

Resolution No. 17

AG-2014-RES-17

Subject: Equal representation on the Executive Committee

The ICPO-INTERPOL General Assembly, meeting in Monaco from 3 to 7 November 2014 at its 83rd session:

BEARING IN MIND Articles 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19 of INTERPOL's Constitution,

RECALLING that the Organization was set up in 1923, with the name of "International Criminal Police Commission (ICPC)", and at that time had 18 Members,

FURTHER RECALLING that INTERPOL is now an international, global organization of 190 Members,

CONSIDERING that the global nature of the Organization guarantees high-quality, effective international police cooperation for its Members,

HAVING EXAMINED Report AG-2014-RAP-24 submitted by the Executive Committee,

BELIEVING that it is essential for INTERPOL to better reflect the changes that have come about in its representation,

CONSIDERING that the institutional framework of the Organization must be adjusted so that its governing bodies fully represent the geographical diversity of its Members,

ENDORSES the Executive Committee's proposal aimed at ensuring the equal representation of the four continents on INTERPOL's Executive Committee;

INSTRUCTS the Executive Committee:

- To submit to the General Assembly, at its 84th session, draft amendments to the rules governing the composition of the Executive Committee as outlined in Report AG-2014-RAP-24;
- To conduct the necessary consultations to ensure beforehand that the draft amendments receive the widest possible support from the Organization's Members.

Approved