

RESOLUTION No. AGN/47/RES/3

SUBJECT:

COMBATING ILLICIT PRODUCTION,  
TRAFFIC AND ABUSE OF DRUGS.

To be classified as follows:

1 copy in the Chronological Series,  
year 1978

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Heading: Drugs

Sub-heading: Resolutions concerning  
several types of drug and/or of a  
general nature concerning international  
co-operation in the fight against drug  
traffic and abuse.

Sub-heading: Training staff to deal  
with drug cases.

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Heading: Recruitment of police officers  
technical co-operation.

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Heading: Extradition and mutual  
assistance in criminal proceedings.

TEXT OF RESOLUTION

CONCERNED with the increasing seriousness of the worldwide problem of  
the illicit production, traffic and abuse of drugs,

CONSIDERING the inadequacy of the legislative provisions in certain  
countries to deal with the problem,

WITH A VIEW TO making the fight to diminish or even eradicate the  
delinquent aspects of the abuse of drugs more effective,

The ICPO-INTERPOL General Assembly, meeting in Panama City from 19th  
to 26th October 1978 at its 47th session:

RECOMMENDS:

- 1) That governments of member countries be encouraged to provide for  
adequate specialised training in sufficient numbers, of personnel  
who are required to participate in the fight against all aspects of  
drug abuse, this by the organisation of seminars for all categories  
of personnel;

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- 2) That governments of member countries be urged, where this is not already being done, to introduce legislation with more severe penalties against drug traffickers as a deterrent measure to discourage drug delinquency;
  - 3) That governments of member countries be encouraged to include in their legal provisions, where this does not already exist, extradition for drug-related crimes.
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