



**MINISTERIAL MEETING OF THE NON-ALIGNED
MOVEMENT COORDINATING BUREAU**

**Havana, Cuba
27-30 April 2009**

STATEMENT ON ZIMBABWE

The Ministers of the Non-Aligned Movement recalled their statement on Zimbabwe made at the XV Ministerial Conference in Tehran, Islamic Republic of Iran in July 2008 expressing their support for the resolution of the Zimbabwe situation.

In this regard the Ministers welcomed the signing of the Global Political Agreement (GPA) by the main political parties in Zimbabwe on 15 September 2008 and the formation of the inclusive Government on 13 February 2009, and commended the mediation efforts of Southern Africa Development Community (SADC) in this regard.

The Ministers urged all members of the Movement to support Zimbabwe as it implements its Short Term Economic Recovery Programme (STERP).

The Ministers further urged those states and parties that have imposed the unilateral sanctions against Zimbabwe to lift them in order not to undermine the country's and SADC's efforts to normalize the situation in Zimbabwe