

## **Resolution No. 9**

GA-2018-87-RES-09

**Subject:** Membership of the Republic of Vanuatu

The ICPO-INTERPOL General Assembly, meeting in Dubai, United Arab Emirates, from 18 to 21 November 2018 at its 87th session:

BEARING IN MIND Article 4 of the Constitution and Resolution GA-2017-86-RES-01 on the process for membership of INTERPOL,

TAKING NOTE of the application for membership dated 10 January 2018 submitted by the Minister of Foreign Affairs, International Cooperation and External Trade of the Republic of Vanuatu,

CONSIDERING the contents of the application of the Republic of Vanuatu and the requirements of membership including the understanding of the Republic of Vanuatu of the obligations under Articles 2 to 7 and 31 to 33 of the INTERPOL Constitution,

CONSIDERING that upon membership and in compliance with Article 32 of the Constitution, the Republic of Vanuatu shall appoint a body which will serve as the National Central Bureau,

## **DECIDES:**

- The Republic of Vanuatu shall be a Member of the Organization with effect from the present session of the General Assembly;
- The Republic of Vanuatu shall be part of Asia for the purposes of participation in the regional conferences and membership of the Executive Committee;
- The contribution of the Republic of Vanuatu for the year 2019 will be determined by the General Assembly Resolution on Statutory Contributions. The exact amount of its contribution will be communicated in due course;

TASKS the Secretary General to implement, in compliance with the existing rules, rights of access to the INTERPOL Information System of the National Central Bureau to be designated by the Republic of Vanuatu.

Adopted: 135 votes in favour, 8 against, 9 abstentions