

RESOLUTION

Subject: Enhancement of measures to protect INTERPOL's reputation and the integrity of its police information system

The ICPO-INTERPOL General Assembly, meeting in Singapore from 11 to 15 October 2009 at its 78th session:

RECALLING that, in application of Article 8 of INTERPOL's Constitution, it is empowered to determine any regulations deemed necessary,

RECALLING ALSO that Article 31 of INTERPOL's Constitution provides for the constant and active co-operation of its Members, who should do all within their power which is compatible with the legislations of their countries to participate diligently in the Organization's activities,

BEARING IN MIND the events referred to in Report No. AG-2009-RAP-15 which have led the General Secretariat to take measures to protect the Organization's reputation and the integrity of INTERPOL's police information system,

RECALLING Article 9 of the Rules on the Processing of Information for the Purposes of Police Co-operation,

RECOGNIZING the need for the Organization to have standards, drawn up by its Members, to guarantee its reputation and the integrity of its police information system,

BEARING IN MIND Resolution No. AG-2008-RES-14, adopted by the General Assembly at its 77th session, tasking the Working Group on the Processing of Information to regularly assess the Rules on the Processing of Information for the Purposes of International Police Co-operation and their Implementing Rules, in the light of the planned developments to the police information system and procedures developed by the General Secretariat,

ENDORSES the conclusion of Report No. AG-2009-RAP-15 on the enhancement of measures to protect INTERPOL's reputation and the integrity of its police information system;

DECIDES to extend the terms of reference of the Working Group on the Processing of Information to include the enhancement of measures to protect INTERPOL's reputation and the integrity of its police information system;

TASKS the Working Group on the Processing of Information with examining the operating standards of the NCBs as defined in General Assembly Report No. AG-2004-RAP-30, the procedures for assessing the NCBs, the establishment of monitoring tools and, finally, the procedure to be followed by the General Secretariat in the event of a serious incident at an NCB.

Adopted.