

**RESOLUTION**

**Subject:** Draft Co-operation Agreement between INTERPOL and the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA)

The ICPO-INTERPOL General Assembly, meeting in St Petersburg, Russia, from 7 to 10 October 2008 at its 77th session:

BEARING IN MIND Article 41 of the Organization's Constitution which states that the general provisions concerning the relations with international, intergovernmental or non-governmental organizations will only be valid after their approval by the General Assembly,

BEARING IN MIND the INTERPOL's Rules on the processing of information for the purposes of international police co-operation,

HAVING EXAMINED Report AG-2008-RAP-19 which sets out a draft Co-operation Agreement with the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA),

BEARING IN MIND that WADA is a foundation established under Swiss law and recognized as having an international function in the promotion and co-ordination at international level of the fight against doping in sport, including the promotion of harmonized rules, disciplinary procedures, sanctions and other means of combating doping in sport,

RECOGNIZING the interest of entering into an agreement with WADA to fostering international police co-operation in the prevention of and the fight against doping and trafficking of doping substances with a view to its elimination,

DEEMING that the draft Co-operation Agreement hereby submitted is in conformity with the Organization's mandate, interests and rules,

APPROVES the draft Co-operation Agreement between INTERPOL and WADA, contained in Appendix 4 to Report AG-2008-RAP-19;

AUTHORIZES the Secretary General to sign it.

**Adopted**