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## **RESOLUTION No. 13**

# Accession of Saint Lucia to the OIE

# HAVING REGARD TO

Article 6 of the International Agreement,

The Organic Rules, particularly article 3 designating the organs in charge of the operation of the Organisation, and article 5 stating that the OIE is under the authority and the control of the Assembly,

The General Rules, particularly article 1 stating that the Assembly is the highest authority of the OIE and that its wishes shall be expressed by Resolutions, as well as article 50 stating that, except as elsewhere provided in the Organic Rules or in these General Rules, decisions shall be based on a simple majority,

Resolution No. 11 of 31 May 2013 establishing a procedure for the examination of applications for accession to the OIE, applicable only to membership applications received after 31 May 2013,

The application of 10 October 2017 sent by Saint Lucia,

#### CONSIDERING

The decision of the Council at its meeting held on 27 February 2018, which was expressed unanimously in favour of the accession of Saint Lucia to the OIE,

THE ASSEMBLY

RESOLVES

To accept the application for accession of Saint Lucia to become a Member of the OIE.

(Adopted by the World Assembly of Delegates of the OIE on 25 May 2018 in view of an entry into force on 26 May 2018)