

<p>RESOLUTION No. AGN/57/RES/18</p> <p><u>SUBJECT:</u></p> <p>Interpol as a channel for the exchange of information and co-operation</p>	<p>TO BE CLASSIFIED AS FOLLOWS:</p> <p>1 copy in the CHRONOLOGICAL SERIES Year: 1988</p> <p>1 copy in the SUBJECT SERIES</p> <p>Heading: Drugs</p> <p>Sub-heading: Miscellaneous</p> <p>1 copy in the SUBJECT SERIES</p> <p>Heading: Co-operation with international organizations</p> <p>Sub-heading: Co-operation with the United Nations</p>
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TEXT OF RESOLUTION

CONVINCED that Interpol has proved to be an effective channel of communication between member countries involved in the effort to combat illicit traffic in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances,

WHEREAS the Draft United Nations Convention Against Illicit Trafficking in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances, which will be considered for adoption by the Conference to be held in Vienna from 25th November to 20th December 1988, calls for closer co-operation and a more comprehensive exchange of information than in the past,

WHEREAS INTERPOL channels can be used effectively for many of the forms of co-operation and for the exchanges of information recommended in the said Convention,

The ICPO-Interpol General Assembly, meeting in Bangkok from 17th to 23rd November 1988 at its 57th session:

DECIDES that the General Secretariat should present the appended resolution to the United Nations Conference in connection with the adoption of the said Convention.

Appendix

RESOLUTION

EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION

The Conference

CALLING attention to Resolution III, adopted by the 1961 United Nations Conference for the adoption of a Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, in which attention was drawn to the importance of the technical records on international drug traffickers of the International Criminal Police Organization - Interpol and their use by that Organization for the circulation of descriptions of such traffickers,

CONSIDERING the machinery developed by Interpol for the timely and efficient exchange of crime investigation information between police authorities on a worldwide basis,

RECOMMENDS that the widest possible use be made by police authorities of Interpol's records and communication system in achieving the goals of the Convention Against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances.