

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF
THE OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION**

WHEREAS The Honorable Andrew S. Natsios has served the Corporation as a Director since April 26, 2001; and


WHEREAS his valuable leadership, counsel and guidance to the Corporation and his dedication to the objectives of the Corporation have earned him the esteem and respect of his fellow Directors and of the Corporation's Management and staff; and

WHEREAS Mr. Natsios left as a Director of the Corporation effective January 12, 2006;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that this Board notes with regret the departure of Mr. Natsios from the Board of Directors, and expresses to him the appreciation and gratitude of his colleagues and their high regard for him as a friend and associate.



Approved by the Board of Directors
on January 19, 2006


Connie M. Downs
Corporate Secretary