Thank the American citizens to have transcended the race issue and elected a politician whom they thought can deliver.

4. Write a letter to President Barack Obama expressing these feelings of the Assembly and to invite him to East Africa.

CERTIFIED BY:

[Signature]

DATE: 31st January 2013

Kenneth Madete
CLERK