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**DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE FOR THE ADOPTION  
OF THE DRAFT PROTOCOL TO THE CONVENTION  
ON INTERNATIONAL INTERESTS IN MOBILE  
EQUIPMENT ON MATTERS SPECIFIC TO  
SPACE ASSETS**

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**DRAFT RESOLUTION 2**

**RELATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE SUPERVISORY AUTHORITY OF THE  
INTERNATIONAL REGISTRY FOR SPACE ASSETS**

(presented by the UNIDROIT Secretariat as reviewed by the Commission of the Whole  
on 6 March 2012)

THE DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE FOR THE ADOPTION OF THE DRAFT PROTOCOL TO THE  
CONVENTION ON INTERNATIONAL INTERESTS IN MOBILE EQUIPMENT ON MATTERS SPECIFIC TO  
SPACE ASSETS (meeting in Berlin on 9 March 2012);

HAVING ADOPTED the Protocol to the Convention on International Interests in Mobile  
Equipment on Matters specific to Space Assets (the Protocol);

HAVING REGARD to Article XXVIII(1) of the Protocol;

BEARING IN MIND the Convention on International Interests in Mobile Equipment (the  
Convention), opened to signature in Cape Town on 16 November 2001;

IN THE LIGHT OF the adoption by the Conference of Resolution 1 relating to the setting up  
of the Preparatory Commission for the establishment of the International Registry for space assets;

CONSIDERING the interest expressed at the Conference by the observer representing the  
Secretary-General of the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) for the ITU to consider  
becoming Supervisory Authority of the International Registry for space assets, subject to  
consideration of the matter by the governing bodies of the ITU and without prejudice to the  
decision to be taken by them in this regard, in the light of the outcome of the Conference, taking  
into account the financial, juridical and technical implications of such a decision;

RESOLVES:

TO INVITE the governing bodies of the ITU to consider the matter of the ITU becoming  
Supervisory Authority upon or after the entry into force of the Protocol and take the necessary  
action, as appropriate.