

**The Mauritius Summit**  
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At their fifth meeting, the heads of state and government of the francophone community decided to change the name of their summits to Conference of Heads of State and Government of Countries Using French as a Common Language. The Mauritius Summit saw the Francophonie enriched by the addition of two new countries, Romania and Bulgaria. The economy was recognized as an essential element of culture, and the parameters for economic co-operation within the francophone community were established.